

Weekly Events at Naperville Covenant Church

Sunday, September 5

Worship Service @ 10:30 am
Youth Retreat

Monday, September 6

Labor Day - Church Office Closed

Tuesday, September 7

No Events

Wednesday, September 8

Youth Ministry Competition of the Century
@ 6-7:30 pm

Thursday, September 9

No Events

Friday, September 10

No Events

Saturday, September 11

Men's Breakfast @ 8 am

Naperville
Covenant
Church



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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Director of Music and Arts, Lucas Gillan

Church Communications Administrator: Kevin Shepke



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September 5, 2021
Worship Service

THE STRENGTH TO
ENDURE

Welcome to
Naperville Covenant Church



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Sunday, September 5, 2021 - Worship Service

Opening Song

“Raise A Hallelujah”

Announcements and Welcome

Pastor Kelly

Worship Music

“One Thing Remains”

“How A Firm Foundation/Our God”

Prayer

Pastor Josiah

Message

“The Strength To Endure”

2 Timothy 2:1-10

Pastor Greg Johnson

Pre-Communion Song

“Refiner’s Fire”

Communion Sacrament

Pastor Kelly and Pastor Greg

Benediction

Pastor Greg

A warm welcome to Naperville Covenant! Thank you for joining us today for worship. Please wear a mask and plan to use the portable church hand sanitizer stations at each door when you enter. 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 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!

CHILDREN K-5TH GRADE: We encourage our children to join us in worship in the pews this week. Be sure to take an activity bag for some building toys and coloring pages.

NURSERY & PRESCHOOL ROOM: The Preschool Room is staffed today and ready to receive children 2 - 5 years of age. 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...

Men’s Breakfast - September 11: The monthly NaperCov men’s breakfast resumes Saturday, September 11 at the Colonial Cafe located at South Washington and Gartner Street. For more information, please contact the church office at necchurch@napercov.org.

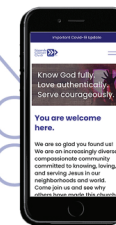
Kickoff Sunday - Next Week! Be sure to join us for a special worship service Sunday, Sept. 12 where we will be celebrating the start of the fall and kicking off new ministries for kids, youth, and adults in the season ahead. For more info, please contact the church office.

NECC Office Hours - Labor Day: The NaperCov Church Office will be closed for the holiday Monday. We will resume our normal business hours Tuesday at 9am.

Trunk or Treat - Coming Soon! We invite your family and friends to come trick or treat with us in our parking lot! You can participate by signing up to provide a decorated trunk (you do not need to provide all the candy you will be giving out at your trunk) or you can donate candy. Invite your neighbors and friends! For more info, please see Pastor Josiah or Barb Dwyer.

Winter Freeze Youth Retreat - Coming Soon! Coming the weekend of January 7-9, 2022, enjoy winter activities, food, lodging, and Christian speakers with worship leaders. The end result is students and leaders alike leaving the weekend refreshed, more connected to their youth group and energized to serve Jesus as well as those in their community. For more information visit <https://covenantharbor.org/winter-camp-6th-12th-grades/>, or see Pastor Josiah.

Pastor’s Book Club: Growing Young - Be sure to join Pastor X beginning Wednesday Sept. 22 at 6:30 pm on a discussion group centered around the book Growing Young. For more information, please contact the church office.



3 Ways To Give

• **Online:** <http://www.NaperCov.org/Giving-switch>

• **Sunday Worship**

• **Mail to:** know love serve
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September 5, 2021**

***The Strength To Endure
Pastor Greg Johnson
(2 Timothy 2:1-10)***

Takeaway #1:

Takeaway #2:

Takeaway #3:

Takeaway #4: