

# New Covenant Fellowship

May 17, 2020

The crowds were united by what they heard Philip say and the signs they saw him perform, and they gave him their undivided attention.



With loud shrieks, unclean spirits came out of many people, and many who were paralyzed or crippled were healed. There was great rejoicing in that city. Acts 8:6-8 (CEB)

## “Visiting” Donna

Donna is home with Ron receiving hospice support. Normally, we would stop by to pray, sit with Donna, give Ron and Karyn (visiting this week) a warm hug. Provide support safely by making a short (less than 2 min) video saying a prayer, reading a scripture, speaking words of love or singing/playing music this weekend. Donna loves to sing, loves hymns and has enjoyed Mari singing for her virtually. Share your video or voice memo by email to [rsimkins7@gmail.com](mailto:rsimkins7@gmail.com) with your name in the subject line. Email [barblinder@gmail.com](mailto:barblinder@gmail.com) with technical questions. May your prayers, words, songs carry with them the love & presence of the living Christ

## Meals for Donna and Ron

Many of us would like to assist Ron and Donna Simkins at this time in their lives. Ron said that meals several times a week would be a blessing. Kathy Kearney-Grobler has set up a Meal Train for them. Please consider bringing a meal or two. [Sign up](#) is quite easy, If you have any questions or need assistance contact Kathy at [kearneygrobler@comcast.net](mailto:kearneygrobler@comcast.net). Thank you very much.

## New Music

How many hours do Michael Linder and musicians work to record and mix music for weekly worship? Combined, close to 100! How many people visit the website weekly? Around 500! If something speaks to you, reach out with appreciation! (Contact List) If you want to invite someone, perhaps now is the time!

### Order of Service:

*Great and Wonderful*

Welcome: Laura Lindeman

Psalm 66

*O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus*

*Everywhere I Go I See You*

Prayer by Paco Zamora

Acts 8:4-13

Pt 1: What Does "Success" Look Like?

Acts 8:14-25

Teaching Pt 2: Released to Freedom

Communion

*Change My Heart, O God*

*Eyes on the Prize*

Benediction by Tim Clark & Vonne Ortiz

*Shackles*

### Tithes & Offerings

Thanks to generous giving, NCF tithes and offerings totaled \$14,318 in April. Other income from GCAP was \$700 and Auction income was \$1826. Thank you for your continued giving during this difficult time. Checks sent directly from your bank, mailed to 124 W. White St, Champaign 61820, and PayPal donations will be processed weekly.

### Connecting in Place

Please reach out to the Family Fund and Leadership Team with needs, concerns, and ideas for how to serve one another during this time. We love you, miss you, and are praying for our fellowship & community.