

Northbrook Covenant Church

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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Monday- Friday

9 am—2 pm

Thank you to those serving in our worship.

Officiant & Preacher: Rachel Johnson

Scripture Reader: Selma Bucher

Pianist: Vera Vasilenko

Worship Team: Rachel Johnson

Greeter: Beth Olson

Usher: Laurie Johnson

A/V Slides: Charlie Poterek

*We exist to glorify God
-Father, Son and Holy Spirit -
-By becoming mature disciples of
Jesus Christ
-And inviting others to join us.*



Northbrook Covenant Church

July 5, 2026

Celebration of Worship

Sermon Notes

Gathering Song

"Great is the Lord"

CHW #5

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

by Beth Merrill Neel

We gather today to worship the One who created us,

The One who calls us,

The One who equips us,

The One who loves us without end.

With joyful hearts, let us worship God.

Opening Worship

"How Can I Keep from Singing?"

CHW# 469

"All Who are Thirsty"

Passing of the Peace

L: The Peace of Christ be with you!

C: And also with you!

God at Work: Gather 2026

Prayer

Mutual Blessing*

L: The Lord be with you! C: And also with you!

Scripture

Selma Bucher

Psalms 126

Sermon

Rachel Johnson

"Seed to Harvest"

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Sending Song

"The Benediction"

Benediction

*No Kid's Sunday School Today.

Hymn Sing Coming Up: Want to hear your favorite hymn being sung during worship? Come ready during the following Sundays: **July 26**, and August 30. On these Sundays, we will open it up to the congregation to select 3-4 hymns we will sing during worship. Come ready to tell us which hymn to sing!

Camps are now in session. Please avoid entering the building during business hours if you are able. If you need to enter the building, please be in touch with the office beforehand. Thank you for helping us be a safe and welcoming place for these community camps.

Attention Viewers of 1904...

If you watch our service on channel 1904 at Covenant Living, we want to hear from you! Please call the office at 847-272-8270 or email us at northbrook.covenant@gmail.com and let us know you're watching. And thank you for worshipping with us!

Venezuela Earthquakes - A series of powerful earthquakes has devastated communities across Venezuela leaving families displaced, injured, and in urgent need of support. Covenant World Relief and Development is responding alongside trusted local partners to provide emergency assistance, including temporary shelter, clean water and hygiene support, and care for children and families affected by the disaster. Your gift can help bring immediate relief and hope to communities facing tremendous hardship. Together we can stand with vulnerable families as they begin the long journey toward recovery and rebuilding. You can give directly to CWRD on their page at covchurch.org or write a check to NECC with Earthquake in the memo line and place it in the offering box or use the giving page on our website northbrookcovenant.org and select Venezuela Earthquake Relief in the drop down menu. Thank you for your support for those in need.

Next Men's Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, July 14th at 11:45 am at Pinstripes Northbrook, 1150 Willow Road, Northbrook. Please RSVP to Roy Olson if you plan on attending.

NORTHBROOK NEWS		
July 5, 2026		
THIS WEEK		
Today July 5	9:45 am 10:30 am	Congregational Prayer Time Worship Greeter: Beth Olson Usher: Laurie Johnson Reader: Selma Bucher A/V Slides: Charlie Poterek Counters: None Sunday School Volunteers: No Sunday School
M-F	1:30 pm	YMCA Camp in church basement
M-F	8:30 am	1/100 Camp in session
Next Sun July 12	9:45 am 10:30 am	Congregational Prayer Time Worship Greeter: Betty Olson Usher: David Dwight Reader: Bonnie Stephens A/V Slides: Olga Vasquez Counters: Bob Olson & Kris Gallegos Sunday School Volunteers: Rachel Johnson, TBD
LOOKING AHEAD		
July 12	11:45 am	Pastor Rachel's Ordination Reception
July 14	11:45 am	Men's Luncheon at Pinstripes
July 15	9:30 am	Women's Summer Coffee (please note date is corrected from newsletter).

Ordination Celebration—On July 12th after service we will be celebrating Pastor Rachel's ordination which took place at the annual meeting on June 27th. Please join us for the coffee hour and bring a card or offer congratulations in person. If you are unable to attend you can mail or drop off a card to the church office and we will make sure Rachel receives it.