

Covenant Update June 27, 2025

Welcoming Dr. David Garner to the Pulpit

This Sunday, it will be our pleasure to welcome the Rev. Dr. David Garner to the pulpit. Dr. Garner serves as Chief Academic Officer, Vice President of Global Ministries, and Charles Krahe Professor of Systematic Theology at Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia. He is an ordained minister in the PCA and a member of our Philadelphia Metro West Presbytery. We look forward to his ministry among us.



New Friends on the Way

We are pleased to announce that Stuart and Steph, along with their daughters, will be moving from Northern Ireland to Harleysville as Stuart begins his studies at Westminster Theological Seminary. They are committed believers who look forward to worshipping with us as a church family while preparing for further ministry.



In order to assist them as they transition to the US, we would like to provide some practical resources to help them get set up. <u>Here</u> is a list of some suggested items they could use. If you would like to donate or loan an item, or be of assistance in any other way, **please contact Aaron or Danielle Moyer**, who will be coordinating our welcome efforts.

Thank you for your prayers for their family as they take this step of faith in obedience to the Lord. We look forward to meeting them and together advancing our strategic congregational goal of helping to care for, equip, and send forth well-trained gospel ministers for God's glory and the welfare of His wider Church.

Youth Mission Trip

July 5-12

Covenant's team is headed to Fairmont, West Virginia to serve with a ministry called Impact, WV. We will be staying at Dayspring Camp and Conference Center, along with teams from several other churches (mostly PCA). Every weekday, part of the team will drive to the home of a woman to work on repairing her bathroom floor, basement steps, and basement door along with several other smaller projects like gutter repair. Another part of the team will lead a neighborhood VBS near an apartment building not far from the home.



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Please pray for:

- safety as we travel and work
- our conversations and the kids and youth at VBS
- attitudes of humility and joy as we serve
- our daily team devotions
- our time of worship, teaching, and fellowship with the other teams at the camp
- each of the team members 11 adults and 16 youth (including 9 going for the first time): Ruth Clement, Jonathan English, River English, Grayston Estevez, Juan Estevez, Dan Hillman, Laura Hillman, Rebekah Hillman, Rebecca Kleeman, Sam Kleeman, Nate Muench, Stephen Muench, Amy Muhlfeld, Jasmine Muhlfeld, John Muhlfeld, Sharon Muhlfeld, Katelyn Reist, Ben Rohrman, Gabe Rohrman, John Rohrman, Carrie Rutkowski, Daniel Rutkowski, Sarah Rutkowski, Steve Rutkowski, Lily Snyder, Luke Snyder, and Maggie Wambold.

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2025 General Assembly Recap

The Lord blessed our denomination with a good General Assembly in Chattanooga, TN this week, with many matters for praise and thanksgiving as He continues to build His Church. For a brief recap of the Assembly, please click <u>here</u>.



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Congregation Connection

Continuing the 25th Anniversary of Ministry Celebration

Please join us for refreshments and a slideshow in the far narthex after this Sunday's worship service to celebrate the 25th anniversary of ministry of Drs. John & Sharon Muhlfeld at Covenant Presbyterian Church.



Upcoming Events

<u>Please check past Covenant Updates</u> for additional information on items below:

OCC Items of the Month: May/June - Fun Items (jump ropes, yo-yos, balls, games, puzzles, etc.) for 10-14 year olds (full list <u>here</u>)

Current Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:15 a.m.:

- Haggai and Zechariah Sanctuary led by Wayne Shaw
- Promises of God—the Covenants (Ligonier video series by Dr. Fesko) Room 107 led by Thomas Potgieter, Rob Barbadoro, & Jim Nagy

2025 Softball Schedule <u>here</u> with these additional dates:

- 6/30 at 6:30 p.m. at Branchwood Park
- 7/7 at 6:30 p.m. at Line Lexington Field
- 7/10 at 6:30 p.m. at Line Lexington Field
- 7/26 at 6:30 p.m. at Branchwood Park

June

- 6/27 at 6:00 p.m. **25th Anniversary of Ministry dinner** at Pine Crest Country Club, Lansdale
- 6/30 Last day to check Lost & Found bin before it's emptied

July

• 7/27 - Last day to submit **updated directory pictures and contact information**

Below you will find the **July Calendar**. Click on the image to enlarge. Paper copies have also been placed in church mailboxes.

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This Sunday Dr. David Gardner will preach from **1 Corinthians 15:12–21** and his sermon title is *What Meaneth This Stone?* He writes, "The event of the resurrection is not only worth remembering, but is the source of all hope. Christ raised from the dead provides the reason for our gathering today here at Covenant Presbyterian Church. Without the

