Covenant Connections

January 10, 2024



Worship Service this Sunday, January 14, 2024 Second Sunday after Epiphany These Days Daily Devotional's are here for Q1 of 2024 Pick one up in the Narthex or outside the church office.

We have name tags in the Narthex for newer attendees. If you don't see one with your name, please contact the church office and we will provide one.

<u>Christian Education 2023</u> Sunday School for Children – 9:45 – 10:45

Growing in Grace and Gratitude

Godly Play - Ages 2-4 Grateful Hearts - Ages 5-10 - Teachers - Pam Labusohr and Avery Malone Young Seekers - Ages 11-14 - Teacher - Lisa Cauley

Seekers Class – 9:45 am

Seekers Class begins a new series on the book of Revelation. While many think this book is strange and scary, it is a source for knowing who Jesus is and discovering His eternal reign. This week we will study Revelation 1 & 2.

Stomp and Holler – taught by Bill Alden, the class follows *Adult Bible Class*, offering a cogent analysis of the lesson text, in depth questions, practical points, discussion and a key verse. Every Sunday, 9:45 am in the CE Bldg. All are welcome.



Worship Committee

We would like to ask for volunteers for ushers and the worship committee.

Contact Stephen Page for more details.

<u>Hospitality / Fellowship</u>

Looking for Sunday morning greeters. With new faces of visitors coming in our doors we want to give them a Warm Welcome when they arrive.

If you are interested in being a greeter, please contact any Session member.

Finance

LAST CALL – We are at 78% of budget, please get your pledges to Judy. You can mail to the church or to Judy McCurdy at 1021 Home Farm Rd., Wendell 27591. You can also email your pledge to Judy at <u>mccurdyj@aol.com</u>.

Mortgage	\$725,333.00		
December Income	\$ 12,875.00		
December Expense	\$ 14,981.00		
Reserve	\$ 99,012.00		

Mission Outreach Backpack Buddies is Back!!

We will be supporting Lake Myra Elementary school on a monthly basis.

***The Food Pantry** is an on-going project supplying bags of groceries to needy families in our area. Needs include: <u>Non-perishable</u> staples such as crackers, canned beans, canned meats, dried beans, instant potatoes / rice, flour / sugar, all varieties of veggies, Chef Boy-r-dee (all kinds), apple sauce, hot or cold cereal. Hygiene items help with self-esteem and for job seeking: bar soap, shampoo, toothpaste, tooth brushes and toilet tissue.

2024 is a New Year and the Covenant Ladies will return on **January 12th**, 10:00, for coffee, fellowship and discussions about our plans for the new year. Come join us, we look forward to seeing you!



Covenant Book Club

Our book club will meet **January 24**. The book for this month is *The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store* by James McBride. All are welcome to join us for lively conversation and fellowship.



FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH

If you would like to put flowers in the church sanctuary in memory of or in honor of someone, contact Judy Raybon, 919-365-3923 or 919-215-4776. The cost for an

arrangement is \$70 and you can take them home after the worship service to enjoy.

Please allow a two week advance notice of the date you wish to display.





Birthdays: Jan 2 Susie Alden; Jan 4 Miles Bills; Jan 15 Miles Wolfgang; Jan 22 Anne Lanzi; Jan 29 Alisha Turner

Anniversaries: Jan 4 Norm & Mary Moak; Jan 9 Don & Jeannie Hurlbut; Jan 18 Ed & Barb Sneade

Prayer Concerns:

Members - Catherine Rountree, Judy Raybon, Debbie Lawler, Tammy Strickland, Ray Page

Assisted Living –

John Chambers (Crescent Green of Carrboro), Peggy Nickola, Louise Weant (c/o Kim Cox, 107 Rose Circle Dunn, NC 28334)

Members Friends & Family

Santiago, son of Teresa Lopez Vazquez (regular attendee) The family of Janet Morris (Tammy Strickland's Aunt) Dalton Davis (Angelia Page' father) Skyler King (Great Niece of Bud & Debbie Lawler) Tama & Rob Eller (friends of the church) Mary Lou Urban (Judy Raybon's sister) Hannah Marsh (Steve & Karen's daughter) Dwight Smith Sharon Summa Billy Saxbury (Matthew Bill's Uncle) Dolores Williams (Debbie McDuffie's mother) Rev. Talmage Williams (Debbie McDuffie's father) Zane Mahon (Don & Jeanne Hurlbut's grandson) Janice Readshaw (Carrie Petrosky's mother) Mitzie and Troy Lesher-Thomas Claudia Twisdale (Lisa Cauley's cousin) Steve and Ellen Moody (Joan Davis' cousin) Natalie Perkins (Vanessa Turner's sister)

*If you have any news to share or someone to add to our prayer list, send me an email at <u>covsecty1@raleigh.twcbc.com</u> or call 919-365-7979. Wendy



CURRENT SESSION MEMBERS

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Elders of the month for January are Todd Turner and Avery Malone

