

SPECIAL GOOD SAM FOOD OFFERING

For the months of **September and October**, we will collect **canned fruit** to contribute to Good Sam's holiday food boxes. **Their** goal is to fill 1,500 boxes of food, so **OUR** goal is to collect as many cans as we possibly "can" towards their goal." If you are unable to shop in person and you would still like to help, you may contribute financially, and someone will go shopping for you. Just make your check payable to CPC and note on the memo line "fruit for Good Sam". Thank you!

COVENANT T-SHIRTS

You've seen them (they ARE pretty)...and now you want one!! Due to popular demand, we will place another order for CPC T-Shirts. Order forms are enclosed. The **deadline** to order this time is Sunday, Sept. 18.

THIS WEEK AT COVENANT

Today, Sept. 4

8:30a	Issues Class on Zoom
9:15a	Sojourner's Class on Zoom
9:45a	Bible Discovery Class
11:00a	Worship Service
7:00p	N.A. Mtg

Monday, Sept. 5 – Labor Day

Church Office Closed

7:00p	Communications/Outreach Comm Mtg
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Tuesday, Sept. 6

9:00a	Presbytery Meeting at Colonial Heights
10a—3p	<i>Good Sam Food Dropoff</i>
10:00a	Al-Anon Mtg
7:00p	Property Comm Mtg
7:00p	Al-Anon Mtg

Wednesday, Sept. 7

10a—3p	<i>Good Sam Food Dropoff</i>
7:00p	Chancel Choir
7:00p	N.A. Mtg

Thursday, Sept. 8

10a—3p	<i>Good Sam Food Dropoff</i>
Noon	Al-Anon Mtg

Friday, Sept. 9

6:30p	Al-Anon Mtg
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During each week of the Season of Peace, we'll be focusing on one of the four areas of peacemaking work the Presbyterian Mission Agency has invited us to consider. Week One is Climate Action!

Living in peace is not just about how we relate to other people but also about how we exist in God's creation. Some practical ideas for you to practice peacemaking this week include:

- Many of us like to walk and hike. Take along a small trash bag and clean up any litter that you see in your neighborhood or along the trail.
- Share a ride – take every opportunity to carpool with friends to work, school, or meetings. It saves gas consumption and is more fun!
- As you're mowing your grass or raking leaves this fall, start an all-natural compost pile (don't bag them in non-recyclable plastic!).
- Before the winter season, do an energy audit on your home. Identify areas that are hard to heat or appliances that draw more power and seek solutions before it gets cold.
- Making small changes to your diet can make a big difference in terms of climate impact. Consider a 'Meatless Monday' or try to intentionally eat local, in-season fruits and vegetables.