

presbyterian church

# Sunday, April 7, 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.

### Young Adults: First Sunday Lunch

Today, April 7, 12:30 p.m. at Velvet Taco All young adults are invited to for fellowship and lunch following worship! We'll meet at Velvet Taco at Park Road Shopping Center.

### Dr. Lucretia Berry

### "Hues of You" Workshop for Parents and Kids

Sunday, April 14, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m., Recreation Wing Gym Crafted by Lucretia Berry, an experienced educator and advocate for antiracism, Hues of You offers a smart and honest starting point to help kids, families, schools, and communities have natural, effective, and meaningful conversations that build connection and positive pathways regarding diversity within humanity. We will welcome Dr. Berry to Covenant to lead our children in this beautiful workshop. Parents will attend with their children. Write "Hues of You" on your WRC if you plan to attend.

# **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.

# Food Donations for Nourish Up

Leave donations 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.

# Surviving Our Spouses (SOS) Porch Party

Saturday, April 20, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Covenant's SOS group is welcoming spring with its popular Porch Party. All surviving spouses are invited to come with an appetizer or dessert to the home of Kandy Cosper, 121 Cabell Way, Charlotte. Write "SOS" on your WRC to RSVP.

#### **Toiletries Donation Collections**

Leave donations 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.

### Visit UNCC CIPHER Labs & Botanical Gardens

Wednesday, April 17, 9:30 a.m.

Join TLC (Travel, Learn, Connect) on a visit to the cutting-edge CIPHER Labs that combine bioinformatics, computer science, earth sciences, environmental engineering, genomics, and public health - and even a bat colony - to predict, identify and control threats to human health. We will leave from the Covenant parking lot, have a guided tour of both CIPHER and the gardens and then eat lunch on campus. Write "TLC" in your WRC to sign up.

## Highland Heroes Appreciation Brunch

drop off by Sunday, April 14

Covenant members are invited to contribute food, drinks, or a note of encouragement so that staff at Highland Renaissance Academy may enjoy a light breakfast, healthy snack, refreshing drink, sweet treat or simple reminder that what they do matters. Write "Highland Brunch" on your WRC to sign up.

### 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 and download our new recipe.

# Camp Night at Highland

Thursday, May 2 at Highland Renaissance Academy
As we prepare to send Highland Renaissance Academy students
to Camp Harrison, we are throwing a camp-themed party at
Highland, where we will relay all necessary information to campers'
families while getting campers excited about their upcoming
experience. Write "Camp Night" on your WRC to help.

# 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

# 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.