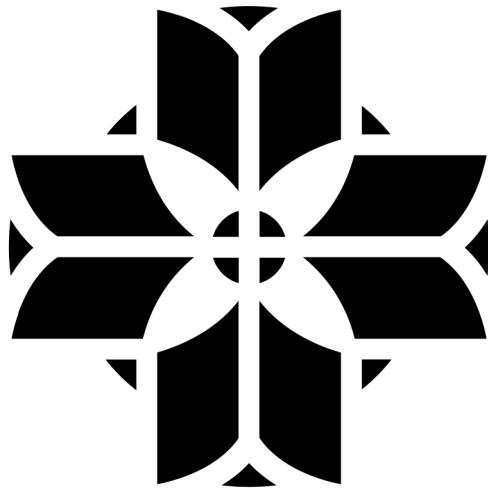


*“You have exalted above all things Your name and Your word.”*

*Psalm 138:2*



# COVENANT ALIANZA

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH • IGLESIA PRESBITERIANA

February 15, 2026

# Welcome to Covenant Presbyterian Church!

Welcome to Covenant Presbyterian Church! We would love to meet you. After the service please stop by our Welcome Table in the lobby so that we can meet you, share some information, and answer any of your questions. Our church is filled with wonderful people eager to meet you, minister to you, and help you get connected. Blessings in Christ.

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## Worship Service

February 15, 2026

**Gathering Song**

**“Christus Victor”**

**Welcome**

**Opening Prayer**

**Call to Worship**

**Psalm 30:4-5**

***Leader:***

Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints,  
and give thanks to his holy name.  
For his anger is but for a moment,  
and his favor is for a lifetime.  
Weeping may tarry for the night,  
but joy comes with the morning.

**Song of Praise**

**“For All the Saints”**

**Confession of Sin**

***Congregation:***

O Lord of Hosts,  
We rejoice in Christ and recognize our need of a Savior.  
We have sinned and fallen short of Your glory.  
We have lived lives that focus on our glory, our comfort, our pleasures, and our desires.  
We have loved the world instead of loving You.  
We have transgressed Your good and holy law.  
We have gossiped, slandered, and lusted.

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- **A Soundproof Room** is available within the kitchen if you or someone you love needs a place to be free to make some noise while still being able to participate in the worship service.
- **Lyric Sheets** are available at the sound booth for those who cannot see the screen.
- **Headsets** are available at the sound booth for the hearing impaired.

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We have been jealous, envious, and immoral.  
We have no hope and no joy outside of Christ.  
We ask forgiveness in His name. Amen.

## Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 55:6-9

### **Leader:**

Seek the LORD while he may be found;  
call upon him while he is near;  
let the wicked forsake his way,  
and the unrighteous man his thoughts;  
let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him,  
and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.  
For my thoughts are not your thoughts,  
neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD.  
For as the heavens are higher than the earth,  
so are my ways higher than your ways  
and my thoughts than your thoughts.

## Song of Reverence

**"How Sweet and Awful Is the Place"**

## Global Prayer Focus

## Prayer of Intercession

*Please pass the attendance registers down your row.*

## God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*Checks or cash may be placed in the offering baskets as they are passed or dropped off at, or mailed to the church at 32 Southgate Court, Suite 101, Harrisonburg, VA 22801.*

## Song of Peace

**"Be Still, My Soul"**

*Children ages 3 through Pre-K are dismissed for Children's Church.*

## Sermon

**Todd Pruitt**

*The Book of Revelation*  
Part 31: The Messages of the Three Angels  
Revelation 14:6-13  
(Pew Bible Page #972)

## Song of Response

**"Christ Our Hope in Life and Death"**

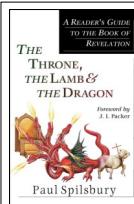
## Announcements

**"Doxology"**

## Benediction

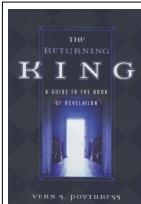
## Recommended Reading

The Book Nook is currently featuring some excellent titles on the Book of Revelation and the Bible's teaching on last things. If the book is not available in our Book Nook, you may purchase it from your favorite book seller.



