

<sup>1</sup>On the first day of the third month after the Israelites left Egypt—on that very day—they came to the Desert of Sinai. <sup>2</sup>After they set out from Rephidim, they entered the Desert of Sinai, and Israel camped there in the desert in front of the mountain.

<sup>3</sup>Then Moses went up to God, and the LORD called to him from the mountain and said, "This is what you are to say to the descendants of Jacob and what you are to tell the people of Israel: <sup>4</sup>'You yourselves have seen what I did to Egypt, and how I carried you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. <sup>5</sup>Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, <sup>6</sup>you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.' These are the words you are to speak to the Israelites."

Deuteronomy 7:6-9

<sup>6</sup>For you are a people holy to the LORD your God. The LORD your God has chosen you out of all the peoples on the face of the earth to be his people, his treasured possession.

<sup>7</sup>The LORD did not set his affection on you and choose you because you were more numerous than other peoples, for you were the fewest of all peoples. <sup>8</sup>But it was because the LORD loved you and kept the oath he swore to your ancestors that he brought you out with a mighty hand and redeemed you from the land of slavery, from the power of Pharaoh king of Egypt. <sup>9</sup>Know therefore that the LORD your God is God; he is the faithful God, keeping his covenant of love to a thousand generations of those who love him and keep his commandments.

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# Karmel Covenant Church

Jason Hovis, Lead Pastor  
Kohl Hanson, Pastor of Youth

**October 19, 2025**

Welcome

◆ Call to Worship

Pastor: We worship God: Father, Son, Holy Spirit, who brought Israel out of Egypt, Jesus out of death, a new people out of bondage and despair.

**People: We worship God: Father, Son, Holy Spirit, who creates, redeems, and makes us free.**

◆ "Be Thou My Vision"

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Prayers of the People

◆ Songs of Praise

*Kindergarten-3rd grade dismissed to Children's Church*

Sermon

"A Holy People"

Pastor Jason Hovis

Exodus 19:1-6; Deuteronomy 7:6-9

◆ "Praise"

◆ Benediction

◆ *Please stand if able*

Next Week: Acts 2:1-41 "The Spirit Forms the Church" Pastor Jason Hovis



**Our Mission:** *The mission of Karmel Covenant Church is to love God, serve others, and make Jesus followers.*

*Matthew 22:36-40; 28:19-20*

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## THIS WEEK

Monday	10:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	10:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
	6:00 p.m.	Financial Peace Class
Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	Ladies Pickleball
	6:30 p.m.	Ladies Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Warped - Young Adult Group
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	Family Meal
	6:30 p.m.	AWANA
	6:30 p.m.	Youth Group
Thursday	5:30 p.m.	Adult Pickleball
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Fellowship
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
		Quarterly Business Meeting

The service will be on Facebook Live, YouTube and on our website.

## AWANA (3 years to 5th Grade)

**Wednesdays 5:30 Family Meal 6:30 AWANA**

**October 29** - Costume Night

## YOUTH GROUP

**Wednesdays 5:30 Family Meal 6:30 Youth Group**

**November 14** - Movie Night

## COMING EVENTS

**October 26** - Quarterly Business Meeting following the service

**November 11** - Off Our Rockers @ Karmel from 2-4 pm.

## SCHEDULES

**Usher:**

Today:	Ryan Thompson
Next Week:	Bo Connell

**Greeters:**

Today:	Kevin & Wanda Grabow
Next Week:	Denny & Sandy Sunde

**Sunday School Nursery & EC**

Today:	Bonnie
Next Week:	Colleen

**Nursery**

Today:	Emily/Nora
Next Week:	Deb/Adelle

**Early Childhood:**

Today:	Kelly/Joey
Next Week:	Mindy/Nora

**Children's Church**

Today:	Tom/Aidan
Next Week:	Crystal/Nate

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**November Newsletter items are due Wednesday, October 22nd.**

**Women's Bible Study** - Monday Mornings, at 10:00 am. The Study is a Stonecraft Bible Study called "Love Your Neighbors". Books are available for \$7.00. Questions contact Bonnie Anderson at 763-389-3547. Women of any age are invited, especially those who do not like to drive at night.

**Our Daily Bread Devotional**- September/October/November is available at the Welcome Center.

**October Barrel Ministry** - Most children enter into a foster home with nothing more than the clothes on their backs. This is a chance to change that and give them something to call their own. Safe Haven Foster Shoppe provides children who are being placed into foster care with a placement bag of their own containing essential items. The bags are age, gender and size specific. We are collecting items to fill their standard placement bags for Ages 3-10. All items must be new with tags.

- Large backpack or duffel bag
- Pajamas, Outfits, Socks, Underwear
- Blankets and Stuffed Animals
- Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Body Wash and Deodorant
- Shampoo, Conditioner, Hair Brushes and Combs
- Books, Flashlights, Night Lights
- Hats, Gloves, Mittens, Swimwear

**Leadership Team Members** - Steve Haverinen (Chair), Lee Olson (Vice-chair), Dwight Tonn (Financial officer), Betsy Standlee (Secretary), Steve Anderson, Cheryl Benson, Jim Olson, Pastor Jason Hovis, and Pastor Kohl Hanson

**Ministry Team Leaders** - Discipleship - Pastor Jason and Pastor Kohl, Congregational Care - Cheryl Benson, Outreach - Glenda Haverinen, Hospitality - Sandy Connell, Fellowship - Dawn Swedeen and Shannan Sabby, Properties - Jim Olson and Tom Filzen

**Church Facility Use** - There is a calendar request form on our church website. Please use it to submit a request for church facility use, If you have difficulty, please contact Cindy in the office.

**Membership** - If you're interested in becoming a member of Karmel and would like to understand the process please contact Pastor Jason.

## PRAY THIS WEEK FOR

Sunday - Lois Anderson	Monday - Josh Miller
Tuesday - Ellie Carda	Wednesday - Kristen Alderink
Thursday - Lee Olson	Friday - Elisha Miller
Saturday - Rachel Baldassarre	