

Weekly Events at Naperville Covenant Church

Sunday, March 27

NaperCov Prayer Group Meeting @ 10 am
Worship Service @ 10:30 am
Sunday Squad ~ 10:45 am
4th & 5th Grade Small Group, 12-1:30 pm

Monday, March 28

No Events

Tuesday, March 29

No Events

Wednesday, March 30

Ohana 5-6:30 pm
(Meal provided)
Children & Youth Choir Rehearsal @ 6:30 pm

Thursday, March 31

No Events

Friday, April 1

Youth Overnight Movie and Games

Saturday, April 2

Youth Overnight Movie and Games
NECC Men's Breakfast @ 8 am

Youth Events at Naperville Covenant Church

NaperCov Youth >>>

We challenge our students to dig into their faith and deepen their understanding of biblical truth. Through fun activities and meaningful conversations, they will explore what it means to be a Christian in the world.



Ohana

Join us Wednesdays
@ 5 PM

Fellowship Time @ 6 PM
Games and Biblical
Discussions

NaperCov Youth Events
Please invite, pray, and serve with our youth

MAR	3/16 Ice Cream Party: Confirmation/Ohana 3/19 Board Game Night 6-8 PM 3/20 Indoor Drive-in Movie Night 5:30-8 PM 3/26 Bowling and Arcade at Round 1
APR	4/1-2 Church Overnight Movie and Games 4/8-10 Confirmation Retreat 4/15 Board Game Night 4/22 Live Action Amongus
MAY	5/13 Board Game Night 5/21 Destrress Day 5/22 Confirmation Sunday 5/28 NaperCov Annual Wit, Strength, and Dexterity Competition

Let's TacoBout It! Calendar

- 2/27 RELATIONSHIPS
- 3/6 MOVIES
- 3/20 MONEY AND FINANCES
- 4/10 FAITH AND TRADITION
- 4/24 MUSIC AND ART

TacoBout It!

We want High Schoolers to belong, feel included, & experience genuine Christian community. Join us after service @ 12 PM.

Our Mission: to glorify God by being an authentic Christian community that brings people to Jesus Christ, builds them up to maturity in the faith and equips them to be disciplinarians who **KNOW, LOVE** and **SERVE** God.

Our Vision: An increasingly diverse, compassionate community committed to knowing, loving, and serving Jesus Christ in our neighborhoods and world.

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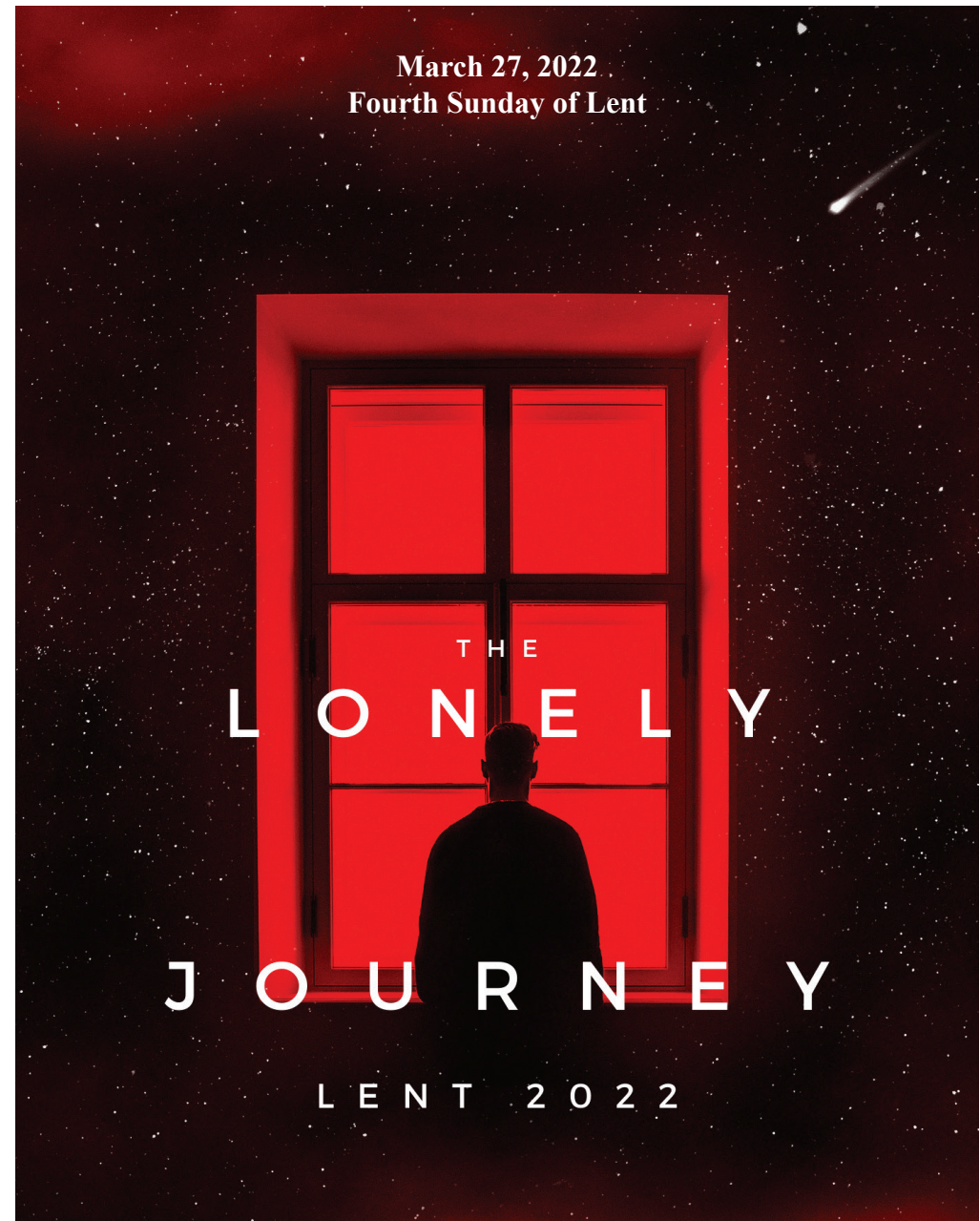
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Sunday, March 27, 2022 - Worship Service

Worship Music

“Holy Water”
“Reckless Love”
“Speak To My Heart”

Message

“Coming Home to Love”
Luke 15:1-3;11-32
Pastor Kelly

Announcements & Prayer

Pastor X

World Vision

Carrie Minnea

Offering

Closing Worship

“New Name”

Benediction

Pastor Kelly

A warm welcome to Naperville Covenant! Thank you for joining us today for worship. While face masks are encouraged, they are not required. (We will continue to require masks however in our nursery and preschool room as long as children under the age of 5 are unable to get vaccinated). We ask everyone to stay safe as we are taking every precaution to ensure a safe and healthy environment for all who worship in person with us. 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: Sunday Squad today! Take part in a Bible lesson, craft, and games. Kids will be dismissed right before the sermon. Parents, please come to the elementary classroom K after service to retrieve your kids (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.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH: Please write prayer concerns on the back of Connect cards or send an email to necchurch@napercov.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Knowing, Loving and Serving...

NaperCov Prayer Group continues TODAY IN-PERSON @ 10 am - Join fellow congregant Samantha Zylstra and others TODAY at 10 am in person in the youth room for our weekly prayer group meeting! The group is open to ALL ages. For more information please contact the church office at necchurch@napercov.org.

Children & Youth Easter Choir & Art Show – Rehearsals continue this week! Melinda Alberty will be leading all interested children and youth to learn one piece, to be performed Easter Sunday. All children and youth (even if not singing) are also invited to submit a piece of artwork to help bring the song to life. Rehearsals will continue Wednesday, March 30, 6:30 p.m. Artwork will be due by Sunday, April 10. Please see Melinda Alberty or contact Pastor Kelly (kelly@napercov.org) to get involved.

Men’s Breakfast - April 2 - The monthly NaperCov men’s breakfast resumes Saturday, April 2nd at the Colonial Cafe located at South Washington and Gartner Street. For more information, please contact the church office.

Women’s Bible Study RESUMES Tuesday April 5th @ 9:30am - Be sure to join the NaperCov women’s bible study **RESUMING Tuesday, April 5 IN-PERSON AT CHURCH**. We will be studying Matt Williams’ book ‘The Last Days of Jesus’. For questions, please contact Kathy at kathy_buettner@comcast.net.

COMING SOON NECC Egg Hunt - April 16th @ 10am! - Mark your calendars (and start inviting friends and neighbors!) for our Egg Hunt, coming up on Saturday, April 16 at 10:00 a.m. here at NaperCov. Our event is open to the community and will include some activities for kids to engage with, including some crafts and a Story Walk. We will also be having Apex Coffee (you may remember from our Trunk or Treat) back serving up coffee drinks for adults. If you have questions or would like to volunteer to help out, please see Pastor Kelly.

Volunteer Counters Needed - We need another two-person counting team for the Sunday offering. Typically an hour is needed every three weeks, a half-hour on computer work to collect data from Covenant Giving and a half hour for Sunday counting after worship. Responsibilities include handling checks, cash and online donations while entering data into the church’s online Breeze software. Training can be provided! Contact David Good, Financial Secretary, at (630) 355-6690 or degood@ieee.org for more information.

Worship Opportunity at the Alden and the Pearl - We have started a Sunday worship service at The Pearl nursing home and have been asked to resume our service at Alden of Naperville. To accomplish this we need a few additional volunteers to help with crowd control, assist residents, provide music or join in singing and provide a short worship message. Please reach out to Doug Mueller (doug.mueller2020@gmail.com or 630-450-3453) for more information.



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**Worship Service Sunday
March 27, 2022**

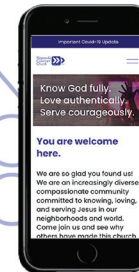
***Coming Home to Love
Pastor Kelly
(Luke 15:1-3;11-32)***

Takeaway #1:

Takeaway #3:

Takeaway #4:

Takeaway #2:



**3 Ways
To Give**

• **Online:**
<http://www.NaperGov.org/Give>

• **Sunday Worship**

• **Mail to:**
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