*The Throne, The Lamb, and The Dragon: A Reader's Guide to the Book of Revelation* by Paul Spilsbury

A concise and easy to read overview of the Book of Revelation with special emphasis on helping the reader understand the symbolic language of this often times challenging portion of God's Word.



*The Returning King: A Guidebook to the Book of Revelation* by Vern Poythress

"A remarkably clear and easy-to-read exposition.

Although written for the 'man in the pew,' this work reveals not only a broad knowledge of the literature on Revelation but also a great deal of personal reflection on its meaning for life in today's world."

— Robert Mounce



*The Future of Everything: Essential Truths About the End Times* by William Boekestein

"Here is a clear, orderly survey of what the Bible teaches us to expect as God works out His purpose for His world."

— J.I. Packer

**Building map in print version, available on site.**

# Children's Ministries

## Check-in

Check in your children for Sunday ministries at any of our four stations (Main, Nursery, or Children's Wing lobbies). All participating children must wear their printed nametag.

## Nursery

### Nursery

Nursery is available for infants (newborns, creepers, and crawlers), walkers (confident walkers), and toddlers (twos to threes) during today's services as long as enough volunteers are secured.

## Early Childhood Sunday School

*For ages 3 prior to September 30, 2025, and potty-trained through Pre-K*

**Early Childhood Lesson Plan:** Jesus chose 12 disciples and equipped them with everything they needed to go out and serve Him. (Matthew 10; Luke 9)

### Children's Church

Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten's Children's Church is held in the Activity Room (1st service) and C-109 (2nd service). Children are released at a specified time during worship and will return for the doxology and benediction. Please pick them up at the end of the service from the front row on the piano side of the sanctuary.

### Sunday School for Preschool and Pre-K 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Sunday School classrooms—Preschool: C-106, Pre-K: C-104

## Elementary Sunday School

### Sunday School for Grades K-5 10:00-11:00 a.m.

After check-in, Grades 1-5 meet in the Activity Room before heading to class. Kindergarten goes directly to their classroom during the Sunday School hour.

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| Kindergarten: | 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade: C-200 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade: C-203 | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade: C-204 | 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade: C-205 | 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade: C-206 |
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## Youth Sunday School

### Youth Sunday School for Grades 6-12, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

**6th Grade, meets in Annex 4** | led by Gary and Becky Shickel, and Clark and Brooke Driver

**Jr High, Grades 7-8, meets in Annex 6** | led by Mike Martin, Keith Fowler, Tyler Garman, Kelly Kidd, and Ashley Hormel

**Sr. High, Grades 9-12, meets in the Youth Room** | led by Pastor John Kidd and Pastor Todd Pruitt

*(Building map on previous page)*

## Adult Sunday School

December 7—February 22

**Disciplines of a Godly Man** meets in Multi-purpose Room West, taught by elders Isaac Hutchison, Larry Chico, and Anthony Tongen | The first edition of this book was written over thirty years ago, and the impact is hard to ignore as it holds the ranks as a classic work on mature Christian faith. Every Christian must be equipped in the commands and wisdom of Scripture. When so many books on discipleship are either way too thin or leave out significant matters, this book does not. We encourage you to get a copy at our Book Nook (\$11) and join us as we seek to walk in disciplines that God has for every man. Interpretation in Spanish will be available.

**Disciplines of a Godly Woman** meets in Multi-purpose Room East, taught by members Amanda Severns and Jill Propst, and Director of Women's Ministry, Sarah DeBoer | After her husband published Disciplines of a Godly Man, Barbara undertook the work to produce for the church a complementary work of similar value. She will challenge us to grow in Christian maturity, showing what Titus 2 means in everyday life. She unpacks the rich and proper Biblical disciplines that all women need for life and godliness. Please get a copy in the Book Nook (\$11) and join us as we seek to walk in disciplines that God has for every woman. Interpretation in Spanish will be available.

