



THE COURIER

LIFE AT CHRIST COVENANT

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2022

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Luke and Elizabeth LaPlant
on the birth of their son,
Jack Henry LaPlant.

SYMPATHY TO:

Family and friends of our member,
Lou Walters.
Richard Anderson on the loss of his
sister, Naomi Anderson.

WELCOME TO MISSIONS CONFERENCE 2022



ORDINARY PEOPLE:
EXTRAORDINARY
FAITH
Global Missions and Me
FEBRUARY 26 - MARCH 6, 2022

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

Are you a guest visiting with us today, or did you meet a guest this morning? We encourage all our guests to stop by our Guest Kiosks in any of our lobbies. We have a free gift for you and would like to meet you! We also have an online guest card we invite you to fill out at christcovenant.org/online-guest-card or located in the pews in the sanctuary or by scanning the QR code below.



THANK YOU COOKIE BAKERS

Thank you to everyone who made cookies and is helping serve during our special time of fellowship this morning. Be sure to get a cookie or two at our fellowship time in between Sunday School and morning worship.

WELCOME TO OUR MISSIONS CONFERENCE SPEAKER, JULIUS KIM

Christ Covenant Church is excited to welcome Julius Kim as our missions conference speaker this Sunday, February 27, for morning and evening worship.



Dr. Julius J. Kim serves as the president of The Gospel Coalition, a position he has held since February 2020. Prior to that he served for twenty years as the dean of students and professor of practical theology at Westminster Seminary California. He is an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church in America and serves as an associate pastor at New Life PCA in Escondido, CA. He is the author of multiple books and articles, and contributor to several study Bibles. He and his wife, Ji Hee, reside in Escondido, CA, with their two daughters.

MINISTRY TO MEN FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST SATURDAY, MARCH 5



Join us on Saturday, March 5, from 7:00 am -8:30 am at Stack's Kitchen for the Ministry to Men (MtM) monthly fellowship breakfast! Come for food and fellowship with your brothers in Christ. We will be hearing from Sammy Foucachon, one of our church planters serving in France. The only cost is your breakfast. Sign up today at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4aaba828a2fdc07-ministry2>. Deadline to sign up: Friday, March 4 at noon.

MASK UPDATE

On February 26, 2022 the mask mandate that has been in effect in Mecklenburg county since August 31, 2021 is changing to make masks optional in indoor public places. The result of this is that masks will be optional for all church activities on campus including worship. There will continue to be one mask required section in the sanctuary to accommodate mask users. To learn more about the most current Mecklenburg county public health guidelines, you can visit <https://www.mecknc.gov/>. To learn more about the CDC's covid-19 guidelines, you can visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>.

SPRING SUPPORT GROUPS - DIVORCECARE & GRIEFSHARE

Our support groups are facilitated by caring members of our church who understand what you may be going through and want to help. The video seminar series features some of the nation's foremost Christian experts on divorce and grief recovery topics as seen from a biblical perspective. Weekly devotional materials and group discussions are designed to draw you closer to God and provide comfort. DivorceCare & GriefShare will be held Monday evenings, 6:30 pm-8:00 pm, starting on March 14 in the Community Life Center (CLC). If you have a family member or friend going through separation and divorce or is mourning the loss of a loved one, please encourage them to join our groups as well.

You can register for the DivorceCare group at <https://www.divorcecare.org/groups/147392>.

You can register for the GriefShare group at <https://www.griefshare.org/groups/147391>.

Or contact John Ramseur at jdamseur@gmail.com with any questions.

Large Print Worship Folders

For your convenience,
large print worship
folders are available at
the Information Desk.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AT CHRIST COVENANT

Current opportunities at Christ Covenant include:

- Facilities Maintenance (full-time)
- Hospitality & Event Coordinator (part-time)
- Outreach & Missions

Administrative Assistant (part-time)

Details: christcovenant.org/aboutus/employment

Covenant Day School is hiring for various positions. Details can be found at <https://www.covenantday.org/about-us/employment>

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT: FAITH PROMISE

Faith Promise is the primary means by which Christ Covenant financially supports international and domestic supported workers and church planters. We would like to help you consider how you and your family can participate in Faith Promise giving in 2022.

First, we ask that you take time to pray. Pray for our supported workers and church planters. Second, pray about how you might be able to financially give to Faith Promise either as a one-time gift or by making a monthly pledge.

Through Faith Promise, God blesses those who are supported, those whose prayers He answers by providing unexpected resources, and those who hear how God demonstrates His power to provide in beautiful ways, year after year. Ultimately, those who are blessed the most are those who hear the good news and whose lives are changed for an eternity!

This morning on Sunday, February 27, we will have a special time during our morning worship to offer our Faith Promise commitment cards with our pledges and pray that God will provide for the ministry partners we are supporting in 2022. We ask that you and your family begin to take time to prayerfully consider what you might give to Faith Promise. What might God supply through you to help empower our supported workers and church planters across the globe this year as they share Christ across the world?

Faith Promise pledge cards are available on the tables outside the sanctuary doors. You can also give your pledge online at christcovenant.org/missions-conference-2022.

ENVISION CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

We are hoping to have 100% of the congregation participate in the Envision capital campaign. We are currently at 75%. It's not too late to turn in your pledge card for the Envision capital campaign! Pledge cards and information about the many upgrades and changes we hope to accomplish through Envision can be found in the brochures and booklets in the worship center and online. You can also make a pledge online at christcovenant.org/envision. We currently have 75% of families participating and \$1,056,916 pledges toward our goal of \$1,500,000.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

This list shares notable events for this week. See our website at christcovenant.org for other activities. Weekly and monthly prayer guides can be found at christcovenant.org/prayer.

THIS WEEK (FEBRUARY 27 - MARCH 5, 2022)

- Feb 27 • Combined Sunday School at 9:00 am
- Feb 27 • Morning worship at 10:45 am
- Feb 27 • Evening worship at 6:00 pm
- March 2 • Epic and Link at 7:00 pm
- March 3 • Last day to order Trail Life bbq
- March 5 • Ministry to Men Fellowship Breakfast at Stacks at 7:00 am

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr 9 • Children's ministry Easter Egg Hunt
- Apr 10-16 • Holy Week

WATCHING OUR BUDGET

Thank you for your tithes and gifts to all of the ministries of Christ Covenant. Please continue to pray for God's provision throughout 2022.

<i>Inflow 1/1/22 – 2/20/22</i>	<i>Actual \$</i>	<i>Budget \$</i>	<i>Difference \$</i>	<i>% (-) or +</i>
Operating Budget	767,962	875,000	(107,038)	(12.2%)
Faith Promise Budget	50,832	52,300	(1,468)	-2.8%