

Proclamation

Salem Covenant Church was organized on December 17, 1888 by thirteen charter members as the Swedish Evangelical Mission Church of Northeast Minneapolis; and WHEREAS:

This congregation has been guided by twelve senior pastors at its locations in northeast Minneapolis and in New Brighton during the past one hundred years; and

This congregation has ministered to thousands of people during its one hundred years of existence and has grown from its original membership of thirteen to a current membership of approximately 850; and WHEREAS:

This congregation serves as a church home for persons entering the pastoral ministry, home and foreign mission fields and other areas of Christian service; and WHEREAS:

The congregation continues to be a spiritual home and a vehicle for proclaiming the Christian ministry to its members as well as to residents of surrounding communities;

WHEREAS: Salem Covenant Church is culminating its Centennial Celebration during December, 1988;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, December $17,\ 1988$ to be

SALEM COVENANT CHURCH CENTENNIAL DAY

in Minnesota.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twenty-ninth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

> STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE FILED.

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Jean Charles Server