

# TODAY, MARCH 12, 2017

# THIS WEEK AT FIRST COVENANT

## 8:30 a.m.

- Dwelling in Prayer and the Word (Swedish room)

## 9:30 a.m.

- Worship (sanctuary)
- Children's programming during worship  
Nursery – infants through age 3  
(Nursery & Toddler Room)  
Children's church – ages 4 through 5th  
grade (Room 252)

## 11:00 a.m.

- Adjourned annual meeting (sanctuary)

## 12:00 p.m.

- All-church meal (fellowship hall)

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## MONDAY, MARCH 13

**11:30 a.m. Interlude**

## TUESDAY, MARCH 14

7:45 a.m. *Homeless Day on the Hill*

6:30 p.m. *United International Christian  
Fellowship (lounge)*

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15

1:00 p.m. *Twin Cities Christian Legal Aid*

6:30 p.m. *Abrahamic Traditions Dinner*

## THURSDAY, MARCH 16

## FRIDAY, MARCH 17

**Church office closed**

*MetroKids closed*

## SATURDAY, MARCH 18

6:30 p.m. *United International Christian  
Fellowship (lounge)*

## NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 19

### 8:30 a.m.

- **Dwelling in Prayer and the Word** (Swedish room)

### 9:30 a.m.

- **Worship** (sanctuary)
- **Children's programming during worship**  
**Nursery – infants through age 3**  
(nursery & toddler room)
- **Children's church – ages 4 through**  
**5th grade** (room 252)

### 11:00 a.m.

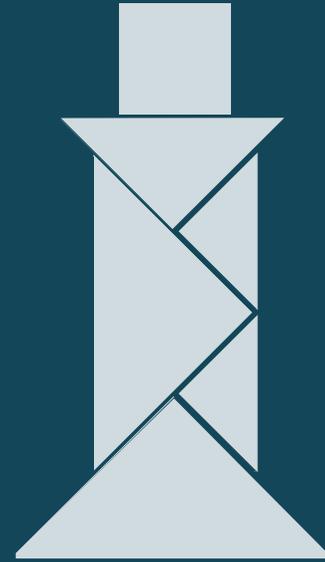
- **Women's History Month discussion** (lounge)

**First Covenant Church events are listed in bold type.**



**Heard something great, but didn't  
have a chance to make a note?**  
Head to [1stcov.org](http://1stcov.org) this week and grab  
the MP3 of today's sermon!

“Why We Gather”



## First Covenant Church Sunday, March 12, 2017 • 9:30 am

Call to worship

“Open Up the Heavens”

Welcome and greeting

“Let the River Flow”

“The Love of God”

“I Belong”

(Children are dismissed for children's church)

Offering

Women's History Month reflection

**Message: “Violence” (Romans 13:8-10 | NLT)**

Benediction

