# Who We Are At Naperville Covenant Church

We desire to be an increasingly diverse, compassionate community committed to knowing, loving, and serving Jesus Christ in our neighborhoods and world.

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## **Weekly Events**

### Sunday, January 29

Youth Bible Study @ 9:30 am-10:15 am Worship Service @ 10:30 am Congregational Meeting & Hot Dog Lunch @ 12 pm

> Tuesday, January 31

Women's Bible Study (In-Person) @ 9:30 am

# Wednesday, February 1

Social Hour 5-6 pm iCan Together @ 6 pm Community Meal Worship Intergenerational Conversations Choir Rehearsal @ 7 pm

> Saturday, February 4

Men's Breakfast @ 8 am

### **Youth Events**

### NaperCov Youth (2)>

While engaging with their peers and community, NaperCov Youth Ministry will be a place where students find acceptance for who they are and challenged to grow deeper in faith with Christ.

# Upcoming Events



Folllow us on Instagram at NaperCovYouth

### Weekly Gatherings Wednesdays, 5-7 PM

Experience God through discussion and fellowship. Jr. and Sr. High Students initially combined, then split into smaller groups.

### Sundays, 9:30-10:15 AM

Dive into an Inductive Bible Study on the book of James. We welcome both Jr. and Sr. High.

#### **Upcoming Retreats:**

## **February**

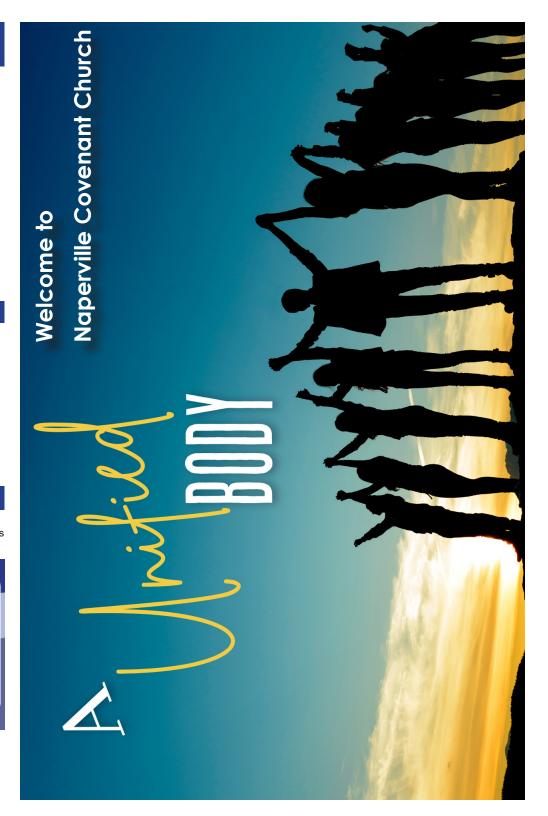
#### Deep Freeze (Middle School) 2/10 - 2/12

Take the weekend to feel refreshed, connected, and energized to serve Jesus as well as your community.

Register

By Feb 5 at: venantharbor.campbrainregistration.co





# **Welcome to Naperville Covenant Church**

Sunday, January 29, 2023 - Worship Service

### **Worship Music**

"Familia"

"Honey In The Rock"

### **Scripture Reading**

1 Corinthians 12:12-26 Sid Scott

### **Worship Music**

"Let The Church Say Amen"
"I Need You To Survive"

### Children's Message

Pastor Kelly

#### Message

"A Unified Body" Daniel Casey

### **Announcements & Prayer**

Pastor X

Offertory

### **Closing Worship**

"We Are God's People"

#### Benediction

**Daniel Casey** 

A warm welcome to Naperville Covenant! Thank you for joining us today for worship. While face masks are encouraged, they are not required. If today is your first day visiting us, please fill out the Connection Card (or scan the QR Code and visit the website link on the right) and place it in the offering plate or take it to the front office desk. Please also stop by the Welcome Center for more information and a FREE gift!

**CHILDREN K-5TH GRADE:** No Sunday Squad today. Be sure to grab an activity bag to enjoy during today's service and take part in the Children's Message. Sunday Squad is every 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Sunday of the month.

**PRESCHOOL ROOM:** Our Preschool Room is open and staffed during our entire service. Children 2 - 5 are invited at any time to come explore the Bible together through story and play.

**NURSERY:** Our nursery is unstaffed, but available for parents and their infants to use.

**PRAYER TIME:** Each Sunday after worship, NECC's Stephen Ministry offers individual prayer in the prayer room (library).

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS!**

### Knowing, Loving and Serving...

Congregational Meeting & Hot Dog Lunch - TODAY! We will be having a congregational meeting in-person after service in Fellowship Hall. Prior to the meeting, the Community Life Team is sponsoring a hot dog lunch! The luncheon will also be held in Fellowship Hall and will consist of a hot dog on a bun, a bag of potato chips, a cup of baked beans and a cookie.

Women's Bible Study Continues January 31! - Join the women of NECC January 31st at 9:30 am at church. They will be studying the book of Job, using a study written by Eric Ortlund and edited by J.I. Packer from the Knowing the Bible series. For more information, please contact Kathy Buettner at kathy buettner@comcast.net.

**iCan TOGETHER Feb. 1** - Join us **this Wednesday**, February 1 for iCan Together, from 5pm - 7pm, which will include a community meal, a short time of worship and devotion, and an all ages Bible Study. Mark your calendar and join us! For more info, please contact the church office.

**Men's Breakfast - February 4 -** The monthly NaperCov men's breakfast resumes Saturday, February 4th at the Colonial Cafe located at South Washington and Gartner Street. For more information, please contact the church office at <a href="mailto:necchurch@napercov.org">necchurch@napercov.org</a>.

**Music Sunday - Feb. 5!** - Join us for a special Music Sunday which will focus on the power of worship through song, as well as scripture readings, responsive readings, and time for reflection and prayer at Sunday Service. For more information, please contact the church office.

**Dinner Party for Eight - Feb. 11 -** Community Life is hosting this adult event at the homes of church members. Individuals will have the opportunity to reserve a spot for one of the five designated homes. The specific home assignment for attendees will be made by the Community Life Team. The event, which is open to 40 adults, features dinner and lively conversation among attendees. The hosts will provide the main dish while attendees will be assigned to bring a side dish or dessert. People interested in participating in the "Dinner Party for Eight" event can sign up at church today or by seeing Marty Casey.

**Ash Wednesday Service, February 22 @ 6 pm -** Join us in-person Wednesday February 22 for our Ash Wednesday Service. For more information, please contact the church office.

- Have an announcement or event you'd like to publicize? -

Please fill out our Publicity Request Form. You can access it by following <a href="https://tinyurl.com/NECCPRF">https://tinyurl.com/NECCPRF</a> or visit the Events page on the NaperCov website at <a href="https://www.napercov.org/events">https://www.napercov.org/events</a>.





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Worship Service January 29, 2023 Takeaway #3:

"A Unified Body"
1 Corinthians 12:12-26
Daniel Casey

Takeaway #4:

Takeaway #1:

Takeaway #2:

