



# WELCOME TO FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2026

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## **Mission Remarkable is Today!**

9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. – Welcome Center – Live Auction at 10:30 a.m.

Join us all morning for a festive event including a live auction, art sale, black box auctions, bake sale, progressive dinner tickets and raffle. All proceeds of Mission Remarkable go to support Covenant's Mission and Outreach work. You don't want to miss it!

## **New Small Group for Fathers**

*Thursdays at 8:00 a.m. through Memorial Day in WC 204*

Calling all fathers of and father figures to young children! Starting February 12, please join us for conversation and fellowship on Thursday mornings in Welcome Center 204. Each week we will begin at 8:00 with a short reading to spur conversation and reflection. We will wrap up promptly at 8:35 so that folks can get to their other commitments. Feel free to come a few minutes early and stay a few minutes late to enjoy some additional time with new and old friends. No preparation necessary. Contact Michael Bender with any questions.

## **Lent Devotionals are Available in Print & Email**

### **Moments That Matter: Decisions On The Way To The Cross**

This Lent, we walk with Jesus through the defining choices that shaped his journey to the cross — choices of trust, compassion, courage, and love. Each week invites us to reflect on the moments that matter in our own lives, where discernment meets decision and faith takes form. We'll discover how following Christ's way transforms the choices we make and the lives we lead. Pick up a printed booklet in the Narthex while supplies last or sign up for daily emails by writing "Lent Devos" on your WRC.

## **Conversation with Amanda Held Opelt**

*February 25 at 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel*

You're invited to an evening of thoughtful conversation and reflection with Amanda, author of *Holy Unhappiness* and *A Hole in the World*. Drawing from her writing and lived experience, Amanda will explore what it means to live a life of faith amid the very real struggles of being human. The evening will include time for audience questions and shared conversation, creating space for honesty, depth, and grace. The event will be streamed at [covenantpresby.org/live](https://covenantpresby.org/live)

## **Healthy Heart Luncheon**

*Friday, February 27th, 12 – 1:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall*

Join us for lunch and an engaging presentation from Kelly Roberts, RN at Cardiac Rehab Atrium Health,

focused on caring for your heart. This talk will share practical insights on risk factors, warning signs, and symptoms of heart disease in both women and men, along with steps that support prevention.

Program and Lunch cost: \$15

Write “Healthy Heart Lunch” on your WRC for more information.

## **Lenten Life Groups**

*Starting February 25; 6:30 p.m.*

This Lent, step into a Lenten Life Group, meeting for five weeks beginning February 25, and join others in an engaged, thoughtful exploration of faith. Together, we will explore the theme Moments that Matter, engaging scripture and weekly reflections as we consider how small, faithful choices shape a life of discipleship. These groups are built for lively conversation, shared discovery, and learning together as we wrestle with the questions that shape our lives. Life Groups are a place to bring curiosity, listen deeply, and be stretched by perspectives beyond your own.

No preparation is required, just a willingness to show up and engage. Write “Life Group” on your WRC for more information.

## **Stop by the Big Red Bus to donate blood!**

*Sunday, February 22nd - 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.*

The OneBlood Big Red Bus will be parked along Dilworth Road today. Stop by to donate blood.

## **Middle School Not-So-Winter Retreat**

**(NEW date!)**

*March 20 - 22*

Due to winter weather, we had to cancel our Winter Retreat in West Virginia in January. We are rescheduling a Middle School retreat for all 6th, 7th and 8th grade students for March 20-22. Activities and exact location to be determined. We will leave after school on Friday, March 20, and return on Sunday, March 22.

Write “MSY Retreat” on your WRC for more information.

Volunteers are needed! If you would like to join us, please email Andy Wertz to volunteer.