

Evangelical Covenant Church

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This Week in Our Church Family

Today, Sunday, September 13, 2026

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
Scripture Janet Loschen
Ushers Matt & Amy Jones, Diane Gustafson

Monday, September 14, 2026

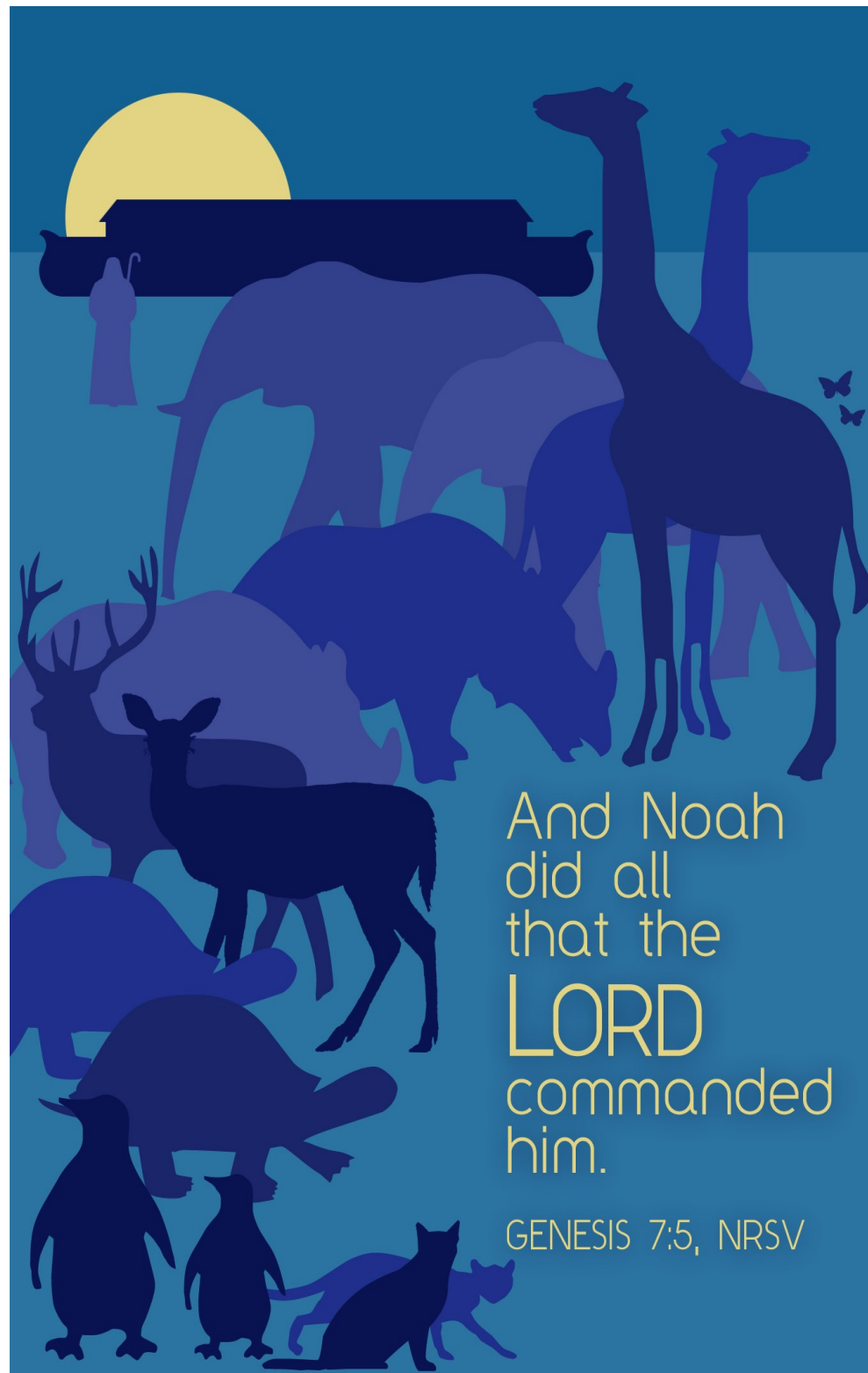
7:00 p.m. Church Board Meetings

Wednesday, September 16, 2026

7:00 p.m. Nominating Committee

Next Sunday, September 20, 2026

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
Scripture Joe Sawyer
Ushers Roger Gustafson, Jeff Shaffer





Evangelical Covenant Church
Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost
September 13, 2026

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements
Greeting Time

Call to Worship

Psalm 46

L: God is our refuge and strength,
P: **A very present help in trouble.**
L: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change,
P: **Though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea;**
L: Though its waters roar and foam,
P: **Though the mountains tremble with its tumult.**
L: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,
P: **The holy habitation of the Most High.**
L: God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be moved;
P: **God will help it when the morning dawns.**
L: The nations are in an uproar, the kingdoms totter;
P: **He utters His voice, the earth melts.**
L: The LORD of hosts is with us;
P: **The God of Jacob is our refuge.**
L: Come, behold the works of the LORD;
P: **See what desolations He has brought on the earth.**
L: He makes wars cease to the end of the earth;
P: **He breaks the bow, and shatters the spear; He burns the shields with fire.**
L: "Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations, I am exalted in the earth."
P: **The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.**

Praise Song: "God Will Make a Way"

Invocation

Praise Song: "Take My Life"

Scripture Reading:
Genesis 7:1-24

Janet Loschen

Children's Message

Pastoral Prayer
Lord's Prayer

Hymn: #451 "It Is Well With My Soul"

Sermon: "Enter In"

Hymn: #464 "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

Benediction

Hymn of Response: #428 "He's Ever Over Me"

Postlude

Long Term/Home Care

Betty Lesus

Missions

Cathy Campobello
(Medellin, Colombia)
Joe & Tammy Faulkinbury (Covenant
Mountain Mission Bible Camp;
Jonesville, VA)
Ted & Sharon Wingo (South
Carolina)
Greta Henry (Merci Ministries;
Champaign, IL)

Announcements

Please join us outside in the church yard for a BBQ lunch to kickoff our Fall season.

Church boards will meet tomorrow evening, Sept. 14 at 7pm

Nominating Committee will meet at 7pm in the Fireside room at ECC on Wed., Sept. 16

**Offering plates are located in the back of the church*