**Covenant Theology for High School Students** meets in the Mezzanine, led by Pastors John Kidd and Todd Pruitt | Covenant theology helps us see the Bible as one connected story of God's faithful plan to redeem a people for himself. In this class we will explore how God relates to his creation through covenants, which are commitments he makes and fulfills, beginning with Adam and ending with the Second Adam, Jesus Christ. This class will be taught to high school students, but all are welcome to join as we study, discuss, and deepen our understanding of God's faithful, saving work.

**All Nations Class** meets in the Library, led by several members including Kellie Grathwol, Deb Grathwol, and Jeremy Samsoe | This class provides a welcoming environment to connect across language and cultural differences as we visit, read the sermon's Scripture passage, pray together, and have open discussion.

**Through the Roof Adults** meets in W-10, led by members Linda Krause, Jason Miller, and Sarah Pruett | This class provides adults affected by disability with the opportunity to connect and digest God's Word in an easy-to-understand format. Join us on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays.

**Through the Roof Support Group** meets in W-10, led by Laura Flint and Sarah Pruett | This class provides parents, grandparents, and caregivers the opportunity to connect, share resources, and discuss challenges that come with living and caring for a child or adult with a disability. Join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays.

# Covenant Family News

We celebrate with Iain and Clara Slater, the birth of their daughter Heidi Irene on Wednesday, February 3. Heidi weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces and was 20 inches long. She is welcomed by big brother Bowman, grandparents Joe and Terri Slater, and numerous uncles, aunts, and cousins.

## Covenant Family Life

### Moms and Tots

*Wednesdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Activity Room unless otherwise noted*

CPC Playgroup is for moms and caregivers with children from birth to 5 years old. It is time during the week for our children to play and for us to have conversation and fellowship. We'd love for you to join us! Please reach out to Haley Kerlin with any questions.

- February 18—Fun obstacle course with riding toys
- February 25—Potluck and guest speaker

### Youth Ministries

**Today, February 15, 4:00-5:45 pm: Youth Group!** Youth meet at the activity room.

**Next Sunday, February 22, 4:00-5:45 p.m.: Youth Group!** Youth meet at the activity room.

### Theology Night for College-Aged Young Adults

*Today, February 15, 4:00 p.m.*

This is a time for college-aged young adults ages 18-24+ to discuss theology with Pastor Todd. We will meet tonight at the home of Gary and Becky Shickel. Dinner will be served after the discussion ends at 5:30 p.m. Please make sure to register using the "Registrations" QR code below if you plan to attend.

### Women's Bible Studies

We welcome all women to participate in a Bible study. These are wonderful opportunities for fellowship, connection, and growth in God's Word. Visit our website (Ministries/Women/Bible Studies) for details and contacts for each study.

### Men's Breakfast

*Saturday, February 21, 8:30 a.m.—10:00 a.m., Activity Room*

You and your older sons are invited to join us for our next quarterly breakfast. We will meet for food and fellowship and continue through our series in 2 Timothy. Use the "Registrations" QR code on below to sign up. Please see this as a great opportunity to invite a friend or neighbor.

### Men's Bible Studies

We welcome you to join a morning or afternoon Bible study this season. This is a great weekly opportunity to meet other men in the church, grow in your faith, and encourage others to do the same. Visit our website (Ministries/Men/Bible Studies) and use the contact information to reach out to a leader for more details.

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- To [see our calendar](#), visit our website (Get Connected/Calendar) for a complete list of church events.
- To [register for events](#), scan the QR code at the right.

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Registrations

## **Through the Roof Valentine's Day Game Night**

*Saturday, February 21, 5:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m., Multi-purpose Room East*

Get to know our friends in TTR! This event is for high school-aged teens and adults with disabilities and their families to connect with other families in our church for an evening of fun. We'll have crafts, group games, plus dinner and dessert. Please contact Sarah Pruett if you would like to attend.

