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## New Covenant Church **CONNECTION**

*Our monthly newsletter for you and your family.*

# March 2024

*Promoting a life-changing faith within a loving fellowship*

# Easter

AT NEW COVENANT CHURCH

He is Risen!  
Death is abolished.  
Join us celebrating  
changing triumph



## WORSHIP HOUR 9:30a

*Children of all ages are always welcome in service and encouraged to participate as appropriate.*

- ❖ Need to nurse your baby? Please take advantage of the Nursing Mother's Lounge furnished with rockers, changing table, bottled water, and a live stream of our service, located just outside the sanctuary across from the Ladies Restroom.
- ❖ Need a little extra help? Please feel free to take your child (those under 3 years) to our Nursery. Please check-in at the Welcome Desk located in our Admin Connector.

## DISCIPLESHIP HOUR 11:10a

CLASS	AGE	ROOM NUMBER
Nursery	0-18 mos	C102
Toddler	18-36 mos	C104
Preschool	3 yrs	C105
K4	4 yrs	C109
K5	5 yrs	C114
1st & 2nd Grade		C111
3rd Grade		C110
The Bridge (4th & 5th Grade)		C112

Children must be accompanied by an adult to and from the children's building and checked-in at the Welcome Desk.  
Thank you for helping us love your children by keeping them safe.

Leila Sconyers,  
Youth & Family Life  
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## Covenant Kids Start Time

**CHECK-IN BEGINS AT  
11:05 AND DOORS  
OPEN AT 11:10!**



Dear Covenant Kids Families,

We want to share a gentle reminder and a heartfelt request! Beginning this Sunday, we will be testing a new system for our Covenant Kids program. In order to ensure the safety and well-being of our children and to provide our dedicated teachers with a smooth transition between the sermon and discipleship, we kindly ask that children do not enter the C Building corridor until 11:05. Each child must be escorted by a parent or guardian to check in.

This adjustment comes from a place of love and care for our Covenant Kids community, and it is our desire to create a fun and nurturing environment for all our children! We appreciate your understanding and support as we work together to make this transition a positive experience for everyone involved.

Thank you for your cooperation, and we look forward to seeing our Covenant Kids grow in faith and love!

**Blessings,**



# Sunday

MARCH 31 | 9:30am

the world-  
of Christ's  
resurrection!

## ADULT

### The Book of Revelation | Pastor David Rountree | A101

There is a better, more consistent and accurate way to interpret prophetic scripture than using novels, movies, television shows or current events as stimulants. The Book of Revelation Discipleship Class will lead you to a clear, certain and accurate understanding of the last book of the Bible. The four dominate views of the book of Revelation will be discussed to eliminate deception as we seek to unpack the consistent message of the Book of Revelation paragraph by paragraph. The study of this book comes with the promise of blessing, "Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of the prophecy, and heeds the things which are written in it; for the time is near" (Revelation 1:3). The goal of this class will be to make the book of Revelation much less foreboding and much easier to love, cherish and apply. Come join us.

### Church History 4 | Pastor Tom Buitert | A211

A lot has happened between the Reformation and the present day. Yet how much do we know about the people and places of the first generations after the reformation or even from a few generations ago? The Church Militant has weathered many storms and had favorable winds fill her sails. Join us for a quarter of exploring history and hearing the story of the church brought to the present.

### Building A Biblical Worldview | Elders Joey Thames & Rob Wright | A213

Every one has a pair of glasses that help one see the world and answer the great questions (Who am I? What is God? Why are we here?). But does every one have lenses that are shaped and clarified by the Bible? In this class we will explore the components that build a world view and interact with various worldviews in history and today to better understand our world and minds.

### College & Career | Dr. Dirk Graves & Dr. William Milford | B108

In this class we will cover various life topics such as: Priorities, Decision Making, Biblical worldview, Technology, Stewardship, Witnessing, and Goals. We will have some guest speakers as well as some fun review games. If you are in the college and career age group and stage of life, please join us!

