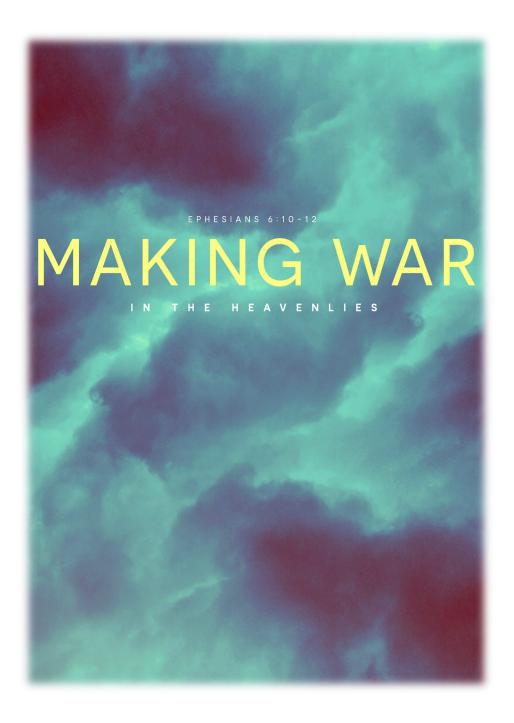


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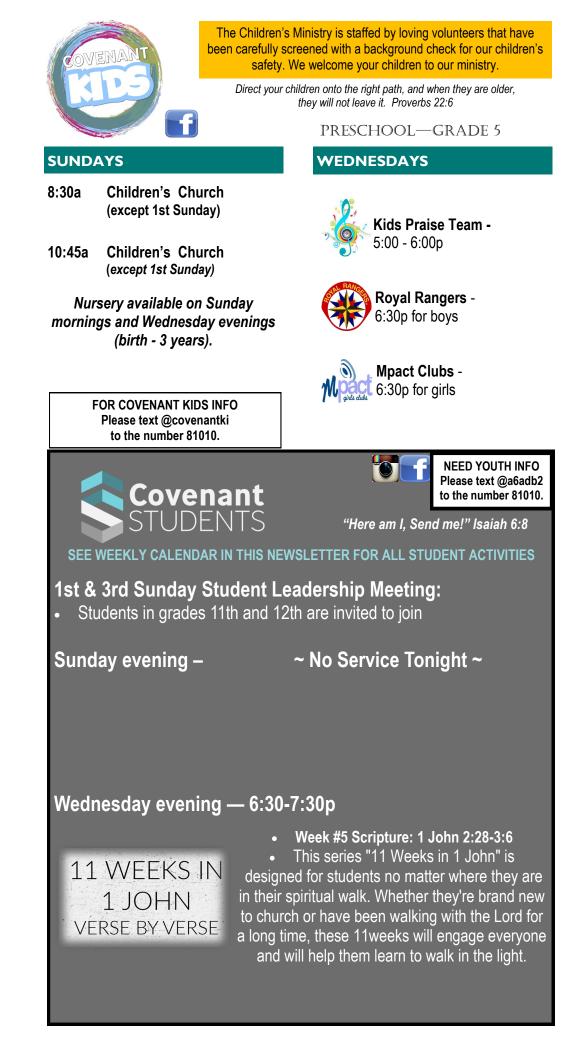
"Our promise to you, born out of His promise to us"

Moms, Muffins and Ministry

JOIN US FOR A TIME OF FELLOWSHIP AND LEARNING BETWEEN MOMS OF YOUNG KIDDOS! WE CAN'T WAIT FOR YOU TO JOIN US!

FIRST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH FROM 8:30-10:00AM IN THE CAFE COFFEE AND LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED





FINANCIAL UPDATE	February 28, 2021	Year To Date
Undesignated Giving	\$23,330.35	\$172,445.26
Budget Needs	\$20,075.67	\$180,681.03
Over (Under) Budget	\$3,254.68	-\$8,235.77
Renovation Project Giving	\$1,040.34	\$4,180.34
Other Designated Giving	\$729.00	\$13,718.00
Total Giving	\$25,099.69	\$190,343.60
Renovation Project Goal	\$300,000.00	
Renovation Project Total Giving	\$122,740.47	



MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

SUNDAY SERVICE: Security Team March 7 Captain—Mike Florence Bob Brice, Billy Burgin, Walt Shires, Terry Somers, Chris Tallent, Darin Tate, Bryan Tomberlin

Security Team March 14 Captain—Bill Lyda Tim Cloer, Phil Eastin, Brian Lane, Ronnie Mercer, Joe Roseman, Donald White, Darrell Dellinger

Nursery on March 7 Babies Shannon Carpenter, Maddie Sterzbach Toddlers Iliana Gonzalez 2s & 3s Ella Carpenter, Bianca Hayes

Nursery on March 14 Babies Rob and Lydia Reid Toddlers Iliana Gonzalez 2s & 3s Michelle Cortez, Bethany Perez



<u>Wednesdays At Covenant</u>		
3.10	Wednesday Night Bible Study	
3.17	Wednesday Night Bible Study	
3.24	Wednesday Night Bible Study	
3.31	Wednesday Night Bible Study	
<u>Mark your Calendar</u>		
3.7	New Members	
3.9	JOY Group	
3.27		
0.21	Covenant Kids—Treasure Hunt	

WITH SYMPATHY Our Christian love and sympathy are extended to Anita Peach and family in the death of her brother -n-law, Charles Wellborn Joyce.

Sunday, March 7

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7:15a	Worship Team
8:30a	Children's Church
8:30a	Early Morning Worship
10:45a	Children's Church
10:45a	Worship Service
12:30p	Student Leadership Meeting
6:00p	Equipping Believers Bible Study—Choir Rm.
Monday, March 8	
8:30a	Moms and Muffins
7:00p	Servant Leadership
Tuesday, March 9	
10:00a	Ladies' Prayer Group (Room 109)
Wednesday, March 10	
5:00p	Kids' Praise Team
6:30p	Covenant Students—Fuel
6:30p	Royal Rangers & Mpact Girls
6:30p	Wednesday Night Bible Study
Thursday, March 11	
10:00a	Ladies' Prayer Group (Room 103)



SEND Good News And Great Joy

PACK A SHOEBOX!

PICK UP AND DROP OFF SHOEBOXES IN THE CAFÉ

For more info...contact Robin Goodson—704.732.2420; robindgoodson@yahoo.com

CONNECTIONS FOR PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS

Connections for Prospective New Members is an ongoing seminar for prospective members and others who just want to know how our church body believes and operates. The class may be joined at any time. The class, facilitated by David Creech, meets on Sunday mornings at 9:45a in Room 118. Also, available on Wednesday nights upon request by calling the church office at 704.735.1559.

If you are currently attending another Sunday School class, you may request CDs and a workbook to complete on your own prior to becoming a member.

INFORMATION DIRECTIVES & DEADLINES

Newsletter: Deadline: Monday by 5p; News items: Brandy Mercer Prayer Sheet: Deadline: Wednesday by 3p; Requests: Brandy Mercer Announcements: Deadline: Monday by 5p; Ryan Stertzbach

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From Our Fastor

The Day It ALL Changed!

John 1:14 And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

There are moments in life when we know that after certain events or episodes, life will never be the same. I felt this when I looked into the eyes of my children when they were born. I felt it when I saw my grandchildren for the first time. I felt it the moment I gave my life to Jesus. I knew, without even knowing why; that everything moving forward would never be the same. Those moments also happen in the heavenlies. There are moments marked in time by God Himself and even by our enemy where every spiritual being knows that NOTHING, after this day, will ever be the same.

One such moment happened when Jesus Christ was born on the earth. The very day that the Word became flesh, all of heaven knew that a new day had arrived. The angels in Heaven stopped to look because they instinctively knew that something was shifting. The moment the Word became flesh the enemy to our soul also knew that something had shifted and that the thing he dreaded most had taken place. It didn't mean he wouldn't fight to alter it, but deep inside he knew it was over. This day marked the beginning of a new kingdom, and it marked the beginning of the end for Satan. Once Jesus came to earth, He made the Father accessible for everyone who would believe. He opened the door for our rescue and for our salvation. He represented a HOPE for a lost and dying world. Yep, the day that Jesus was born is the most magnificent day in the history of the earth. It was the "day that changed it all!"

Michael E. Devine

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