



United Covenant Church

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January 4, 2026

Sermon Notes:

Scripture for today's sermon (NLT):

1 Kings 11:26-33, 40; 1 Kings 12:25-33; 1 Kings 13:1-6;
Proverbs 12:15, 18:15; Psalm 119:105; Proverbs 3:5-6;
James 1:5-8;

Songs of Praise

*House of the Lord
King of My Heart
Name Above All Names*

Scripture Reading

1 Kings 12:1-5
James 1:5-8

Mitch Binsfeld (8:30 am)
Cindy Mohrland (10:45 am)

YWAM Update

Prayer

Message

Pastor Dan Pearson

Man's Foolishness & God's Wisdom

(Read "The Story" Chapter 15 by Jan. 11th)

Holy Communion

Prayer Requests:

Don't feel well?

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BULLETIN & NEWSLETTER: Please submit any additions for the bulletin by Wednesday each week via e-mail, phone or drop off in bin outside of office. Newsletter info? Please have that to the church office by the 22nd of the month.



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Featured Announcements:

- **WEEK OF PRAYER** The first week of January we will have a Week of Prayer. Monday, Jan. 5th we will meet at church at 6:30 pm; Tuesday, Jan. 6th we will meet at Doug & Lynn Schone's at 6:30 pm & Thursday, Jan. 8th we will meet at church at 6:30 pm. Join us throughout the week as you are able!
- **ALL CHURCH ROLLERSKATING NIGHT** is this Wednesday, January 7th from 6:00-8:00 pm at Skate City in Rice Lake, WI! Cost is \$8.00 each (ages 4+) and \$6.00 (ages 2-4), which includes rental of roller-skates or rollerblades. Skate City will play Christian Music and have the snack bar open. Hope to see you there! *(No supper or classes at church- everyone is invited to skating!)*

United Covenant Church Mission Statement
*Helping each other take the next step in Christ through
Evangelism, Discipleship and Missions.*

THIS WEEK...

Sunday, January 4th – Communion Sunday

7:55 a.m. Worship Team Practice
8:30 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion

Monday, January 5th

6:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study at church
6:30 p.m. Prayer Time at church

Tuesday, January 6th

8:00 a.m. Prayer Time at church
9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study at church
6:30 p.m. Prayer Time at Doug & Lynn Schone's

Wednesday, January 7th

6:00 - 8:00 p.m. All Church Rollerskating at Skate City, Rice Lake

Thursday, January 8th

9:00 a.m. Mission Stitchers at church
1:00 p.m. Rebuilders: Moving Forward from Loss at church
6:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study at church
6:30 p.m. Prayer Time at church

Friday, January 9th – Youth at Districts, Green Bay (9th-11th)

Saturday, January 10th

7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast at church (bring food to share)

Sunday, January 11th *(Annual Report info due to church office today)*

7:55 a.m. Worship Team Practice
8:30 a.m. Worship Service
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service

UPCOMING DATES TO KNOW:

January 7 th	All Church Roller-skating at Skate City, Rice Lake, 6 pm
January 14 th	Regular Wednesday Night supper & classes begin
January 21 st	Budget Review Meeting, 7:30 pm
January 25 th	Annual Meeting, 12:00 pm & Cinnamon Roll Sunday
January 27 th	Movie: Letter to the American Church, 6:30 pm
February 8 th	Super Subs Youth Fundraiser
February 13 th -15 th	Marriage Retreat at Lake Beauty Bible Camp
February 18 th	Ash Wednesday

Our sanctuary has a "Hearing Loop" installed! (Contacta 15a) Some hearing aids will connect with this system, or there are headphones available for use - pick up at the "Connections Table".

Welcome! If you are a visitor, or new to United Covenant Church, please fill out a visitor card and bring to the Connections Table in the foyer to receive a welcome gift!

There is a box below the sound booth for tithes/offerings and prayer requests.

After the Worship Service if you would like prayer, prayer teams will remain at the front of the sanctuary to meet with you.

Nursery: Our nursery team provides a safe and fun environment for your child to be while you enjoy the service. The nursery can accommodate babies through 4 years of age. Busy Bags are in the west foyer and are available for all children.

A nursing room is available in the classroom next to the nursery during the Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS...

MEN'S BREAKFAST will be on Saturday, January 10th at 7:00 am at the church. This is for boys/men of all ages! Bring some food and join us for the fellowship!

DISTRICTS YOUTH CONFERENCE We have 36 students & 6 adults attending the Districts Youth Conference in Green Bay this upcoming weekend. Pray for safety in travel and an impactful weekend learning more about God!

MISSION STITCHERS will be meeting in January on the 8th & 22nd- this is a different schedule than normal!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BREAK Our regular Wednesday night schedule will resume on Wednesday, January 14th, 2026. Adults, there are three class options on Wednesday evenings, starting Jan. 14th: "The Bait of Satan" will be meeting in the upstairs east classroom, "The Story" will be meeting in the fellowship hall, and Men's "Life Together" group will be meeting in the downstairs classroom across from the youth room.

ANNUAL MEETING TIMELINE Annual Meeting Reports are due to the church office by Sunday, Jan. 11th. The Budget Review meeting will be Jan. 21st at 7:30 p.m. The annual meeting will be on Sunday, Jan. 25th after the 10:45 am worship service.

WEDDING SHOWER There will be a wedding shower for Jordan Anderson & Addison Thayer on Saturday, January 17th at 3:00 pm at the church. Family and friends (men, women & children) please come shower Jordan & Addison with love as they prepare to get married in early February.

MOVIE: LETTER TO THE AMERICAN CHURCH We will be holding a special event January 27th at 6:30 pm, built around a screening of Letter To The American Church (book published September 2022, movie produced in February 2024). Please attend for education, awareness, and inspiration.

CALENDARS There are calendars for 2026 available for purchase in the foyer. Calendars are for sale for \$6 each!!

SENIOR ADULTS LIVING TRIUMPHANTLY (S.A.L.T.) the next S.A.L.T. group meeting will be Thursday, January 15th at 2pm at Ridgeview Apartment Commons.