## **Welcome to Covenant Class**

Our Welcome to Covenant **Sunday School class will begin on March 1**. If you are not already a member, we would love it if you would consider joining us. Whether you have recently started attending Covenant, or have been with us for years, we hope you will consider joining our family of believers here! If attending the Sunday School class doesn't suit your schedule, we will also be offering a condensed version of the class on the **evenings of March 8-9, 6:00-8:30 p.m.** You can register for either class by scanning the "[Registrations QR code on the previous page](#) or by visiting the church website. Taking the Welcome to Covenant class does not bind you to membership, but it is the first step toward becoming a member. Scripture makes it clear that church membership is an invaluable facet of life in Christ's kingdom, so we pray that you will consider pursuing membership at Covenant. If you have any questions about the class, contact Sarah Plonsky ([spolonsky@cov-pres.org](mailto:spolonsky@cov-pres.org)).

## **Opportunities to Serve**

### **Meals Needs**

Are you able to provide a meal to one of the families in our church body? This is a great opportunity to encourage someone you know, and a wonderful chance to connect with and encourage a family you don't know. You might even consider teaming up with someone to provide a meal. Thank you for sharing Christ's love in this way. You may sign up at [www.takethemameal.com](http://www.takethemameal.com). Contact the church office for passwords.

**Tyler and Niki Amiss** Harrisonburg

**Kevin and Hailee Chico** Harrisonburg

**Dan and Caroline Luther** Keezletown

**Iain and Clara Slater** Rockingham

**Cedar Hill Kid's Club snacks** (last name: Cedar Hill, password: cedarhill) Harrisonburg

**Mosby/Millwood Kids' Club snacks** (last name: Mosby, password: kidsclub) Harrisonburg

### **Church Events**

We have numerous events in the life of our church in the next few months that require multiple hands for various tasks. Sharon Armentrout, our hospitality coordinator, is seeking volunteers to help! Scan the QR code to see the needs and sign up where you are able to serve. There are a variety of dates and times.



## **Community Announcements**

### **AVA Care—Pregnancy Center Fundraiser**

AVA Care's Change for Life baby bottles are due today! If you forgot your bottle, bring it next Sunday or you can drop it off at AVA Care of Harrisonburg located at 847 Martin Luther King, Jr. Way in Harrisonburg. If you have a bottle that has not been filled, please return that as well. AVA will reuse the bottles for future campaigns. Learn more about the ministry of AVA Care by visiting their website ([support.avacareforyou.org](http://support.avacareforyou.org)).

## Financial Information

### **Electronic Giving**

We have set up online giving as a convenience for you to give on a one-time or ongoing basis. Visit our website, [www.cov-pres.org](http://www.cov-pres.org), and click on "GIVE" or log on to the Church Center app to manage your donations from there. There is a feature which allows you to make a donation to cover the processing fees charged by the credit card companies. The box is automatically checked with the amount filled in. If you'd rather not add this amount to your donation, simply uncheck the box. You may also pay through the Church Center app. After you log on to the app, click on "GIVE" button.



### **Online Banking - Bill Pay**

Another easy and convenient way to give is to make use of the online bill pay feature that is often available as a part of online banking by many banks (you will have to check with your bank to verify the availability of this feature). When making use of this feature, request a paper check to be sent to the church office rather than an electronic check, and a check in the amount you designate will be sent directly from the bank to Covenant Presbyterian Church. Please have your bank use the following mailing address: 32 Southgate Ct., Suite 101, Harrisonburg, VA 22801.

# Covenant Care Connections

## Counseling

Greg Becker, Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), provides counseling free to members of Covenant. He is the first step in receiving individual or family counseling through Covenant. You may make an appointment with him by scanning the QR code or calling him at the church office. At your first appointment, Greg will help you to determine the best course of care which may utilize Journey Counseling Ministry or other fee-based community resources.



## After Hours Care Line

A pastor is on call when the church office is closed. In the case of a personal or family emergency (serious illness or death) on the weekend or after office hours, call 540-755-4725. If the phone is not answered, leave a message. Please note that this number is to be used *only* in the case of person or family emergencies that occur outside of business hours.

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**Ministry Contacts are available on the church app directory  
or by contacting the church office (office@cov-pres.org, 540-433-3051)**

### **Adult Sunday School**

Aaron Roberts

### **American Heritage Girls**

Christine Say

### **Children's Ministry**

Lisa Updike

### **ESL**

Sarah Kalichman

### **Greeters**

Sarah Plonsky

### **Home Groups**

Aaron Roberts

### **Kids' Club**

Sarah Kalichman

Dawn Frederick

### **Men's Ministry**

Aaron Roberts

### **Mercy Ministry**

Mark Bentz

### **Missions Ministry**

Keith Fowler

### **Moms and Tots Playgroup**

Susanna Glenn

Amelia Graves

Haley Kerlin

### **Prayer Chain**

Church Office

### **Trail Life**

Mark Say

### **Through the Roof**

Sarah Pruitt

### **Welcome and Assimilation**

Sarah Plonsky

### **Women's Ministry**

Sarah DeBoer

### **Worship Ministry**

Burress McCombe

### **Youth Ministry**

John Kidd

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## **Pastoral Staff • Teaching Elders**

Todd Pruitt, Lead Pastor  
Tim Frost, Executive Pastor  
Burress McCombe, Pastor of Worship  
John Kidd, Pastor of Youth Ministries  
Aaron Roberts, Pastor of Adult Discipleship  
Phil Mahaffey, Pastor of Cross-Cultural Ministries

## **Ministry Staff**

Greg Becker, Director of Congregational Care and Counseling  
Grace Good, Director of Administration  
Lisa Updike, Director of Children's Ministries  
Kendal Butler, Associate Director of Finance  
Sarah DeBoer, Associate Director of Women's Ministries  
Colleen Ernst, Associate Director of Youth Ministries  
Sarah Kalichman, Cross-Cultural Community Liaison, MNA  
Sarah Plonsky, Associate Director of Welcome and Assimilation

## **Support Staff**

Sharon Armentrout, Hospitality Coordinator  
Nancy Frutuozo, Ministry Support  
Rebecca Griffin, Ministry Support  
Nínive Logie, Ministry Support  
Melissa Ritter, Ministry Support  
Reilly Zwanzig, Ministry Support

## **Facility Staff**

Drew Brunk, Facilities Manager  
Gus Kagey, Custodian  
Jeremy Keplinger, Custodian

## **Ruling Elders**

|                 |                 |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Hal Baker**     | Mike Marsh*     |
| Greg Becker     | J.D. Patton     |
| Larry Chico     | Don Perkuchin** |
| Ryan Chico      | Gary Shickel    |
| Steve Draper**  | Jim Smith       |
| Isaac Hutchison | John Stevens    |
| David Lee       | Anthony Tongen  |
| Josh Lookabill* | Jerry Weniger   |

## **Deacons**

|                 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Mark Bentz      | Reid Linn**       |
| Mike Brady*     | Daniel Long       |
| Marshall Butler | Justin Michael    |
| Mike Downey     | Greg Montgomery*  |
| Doug Frederick  | Terry Pennington  |
| Angel Garcia*   | Matt Reidenbach   |
| Chris Goehner*  | Mark Shickel      |
| Dennis Houff    | John Wickenheiser |
| Ben Jacobsen    | Michael Wilburn   |
| Chet Landes     | Mike Yoder        |

*\*Sabbatical   \*\*Emeritus*

## **Contact Information**

**Worship Facility Address:** 546 W. Mosby Rd., Harrisonburg, VA 22801  
**Offices and Mailing Address:** 32 Southgate Ct., Suite 101, Harrisonburg, VA 22801  
**Office Hours:** Monday, Wednesday-Friday 9:00-4:00 p.m., Tuesday, 11:00-4:00 p.m.  
**Phone:** 540-433-3051    **Email:** [office@cov-pres.org](mailto:office@cov-pres.org)    **Web:** [www.cov-pres.org](http://www.cov-pres.org)

**Bulletin announcements** (by 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday): [bulletin@cov-pres.org](mailto:bulletin@cov-pres.org)