## YOUTH

### HIGH SCHOOL | A214

Tim Pitzer & Rob Wright

Students will be going through the entire bible over the next four years through a curriculum called, "rooted ministry". Each week we will look at a different text and learn how it applies to our lives.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL | B105

Tim Pitzer & Dexter Williams





## DOZ CAMP 2024

Daughters of Zion Camp is a summer day camp designed for girls to come and learn to "Praise Him with tambourine and dancing." (Psalm 150)  
Camp week involves dance instruction, worship, Bible lessons, snacks, recreation & fellowship.



<b>WHO</b>	Rising 1st-7th grade girls	<b>CAMP FEE</b>	\$70 / First time camper (includes tambourine)
<b>TIME</b>	1-4 Mon-Thu; 1-3 Friday		\$50 / Returning camper
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Friday, June 21 @ 6:30 PM		
<b>REGISTER</b>	Available starting April 10th (We expect camp to fill up quickly)	<b>CONTACT</b>	caseyboyte@gmail.com 864-934-2560 (text)
<b>MORE INFO</b>	dozinsc.wordpress.com		

**JUNE 17-21, 2024**

## New Covenant School Welcomes New Head of School, Chaston Hart



*Scholé*  
AT NEW COVENANT

February 20, 2024

The School Board of New Covenant School is thrilled to announce the appointment of Chaston Hart as Head of School, beginning in the '24/'25 academic term. The Head of School Search Committee conducted a nationwide search, interviewing 16 applicants for presentation to the School Board and Session of New Covenant Church. Ultimately, Chaston was unanimously selected as a leader called by God, and uniquely gifted for the position.

Chaston comes with nearly a decade of experience at The Habersham School, a Classical, Christian, Covenantal school in Savannah, GA. With particular expertise in the business office, advancement office, and school organizational systems, Chaston brings complimentary gifts to a team that's dedicated to partnering with parents in the education of their children.

Ron Sconyers, Chair of the Board of Directors, said, "God, in his providence, led Chaston to us. We were drawn to his youthful energy and enthusiasm, combined with his impressive experience and qualifications. We are confident that God has appointed Chaston to be the leader to guide our school into the future." Tyler VanFossen, Dean at NCS added, "What excites me more than his skill set, which is going to be a huge asset to our team, is his desire to send deep roots into Upstate SC. I think he sees what God is doing here and wants to put his hand to the plow for years to come and I am excited to do that right alongside him."



Chaston shared, "I am beyond grateful and humbled by this opportunity and cannot wait to join the New Covenant community – one that has already become a blessing to Cat and me throughout this process. New Covenant is a special place and I'm overjoyed to see what the Lord has in store for His people here in Anderson."

Dr. David Rountree, Senior Pastor at New Covenant Church, noted, "Chaston Hart understands the NCS Head of School position is a spiritual position and comes to be a godly man among us representing Jesus Christ his Lord and Savior who has died to build his church from the young to the old. He gets covenantal theology and why NCS is such a wonderful and exciting ministry of New Covenant Church."

## TRUE Girls' Discipleship Groups

### TRUE 1

5th Grade  
Janae May & Judy Ross  
Wednesdays 4:00p  
Home of Judy Ross

### TRUE 2

6th Grade  
Pat Bodie & Sharon Myer  
Wednesdays 4:00p  
\*Home of Pat Bodie\* NEW LOCATION

### TRUE 3 "BLOSSOMS"

7th & 8th Grade  
Cathy Browne & Donna Drago  
Wednesdays 4:30p | Rm A101

### TRUE 3 "HONEY BEES"

7th & 8th Grade  
Sarah Curnow & Brenda Patterson  
Wednesdays 4:00p | Rm A211





**OVER AGE 55?**

# Let's Do Lunch

**Join our OWLS**  
(New Covenant's Oldest, Wisest, Liveliest Saints!)

**for some food, fun and fellowship!**

**TUES. MAR 12**  
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

**RAINES ON MAIN**  
312 S MAIN ST

Sign-up outside sanctuary or contact  
Brenda Patterson  
864.908.0999

# Hall of Men

**Friday March 15 - 6:30p**

Men and their sons and dads are invited to gather together. We pray, eat together, toast in honor of God-given qualities, then conclude with either scripture reading, sometimes responsive, followed by a charge to be more like Jesus.

