

Covenant Connections

August 16, 2023



Worship Service this Sunday, August 20, 2023

Book Club

Next meeting is **August 17, 7:00**
Whistlestop Bottleshop
Everyone is welcome to join us
as we discuss our Fall selection.



Hospitality / Fellowship

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.

Attention all Crafters:

There will be an Informational meeting in the fellowship hall on
Wednesday, August 30th, 7:00 to 8ish
to look at supplies and items we have on hand that can be
made and sold at our Harvest festival booth.

Feel free to bring ideas to put on the list. This will also be a time of fellowship with all that attend. The next meeting will be determined once we see how much we need to gather.

Mark your calendars

Come, be a part of a full, fun day of spreading Covenants Joy at the
Wendell Harvest Festival on Oct 7th, 8am to 6pm.

We will have a booth selling baked goods and craft items.
When time gets closer, we will be looking for volunteers to work
2 to 3 hour shifts throughout the day.

Worship Committee

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

Contact Stephen Page for more details.

Christian Education 2023

Seekers – Sunday's at 9:45

We will be using Faith Element materials, which is a lectionary based Bible study.

We hope you can join us!

The teachers for this class will rotate but all will prepare, provide materials, coffee, refreshments (sometimes) and lot of time for discussion.

Teacher: Lisa Cauley and occasional substitute

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Stomp and Holler – continues every Sunday at 9:45 in the CE Bldg. All are welcome. This class is led by Bill Alden.



Finance

Mortgage	\$742,011.00
July Income	\$ 12,755.00
July Expense	\$ 14,000.00
Reserve	\$ 94,808.00

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: Non-perishable 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.



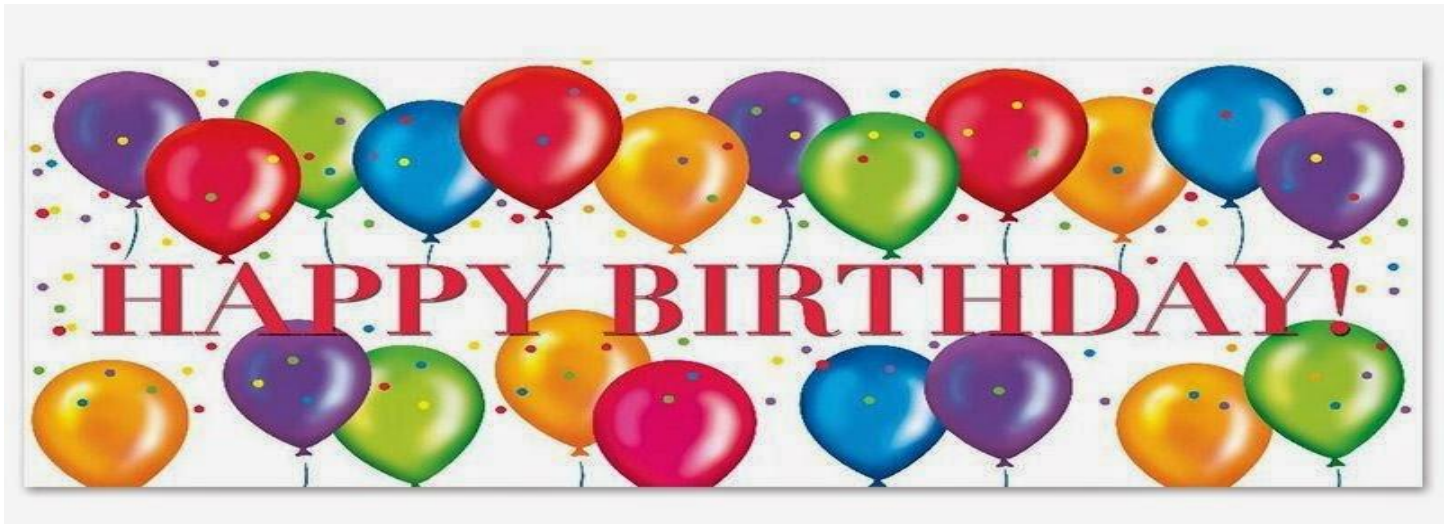
Fellowship Hall Rental

With summer in full swing folks are having bridal showers, baby showers, birthday parties and family reunions. Remind your friends and family that our Fellowship Hall is available to rent for such events. It's a convenient location and proceeds go directly back to the church.

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: Aug 13 Ray Page; Aug 19 Todd Turner; Aug 28 Steve Hicks

Anniversaries: Aug 6 Pam & Gary Hardee; Aug 11 Bill & Susie Alden;
Aug 22 Jackie & Dickie Murray;

Prayer Concerns:

Members – Carrie Petrosky, Tammy Strickland, Kathy Page, Judy Raybon

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

Kent Newsome (Judy Raybon's son)
Sadie Page (Marshall & Kay Page' granddaughter)
Richard Peasley (Beverly Creech)
Dwight Smith
Sharon Summa
Tamma Eller
Matthew White (Joan Davis' cousin)
Billy Saxbury (Matthew Bill's Uncle)
Patty Jones (Jeannie Driver's Aunt)
Dolores Williams (Debbie McDuffie's mother)
Rev. Talmage Williams (Debbie McDuffie's father)
Trisha Painter (friend of the church)
Zane Mahon (Don & Jeanne Hurlbut's grandson)
Charles Lakeman (friend of Beverly Creech)
Janice Readshaw (Carrie Petrosky's mother)
Mitzie and Troy Lesher-Thomas
Claudia Twisdale (Lisa Cauley's cousin)
Steve 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 covsecty1@raleigh.twcbc.com or call 919-365-7979. Wendy

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Elders of the month for August are Steve Marsh and Stephen Page

