



COMMISSIONING SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2019

Please take a minute to complete the Worship Response Card in your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. This helps us record your attendance and show our appreciation for your presence. It also is an easy way to sign up for upcoming events.

Prayer requests may be submitted on your Worship Response Card, online under the "Connect/Care" tab or to Parish Nurse Mary Mattiacci (Mary.Mattiacci@covenantpresby.org).

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT COVENANT

Our community gladly invites all people into a transformational experience of faith, boldly proclaims the gospel, bravely works toward a whole and just world, and passionately nurtures discipleship.

- Each Sunday, we are delighted to accept new members at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel, located next to the Sanctuary.
- For a guide to upcoming opportunities, visit CovenantPresby.org/entrypoints or write "Entry Points" on your WR card and a team member will contact you.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Chapel and Fellowship Hall worship pause through Labor Day. Join us in the summer months for contemporary worship at 9:30 and traditional worship at 11. Unified worship is at 11 a.m. on Sunday, July 7 to coincide with Independence Day Weekend.

SUNDAY CONVERSATION SERIES: FAITH + CAREER

Starts today! Hear from innovators within our congregation as we explore faith and professional life every week at 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall 207.

- **Next Sunday: Business and Finance.** Jimmy White, Nesbit Oil; Ali Summerville, Ally Financial; Damon Nelson, Bank of America; Tim Kendrick, Ernst & Young.

COVENANT KIDS & YOUTH SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

With renovations underway in the Education Wing, here is a look at room assignments:

- Childcare is available in the Parlor for infants-Kindergarten.
- Elementary-age students will go to the first part of 9:30 a.m. worship, then leave for the Chapel following the time with children. Parent pick-up is in the Chapel.
- Middle and high school students will meet in The Landing (bottom floor of Fellowship Hall) from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Fifth grade students are invited to join us.

HIGHLIGHTS OF SUMMER MUSIC SEASON

Sing with us when Summer Choir begins on June 16. Rehearsals are Sundays at 10 a.m. in the Peek Music Room (downstairs in Sanctuary building). To get connected, write "Summer Choir" on your WR card and a team member will reach out.

- **Next Sunday: Music Outreach Day**— The choir will make a road trip to First Presbyterian Church in Hamlet, 90 minutes east of Charlotte, to support and lead worship in a smaller congregation within our Presbytery.

SENIOR SUNDAY IS NEXT WEEK

Covenant will recognize high school graduates during worship at 9:30 and 11 a.m. A breakfast for seniors and families is at 9:45 a.m. in FH207. To get connected, write "Senior Sunday" on your WR card or contact Sally.Jackson@covenantpresby.org.

DEEP DIVE: ARE SCIENCE, RELIGION COMPATIBLE?

Sunday, June 9 at 7 p.m. in FH105

Are science and religion compatible? Are they necessarily at odds, or do they complement one another? How do miracles fit in? Weigh answers in the next Deep Dive Questions.

WITH YOUR HELP, FREEDOM SCHOOL LIFTS UP CHILDREN

You can read to a youngster, chaperone a field trip or donate supplies as we sponsor a Freedom School site for 60 children at Highland, our CMS partner school, from June 17 through July 25. To get connected, write "Freedom School" on your WR card.

SEEKING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ELDER NOMINEES

A committee has been established to nominate 10 adult church members and two youth members for terms beginning in January 2020. The deadline for nominations is June 30. Please visit CovenantPresby.org/eldernominations or write "Elder Nominations" on your WR card and a form will be provided to you.

GET OUTDOORS WITH COVENANT "WILD" LIFE

- **Fly fishing with Grady Moseley:** Friday to Sunday, June 14-16; Near Boone for two full days of wade fishing. We will stay at Valle Crucis Conference Center and fish nearby rivers, guided by Due South Outfitters. Fishing gear is provided.
- **A day at U.S. National Whitewater Center:** On Saturday, June 22, join Covenant folks for biking, hiking and organized activities throughout the day. We'll have a reserved tent from 4 to 8 p.m. for music and fellowship.
- **Fresh Air. Fellowship. Hike with Covenant:** We'll travel to Lake Norman State Park on Saturday, Aug. 3 at 9 a.m. for a 3-mile gentle hike.
- Write "Covenant Outdoors" on your WR card or visit CovenantPresby.org/hikewithcovenant.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AT COVENANT

Covenant has openings for an Associate Pastor for Congregational Life and Care; Director of High School Youth Ministries; and Director of Preschool. Please visit CovenantPresby.org/jobs to learn more and apply.

SERVING THIS SUMMER WITH COVENANT

High School Youth to Washington, DC	Bruce Bacon	High School Seniors to Yucatan	Adults to Avery County, NC
CG Brookhouse	Jacob Wise	Seth Billmire	Kay Wheeler
William Collins	Perrin Tribble	Kara Smith	Kim Barnhardt
Keegan Bader	Wilson Bacon	Hoyt Williams	Christy Moore
Anna Ferone	Thomas Beyer	Charles Blanton	Tripp Moore
Grayson Majord	Camille Becker	Katie Batten	Mike Brown
Ben Kluttz	Hank Hanus	Zane Shockley	Stephanie Guffin
Lindsey Batten	Lilly Hanus	Joel St. Onge	Alan Morrow
Mary John Beyer	Joe Sharpe	Laura McKinzie	Lucy Crain
Daniel Barchi	Walter McCann	Susan Billmire	Robin Goodson
Walton St. Onge	Anna Wade DuPuy	Sven Bader	Mary Parrish Coley
Tyler Bacon	Anna Longshore	Todd Capitano	Jeffrey D. Sanders
Katherine Roehrig	Reid Wilson	Tricia Smith	Summer Internship
Mike Ferone	Eli James	Ian Clark	In Education
Ashley Roehrig	Preston Manning	Stapleton-Davidson	Mary Kate McAlister
Marli Boyd	Kendal Moore	College Interns	
Kerry Hamilton	Daniel Larson	Nathan Jordan – Men's Shelter of Charlotte	
Middle School Youth to Heifer International	Rachel Guffin	Ramona Davis – Urban Promise	
Soraya Becker	Everett Harriss	Jack Swinson – Urban Ministry Center	
Wade Thompson	Robert Collins	Katie Macturk – Crisis Assistance Ministry/ Salvation Army	
JD DuPuy	Will McNairy	Cole Thornton – QC Family Tree	
James Batten	Finn Williams		
Stephanie Guffin	James Van Nort		
Andrew Virkler	Phelps Bacon		
Nik Van Nort	Garrett Baer		
Yls Virkler			