



SECOND SUNDAY POTLUCK—JULY 9, 2023



Join us in the Fellowship Hall after worship next Sunday for our monthly potluck meal. July's theme is **Summer Salads**. Please bring a dish, side, or a dessert to share.

BLACK/WHITE DIALOGUE—MONDAY, JULY 10, 2023

July's meeting of Black/White Dialogue will be from 6—8 PM at Carver Rec Center. The topic will be financial empowerment, part 2 (a continuation of the conversation from last month).

BWD Purpose: Black/White Dialogue has been created to assist in our communication efforts to share stories, information, joys, and concerns about our ability to come together as a people desiring community, understanding, respect, and support for one another.



TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME!



Join Covenant folks on **Tuesday, July 18** for the Johnson City Doughboys game! Come out to root for the home team at TVA ballpark and enjoy a fun time of fellowship together. No need to RSVP, just purchase your ticket at the gate and look for familiar faces in the crowd.

GOOD SAMARITAN FOOD OFFERING

We continue to collect the following items: **Canned foods with pop-tops** that are ready to eat “as is” for folks without resources to cook. Foods that do not require adding water or other ingredients would be ideal. Chef Boyardee canned foods, Vienna Sausages, Beanie Weenie, Soup, Fruit, Vegetable cups, etc. If you wish to make a monetary donation, we will pass it along, too. Remember, the Good Sam cart is outside in front of the church office Monday—Thursday from 10a—3p. Thank you for your generous donations to this local ministry!

COFFEE FROM CAFÉ JUSTO!

We are placing another group order for coffee from Café Justo as part of our partnership with Frontera de Cristo. There are green order forms on the table in the Narthex. Please be sure to specify ‘Ground’ or ‘Whole Bean’ **AND** ‘Dark’ or ‘Medium’!! **The deadline to turn in your order form is Sunday, July 30, 2023.**



SUMMER FUN!!

Mark your calendars! There will be a **Church-Wide Picnic and Pool Party** on **Saturday, August 26** at Betsy Moakler's clubhouse. (103 Sugarmill Drive, Johnson City, TN. 37604)



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Not much is happening in July.
Happy Summer!!!**





PRAYER CONCERNS



Carlyn Sue Hoffman; Kendall Harris; Evelyn Hill, Anne Trask's mother; Betty Thompson, Phyllis' mom; Sharon Benner; Annette Mullins, Holly Bland's mother; Jeff Lovelace (with our cleaning service); Vickie Koppel, friend of Don & Patti Coble; Allen White, Maggie's uncle; Cathy Eades, Jim Starr's cousin; Charlotte Brumit, Betsy Moakler's mother; all those affected by gun violence; all those in our community affected by Covid-19; the people of Ukraine, its neighbors, and the people of Russia.

Join us in continually lifting up in prayer our mission co-workers:

Bob & Kristi Rice: South Sudan † The Adams Maldonado Family: Frontera de Cristo

and these Covenant ministry partners:

UKirk ETSU (Pres. Campus Ministry) † Holston Presbytery Camp † Good Samaritan Ministries
The River † BABMOC

NAME TAGS AND CONTACT INFO

If you are a member or a regular visitor, or even if you have just started coming to Covenant, you **most likely** have a name badge hanging on the wall in the Narthex. (to the left of the door to the Library) We're asking **everyone** to wear their name tags while at the church to make it easier to get to know each other. **If you don't find one with your name on it, please let us know!**

Also, if you would like to be added to our **congregation-wide email list**, please send a message to Tina at office@cpcjc.org. Include your address & phone number if you feel comfortable doing so.



ELDERS OF COVENANT (SESSION)

Class of 2023

Kathi Cary, Worship, Admin/Budget
Lauri Zembower, Admin/Budget

Class of 2024

Cynthia Erdei, Local & World-Wide Missions
Stacy Larsen, Congregational Life
Ron Smith, Communications/Outreach



Class of 2025

Patti Coble, Christian Education
Ann Freeman, Clerk of Session, Communications/Outreach
Hal Hunter, Property
Phyllis Thompson, Local & World-Wide Missions

ONLINE GIVING

Did you know that you can make your contributions to the church online? Besides online giving or dropping off or mailing a check, it is also easy (and free) to set up automatic payments through your banking institution or online BillPay. Thank you for continuing to support the work of Covenant Presbyterian Church. If you have any questions, please contact Tina in the church office.

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MAY TREASURER'S REPORT

Income to General Fund

May

Actual **\$16,903.73
vs. Budgeted \$17,981.67

Expenses from General Fund

May

Actual \$15,237.14
vs. Budgeted \$17,981.67

Year to Date Income

General Fund

Actual \$117,344.81
vs. Budgeted \$89,908.35

Year to Date Expenses from

General Fund

Actual \$83,586.16
vs. Budgeted \$89,908.35

***The 5-Cents a Meal Offering
for May was \$108.00.***

*****includes pre-paid pledges from 2022
and applied to 2023.***



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MISSION STATEMENT

Covenant Presbyterian Church exists to glorify and enjoy God. We live knowing that God calls us to be a place of love, support, hope and acceptance regardless of earthly labels. Jesus Christ commissions us to make disciples and passionately share our gifts with the world through prayer, teaching, and service. The Holy Spirit allows us to determine and carry out Christ’s will for our lives and the life of our church and empowers us to seek out and respond to the needs of our local and global community.



Covenant is proud to be an **Earth Care Congregation**, a **More Light Church** – supporting the LGBTQ+ community, and a **PC(USA) Matthew 25 Church** – committed to dismantling structural racism, eradicating systemic poverty, and building congregational vitality.