**Pastor Tom Buiter, Speaker**

Please bring \$5 for the meal and drink to share.  
For more details and to RSVP to Joey Thames  
<http://tinyurl.com/hallofmen>

**Home of Andy Rountree**  
108 Benfield's Ridge - Belton

## GIRLS BIBLE STUDY

**BEGINNING THE FIRST WEEK OF MARCH!**

This semester our bible study will be reading through "From Death to Life" by The Daily Grace Co. This study centers on the beauty of the gospel and how Christ's grace and forgiveness encourage us to die to ourselves and live for Jesus. This study seeks to answer questions like: What does it look like to live for Christ? How do we pursue obedience to Jesus while battling our sinful flesh? How do we have hope on this side of eternity as we live with the presence of sin? The girls will also learn how to study scripture inductively, using observation worksheets.



**MEETING TIMES:**

- 9th Grade: Wednesdays from 4-5:45PM  
First Meeting- March 6th
- 10th-12th Grade: Thursdays from 4-5:45PM  
First Meeting- March 7th

Both groups will meet in the church conference room




Middle and High School Girls

# Galentines *Tea Party*

"We love because He first loved us"  
1 John 4:19

Please join us for  
brunch, fun, and  
fellowship!

**2nd**  
**March 2024**  
**@10AM**



111 Victoria  
Circle  
RSVP to Leila

**Wear  
PJs!**

@864-934-3075

## for women COFFEE TALK

Come together for a cozy evening to discuss  
how the Lord has been working in your life  
over a cup of coffee.

Get to know other women in the church and  
learn their stories.

Share your thoughts as to what areas of the  
Bible you would love to study more!



✦ **MARCH 25 | 6PM** ✦

NEW COVENANT  
HOSPITALITY AREA

RSVP BY SCANNING THIS  
CODE:



## Women BIBLE STUDIES

### Tuesday Bible Study | Judy Ross

Studying 1 Samuel

Tuesday Mornings | 9:00am | Conference Room  
(Childcare Provided)

### Wednesday Bible Study | Judy Ross & Patti Rountree

Studying 1 Samuel

Wednesdays | 12:00pm | Conference Room

### Mikala Pannell Group

Studying Ephesians

Wednesday Evenings

6:00pm | Conference Room

Questions? Email [pannell@ncchurch.net](mailto:pannell@ncchurch.net)



Rise and shine for some  
early morning  
Discipleship And Weekly Nurture  
as we study  
the New City Catechism.

# DAWN

Wednesdays @ 6:45a

DAWN is designed for men, especially fathers and grandfathers, to attend with their children and grandchildren of all ages to hear biblical teaching and pray together. However, all are welcome to join us and bring friends!  
Ends Promptly at 7:30a.

Breakfast includes Chick-fil-a biscuits, cereal, milk, juice & coffee and will be available for \$3.

LED BY ASSOCIATE PASTOR, TIM PITZER  
PITZER@NCCHURCH.NET



## NEW COVENANT YOUTH

TIM PITZER - PITZER@NCCHURCH.NET - 843.816.0750

**MARCH  
2024**

### YOUTH GROUP

Wednesdays  
March 6, 13, 20 & 27  
Middle School  
6:15-7:30  
High School  
7:15-8:30  
Youth Room B105

**RYM FINAL PAYMENT  
DEADLINE**  
Friday, March 29th

## Men's Bible Study Group

**TUESDAYS  
6:00P | RM A101**

LED BY  
**ELDER JOE NOBLITT**  
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## COLLEGE ministry

HEY! College Students,  
to stay up to date on events  
and info, scan this code to join  
our college groupme



Youth & Family Life Pastor | Tim Pitzer | pitzer@ncchurch.net | 843.816.0750





# NEW COVENANT SCHOOL

## COVENANTAL CHRISTIAN CLASSICAL



## GRANDPARENTS AND LOVED ONES DAY 2024



<https://www.newcovschool.net>

## MARCH SERMONS

03 | Philippians 3:4-7 | Kissing Goodness Goodbye

10 | Philippians 3:8-11 | Knowing Christ

17 | Philippians 3:8 | Surpassing Worth of Christ

24 | PALM SUNDAY | 2 Chronicles 26 | Uzziah

31 | EASTER | 2 Timothy 1:8-10 | Christ Abolishes Death

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

### March 2024

02 Niko Elliott	16 David Bass
03 Jeff Lopez	Lydia Langley
Elsie Wells	Case White
04 Dennis Mortenson	18 Jeanine Baker
Timothy Rountree	Patrick Morgano
06 Laurel Kurland	19 Cathy Browne
07 Kelsey Cavender	Oceana Cecil
09 Angela Cochran	Patrick Chastain
Amberly Deavours	20 Annily Deavours
Donna Rogers	Todd Wade
Sophie Wisdom	Ivey Kate Williams
10 Zach Morris	22 Abby Wilson
11 Weston Alexander	23 Bill May
Tanya Barber	Kaleb West
Marcus Miller	24 Chase Ducworth
Ruthie Pitzer	25 Tim Seel
Drew Williams	27 Annette Hardy
12 Felicity Huguet	Patti Rountree
13 Melissa Canney	28 John McKay
Liam Hopkins	29 Ryan Lee
14 Stryder Nelson	Liz Pearson
15 Norm Lefmann	Harper Williams
John Thomas Locke	31 Tim Cutliff
Sarah Williams	George Ducworth
06 Johnny & Judy Ross (48)	
10 Hawes & Laura Lomas (68)	
12 Sam & Kim Merritt (30)	
17 David & Sara Beth Bass (17)	
18 Reese & Carrie Miller (1)	
Chris & Laurie Owens (29)	
20 Michael & Lauren Harrington (14)	
Rusty & Tammy Ramsey (2)	
25 Tim & Kristy Williamson (29)	
26 Marshall & Ann Welch (57)	
27 Jarrad & Stephanie Evans (25)	
28 Jay & Mary Long (32)	



# March 2024 Events

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
<b>NCC MISSION: WHOLEHEARTED LOVE FOR GOD AND MAN THROUGH EXALTATION, EVANGELISM AND EDIFICATION. (MARK 12:30-31; MATTHEW 28:17-20)</b>					1 VBS Registration Opens	2 Youth Girls Galentines Tea Party - 10:00am
3 <b>WORSHIP - 9:30a</b> Discipleship Class - 11:10a RUF - 7:30p	4 Lil Cavs Boys Camp - 3:00p Ballet - 3:15p	5 Ross WBS - 9:00a Lil Lady Cavs Camp - 3:00p Noblitt MBS - 6:00p RUF Rehearsal - 7:30p	6 DAWN - 6:45a WPG - 10:30a Rountree WBS - 11:45a 9th Grade GBS - 4:00p TRUE 1 & 2 - 4:00p TRUE 3 Honey Bees - 4:00p TRUE 3 Blossoms - 4:30p Pannell WBS - 6:00p MS Youth Group - 6:15p HS Youth Group - 7:15p	7 10th-12th GBS - 4:00p Strings TR - 6:00p WTR - 7:00p	8	9
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17 <b>WORSHIP - 9:30a</b> Discipleship Class - 11:10a NCS Athletic Banquet - 4:00p RUF - 7:30p	18 Lil Cavs Boys Camp - 3:00p Ballet - 3:15p Orchestra TR - 6:00p WTR - 7:00p	19 Ross WBS - 9:00a Lil Lady Cavs Camp - 3:00p Noblitt MBS - 6:00p RUF Rehearsal - 7:30p	20 DAWN - 6:45a WPG - 10:30a Rountree WBS - 11:45a 9th Grade GBS - 4:00p TRUE 1 & 2 - 4:00p TRUE 3 Honey Bees - 4:00p TRUE 3 Blossoms - 4:30p Pannell WBS - 6:00p MS Youth Group - 6:15p HS Youth Group - 7:15p	21	22	23
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31 <b>EASTER</b> <b>WORSHIP - 9:30a</b> Discipleship Class - 11:10a RUF - 7:30p	<b>CALENDAR KEY:</b> BB=Basketball GBS= Youth Girls Bible Study HS=High School MBS=Men's Bible Study			MS=Middle School NCS=New Covenant School RUF=Reformed University Fellowship @ AU TRUE=Girls Discipleship Group		
			VBS=Vacation Bible School WBS=Women's Bible Study WPG=Women's Prayer Group WTR=Worship Team Rehearsal			