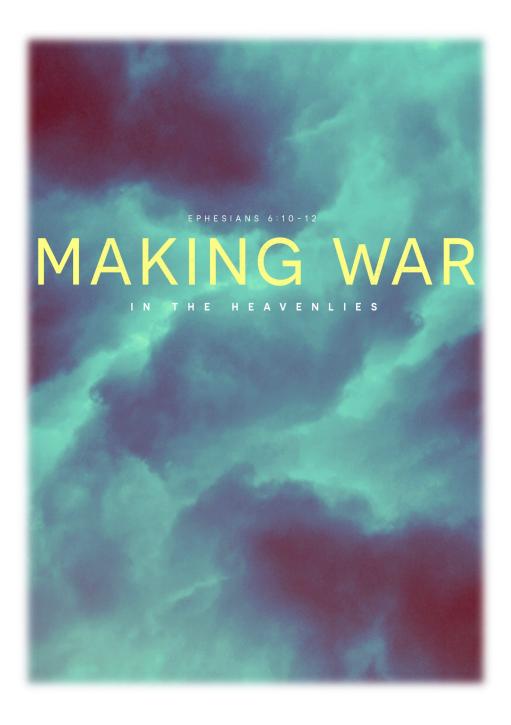


February 7, 2021



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



February 9, 2021 | Drive-Thru Style

Menu: Baked Spaghetti and Salad

Sign up on the church app or website.

Jou're Invited

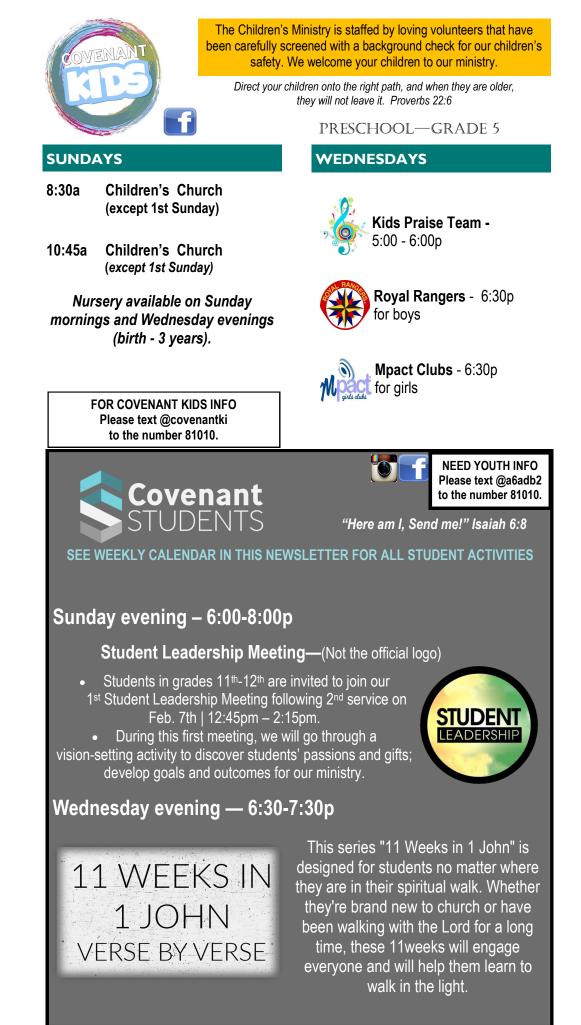
Join us for a royal evening beginning with a horse-drawn carriage ride around the property that will bring you to your dinner destination. The night will be complete with a photo booth, crafts, dancing, and a delicious meal. Young ladies ages four through eighteen are invited to attend with their father or father figure.

Be sure to RSVP and pay on the app.



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FINANCIAL UPDATE	January 31, 2021	Year To Date
Undesignated Giving	\$22,593.42	\$89,151.23
Budget Needs	\$20,075.67	\$100,378.35
Over (Under) Budget	\$2,517.75	-\$11,227.12
Renovation Project Giving	\$20.00	\$2,060.00
Other Designated Giving	\$710.00	\$7,260.00
Total Giving	\$23,323.42	\$98,471.23
Renovation Project Goal	\$300,000.00	
Renovation Project Total Giving	\$120,620.13	



MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

SUNDAY SERVICE: Security Team February 7 Captain—Bill Lyda Tim Cloer, Phil Eastin, Brian Lane, Ronnie Mercer Joe Roseman, Donald White, Darrell Dellinger

Security Team February 14 Captain—Brandon Hurt

Cody Carpenter, Mike Finger, Joe Fletcher, Jon Kuster, Jody Lawing, Brack Rogers, Jeremy Upton, Jason Jenks

Nursery on February 7

Babies Brian and Amber Lukowski Toddlers Iliana Gonzalez 2s & 3s Brooke White, Abby Rosario

Nursery on February 14

Babies Gene and Denise Beach Toddlers Iliana Gonzalez 2s & 3s Sonni Hartley, Ana Carnes



Wednesdays At Covenant

2.3	Wednesday Night Bible Study
2.10	Wednesday Night Bible Study
2.17	Wednesday Night Bible Study
2.24	Wednesday Night Bible Study

<u>Mark your Calendar</u>

2.9	JOY Group - Drive-Thru
2.13	Father Daughter Date Night
2.14	Baby Dedication
3.1	Moms & Muffins
3.7	New Members
3.9	JOY Group
3.27	Covenant Kids—Treasure Hunt

Sunday, February 7

7:15a	Worship Team	
8:30a	Early Morning Worship	
10:45a	Worship Service	
12:45p—2:15p	Student Leadership Meeting	
6:00p	Equipping Believers Bible Study—Choir Rm.	
Tuesday, February 2		
10:00a	a Ladies' Prayer Group (Room 109)	
Wednesday, February 3		
5:00p	Kids' Praise Team	
6:30p	Covenant Students—Fuel	
6:30p	Royal Rangers & Mpact Girls	
6:30p	Wednesday Night Bible Study	
Thursday, February 4		
10:00a	Ladies' Prayer Group (Room 103)	



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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

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From Our Fastor

Equipped For Battle

Ephesians 6:10-13 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. ¹¹ Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. ¹² For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. ¹³ Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand.

I am convinced that a season of outpouring is upon us. I believe we are experiencing His Presence in a fresh and mighty way. Even though I can **FEEL** His Spirit in a magnificent way, I want to remind you that this isn't all about feelings. Whether we **FEEL** all that God is doing in this moment is immaterial. It's not what we feel that matters, it's what He is doing that matters. I am also convinced that God has ordained a season for the "equipping of the church." What do I mean by that? Simply put, I think the church has been taught for years about Who God is. The church is full of knowledge of Who He is but has very little "know how" of what to do with what we know. Our problem isn't that we don't know Him; our problem is that we've done very little with the knowledge we have. This isn't me being judgmental or negative. I, too, have been part of the problem.

This season will be different. In this season, He will teach us what to do with the knowledge we have accrued. He will teach us to worship in a new way. He will teach us to walk in His Presence in a new way. He will teach us to hear Him in a new way, and He will teach us to battle our enemy in a new way. He is equipping us for battle. Sadly, I'm not sure this equipping will come to everyone in the church. I do believe, however, that it will come to those hungry to engage in a new way. I believe that God is preparing a remnant in the church for a supernatural move. Some will miss this new season because they are distracted, sidetracked, and simply not real hungry for change. My challenge for you today is this: Be among the hungry. If you are hungry, He will feed you.

Michael E. Devine

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