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## **Sunday, April 14, 2024**

*Please complete the Worship Response Card in your bulletin and place it in the offering plate to express interest, submit a prayer request, or to sign up for an opportunity.*

### **Starting Point**

*Sunday, April 21, 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. in the Parlor*

New to Covenant? We'll help you find your way. Please join us for Starting Point, hosted by senior minister, Bob Henderson and senior associate minister, Katherine Kerr. Childcare is available in the Education Wing. Write "Starting Point" on your WRC to sign up.

### **Hiking at Camp Grier**

*Saturday, April 27 at 10:00 a.m., Camp Grier in Old Fort, NC*

Join Outdoor Ministry for a hike in and around Camp Grier

(to the Rock Slide and maybe up to the new Fire Tower)

or perhaps explore the new Gateway Trails system that the Camp has helped develop adjacent to the Camp's property.

We will plan on eating lunch at Camp and perhaps a beverage at Hillman's in Old Fort before returning to Charlotte in the late afternoon. Write "Hike" on your WRC to sign up.

### **Equipping Parents Forum**

*Sunday, April 28, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall*

Parents of children ages birth through fifth grade are invited

for conversation with other families, children's ministry leadership, and Grace Lindvall to connect and share the

ways we can faithfully encourage our children as they discover discipleship and grow in and share God's love. Write "Equipping Parents" on your WRC if you plan to attend.

### **Food Donations for Nourish Up**

*Leave donations in collection bins in the Welcome Center*

Priority items needed are Canned Meat (tuna, chicken, salmon), Canned Fruit (no sugar added or in juice), Canned Vegetables (no salt added or low sodium), Pasta (canned or dry boxed), and whole grain Cereal. No glass containers please.

### **Toiletries Donation Collections**

*Leave donations in collection bins in the Welcome Center*

We are collecting toiletries for Roof Above Giles Emergency Men's Shelter. Toiletries: toothbrushes, toothpaste (travel size), shampoo (travel size), deodorant, soap (full size), and disposable razors.

## **Take the Texas Hash Challenge**

*Deadline: April 28*

Our Texas Hash has a NEW RECIPE and we challenge you to cook a batch for our April 30 meal delivery to Roof Above. To learn more, visit [covenantpresby.org/hash](http://covenantpresby.org/hash) and download our new recipe.

## **Highland Volunteer Opportunities**

*Covenant continues our tradition of sending Highland Renaissance Academy students to Camp Harrison, a YMCA camp 90 miles outside Charlotte.*

### **Camp Night at Highland Renaissance**

On Thursday, May 2, we will throw a camp-themed information party at Highland to get the students and families ready. Write "Camp Night" on your WRC for ways you can help.

### **Become a "Camp Buddy"**

Provide support to one camper and their family in the weeks before camp and during the week itself. "Camp Buddies" will offer to shop with the camper for items on their packing list, send the camper care packages during their week away, and more. Write "Camp Buddy" on your WRC to sign up.

## **Time to Make the Sandwiches for Roof Above!**

*Due: 10:00 - 10:30 am on Monday, May 6*

*Location: The Circle at the Welcome Center*

Sign up to make 25 sandwiches, donate cases of water or help collect and deliver sandwiches. Write "Sandwiches" on your WRC to learn more and sign up.

## **Third Quarter Goes to the Ballgame!**

*Sunday, May 19, 1:05 p.m.*

Members of our Third Quarter group (folks ages 50 to 75) are invited to cheer for the Charlotte Knights when they take on the Durham Bulls. We have a block of seats reserved in section 105. Tickets are \$23 (per person) and include a \$2 stadium concession credit. Limited seats, so write "Third Quarter" on your WRC to sign up.

## **College And Seminary Scholarships**

*Applications are due May 1*

Covenant awards scholarships to deserving college students for undergraduate and graduate studies. The undergraduate fund provides need-based support for graduating high school seniors and current college freshmen. Scholarships are also available for study at Union Presbyterian Seminary and any graduate study that leads to a life of Christian service. Apply at [covenantpresby.org/scholarships](http://covenantpresby.org/scholarships)

## **Summer Camps by Recreation Ministries**

Sports Camp, Imagination Station (field trips), and Creative Camp will be offered and led by our own Recreation Ministry team, Kevin Harper and Crystal Reese. Write "Summer Camps" on your WRC for more details.