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Sunday, April 21, 2024

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

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.

First Sunday: Dr. Martha Moore-Keish

Sunday, May 5, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall and on Zoom

Dr. Martha Moore-Keish, Professor of Theology at Columbia Theological Seminary, has been appointed as one of 16 individuals to serve on a special committee of the PC(USA) to consider a new confession to be added to the Book of Confession. Historically, confessions have come about in response to particular circumstances, ranging from theological debates to South African apartheid. Join us as we consider the particular circumstances in our nation and world that call for a response from the church today.

Thanks for Sharing:

Swapping Stories and Accessories

Women's Dinner: May 8, 6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Don't miss out on a fun-filled evening of swapping your old accessories for new ones. Join us for dinner and hear more from our special guests from Center for Community Transitions.

Here is how it works: If you would like, bring up to 5 gently used accessories to the Welcome Center by May 1 and everyone is invited to shop at the event! Childcare will be available.

Write "Women's Dinner" on your WRC to sign up.

Advance Care Planning

Tuesday, May 7, 10:30 a.m. to noon in FH 203

Have you tried to make plans for future serious illness and care needs, but don't know where to start? Angela Beamer-Ratliff, MSW and Coordinator for Advanced Care Planning for Novant Health will provide information many of us need to create and update our advanced care plans.

Highland Volunteer Opportunities

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

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.

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.

Teacher Appreciation Week

Teachers are RAD!! Teacher Appreciation Week is May 6- May 10. It’s an 80’s and 90’s throwback, with very creative activities to honor our wonderful Highland staff. Principal Coles has hilarious ideas, and they can use Covenant’s support in various ways. Write “Teacher Appreciation” on your WRC for ways you can help.

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.

Intern Support

We look forward to welcoming our Stapleton-Davidson and People in Mission interns at Covenant this summer! Please consider getting to know and supporting these college students by hosting them for dinner, taking them on an outing such as a Knights game, or providing snacks for our weekly meetings. Write “Intern Support” on your WRC to 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.

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.