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, March 5

Worship Service @ 10:30 am

Tuesday, March 7

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

Wednesday, March 8

Ohana 5-7 pm

Courageous Kids @ 6 pm

Choir Rehearsal @ 7 pm

Sign up for our Email and Parent Connection Newsletters:

https://tinyurl.com/NECCNews

Youth Events

NaperCov Youth >>>

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

Wednesday Youth Group 5:00 - 7:00 PM

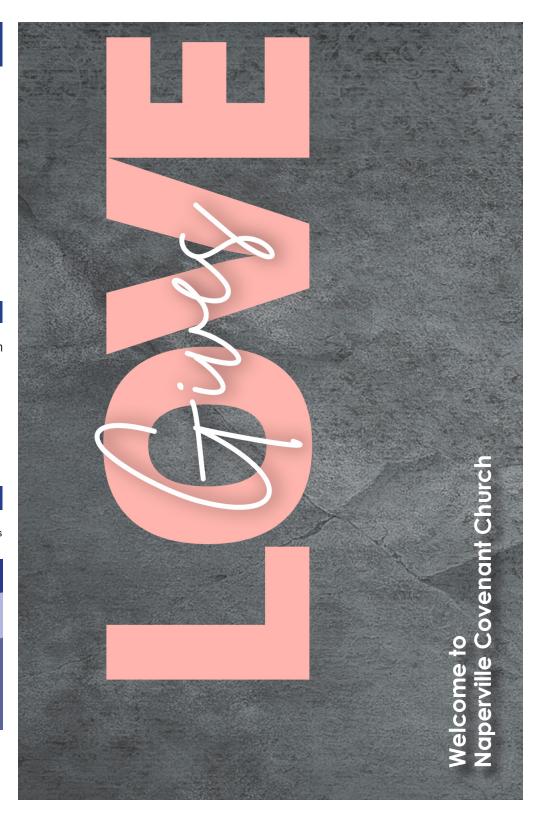
Sunday Bible Study 9:30-10:15 AM

Upcoming Events

TODAY! Spudfest 3/11 Museum Trip 4/5 Laser Tag 4/8 Egg Hunt

For more details, check out our website: napercov.org/youth





Welcome to Naperville Covenant Church

Sunday, March 5, 2023 - Camp Sunday

Worship Music

"Build My Life"
"I've Got Peace Like A River"

Camp Presentation

Covenant Harbor Camps

Scripture Reading

John 3:1-17

Worship Music

"You Are The Living Word"

Message

"Love Gives"

Pastor Leslie X.

Communion Sacrament

Pastor Kelly & Pastor X "What Wondrous Love Is This"

Announcements & Prayer

Pastor Josiah

Offertory

Closing Worship

"One Thing Remains"

Benediction

Pastor Leslie X.

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. 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...

Spudfest 2023 - TODAY! The NaperCov Youth are hosting a Potato-themed fundraiser after service today! We'll be raising funds for new Bibles and sending kids to camp. There will be a potato growing station, potato hunt, and silent auction. If you are able to help make a potato product to sell, please see Pastor Josiah. We have a long list of ideas and can't wait for you to join us!

Women's Bible Study Continues March 7! - Join the women of NECC March 7th 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.

Sunday Service Choir Rehearsals! - Our Director Music and Arts Lucas Gillan is seeking singers to perform with the choir as part of our Sunday Service monthly. If you are interested, or know someone who would be, please see Lucas. The choir will be rehearsing Wednesday night, March 8 and March 15 from 7-8 pm each night, and will sing at Sunday Service March 19.

Stephen Ministry Info Sessions March 12 & 26 - Do you know someone who is going through a hard time? Do you wonder how God might use you to walk with and support them? Stephen Ministry may be God's answer for you. NECC's Stephen Ministry is planning to start training Friday evening April 21. We are planning to have a few opportunities before then for people to come and learn more about Stephen Ministry: March 12 before church at 9:45 and March 26 after church at 12 noon in the library/prayer room for 30 minutes. For more information and to RSVP, please contact the church office at nechurch@napercov.org.

NECC Family Bowling Night - March 30! The Community Life Committee is sponsoring a family bowling event Thursday, March 30, 2023 at the Fox Bowl in Wheaton. Everyone is invited to enjoy a fun evening with church friends. The price for this event is \$16.00 per person. The registration fee includes two slices of cheese pizza, soda, two games of bowling and shoe rental. This event will begin at 6:00 p.m. with dinner following by bowling. Sign up for this event will begin <u>TODAY!</u> For more info, please contact the church office.

Coming Soon: Good Friday Service - April 7 @ 7pm - The Seven Last Words of Jesus on the Cross. Please join us for a joint service with Church of the Good Shepherd (Joliet) and Batavia Covenant Church at 7 pm. For more info, please contact the church office.

Coming Soon: NECC Egg Hunt - April 8 @ 10am! - Make plans to attend our Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 8. Our event is open to the community and will include kids activities and coffee drinks for adults. If you are able to donate or would like to volunteer to help make the event a success, please contact Pastor Kelly. Invite a friend or neighbor by sharing our event on Facebook!





Naperville Covenant Church

Camp Sunday March 5, 2023

"Love Gives" John 3:1-17 Pastor Leslie X.

Takeaway #1:

Takeaway #2:

Takeaway #3:

Takeaway #4:

