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Thank you for serving coffee hour this month! November 3: The Schmick Family November 10: Sue Ellen Davis November 17: Heidi Bader & Janet Biegler November 24: OPEN

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Thanksgiving Food Gift Cards

We are collecting monetary donations to help 13 Whitstran Elementary families with groceries for the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday. Each family will receive a \$150 Walmart gift card to purchase groceries that fit the needs of their family.

How can you help? *pray for these families

*consider making a monetary donation. Please write "food gift cards" in the memo line of your check or on the envelope.

Christmas Food Gift Cards & Giving Tree

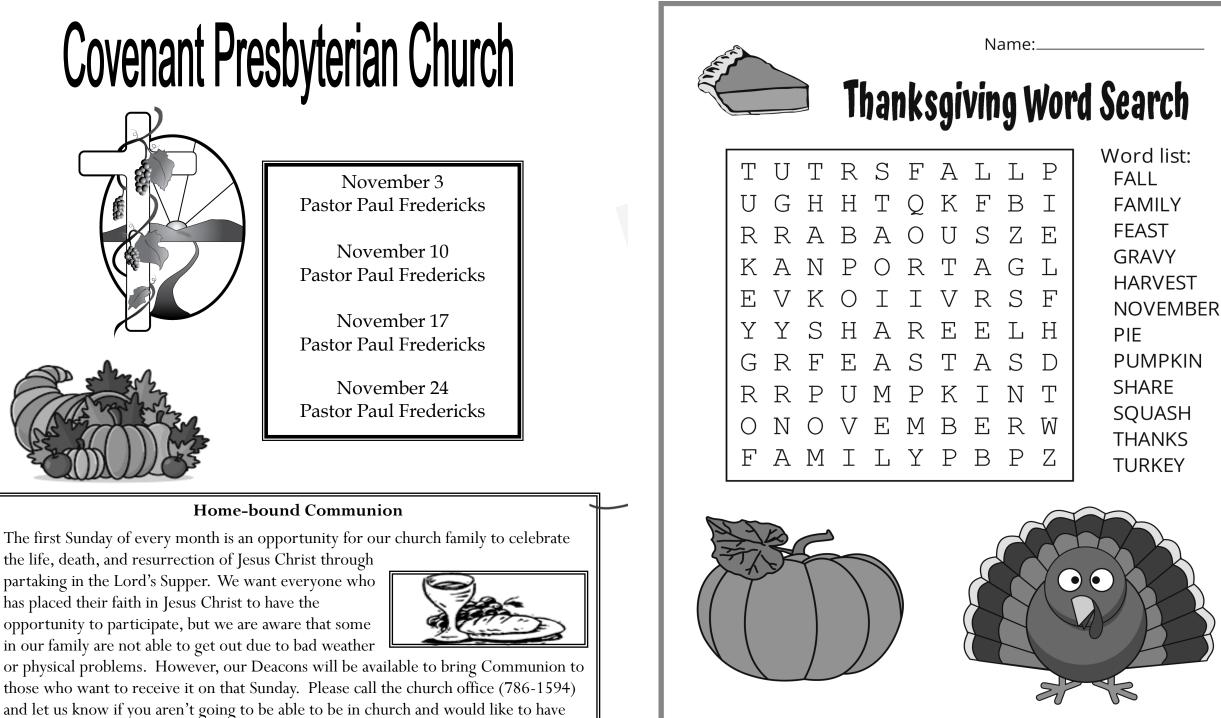


...and moving right into Christmas! We will have the giving tree up Sunday, November 10 that way if you like to shop the big holiday shopping weekend you will have your tags. This also gives plenty of time to shop before they are due back to the church.

What is the giving tree? For <u>each</u> family member of the thirteen families we will have a gift tag hanging on the tree that will have their specific needs listed. We may also have tags that have household needs such as towels, pillows, cookware, etc. We ask that you "sign" out your tags and return them to the church wrapped and with the tag on top by December 8.

We will also be accepting monetary donations to help purchase grocery gifts cards for the Christmas holiday. Each family will receive a \$150 Walmart gift card to purchase groceries that fit the needs of their family

If you would like to take a gift tag but are not able to shop we can help with the shopping! Reach out to Bonnie at 786-1594. Thank You!



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<u>January-October 2024</u> Actual Income: \$247,279.50* Actual Expenses: <u>-\$261,683.22</u> \$-14,403.72

*this figure includes six pledges that have been given in full



Giving options:

- bring to worship on Sunday's
- mail your check (we have a secure, locked mailbox)
- drop your check off at the office
- set up bill pay through your bank
- go to our website and look for the giving tab

A **required minimum distribution** (RMD) is the amount of money that must be withdrawn from an employer-sponsored retirement plan, traditional IRA, SEP, or SIMPLE individual retirement account (IRA) by owners and qualified retirement plan participants of retirement age. Please talk with your financial advisor or accountant.



We are bursting at the seams that our building renovation loan is officially paid off thanks to your dedication and sacrificial giving! Thank you! God is faithful!

If you would like to continue giving to the capital campaign these funds will be seed money for our next renovate project. You may write Renovate in the memo line of your check. Thank you!



COOK FOR CAMP-BAKE SALE

We are having a bake sale on Sunday, November 24 after worship. If you would like to bake something a sign up sheet is in the narthex. If baking is not your cup of tea we could use a few people to put together decorating packets (frosting, sprinkles, etc.). This is great timing so that you can purchase goodies for your Thanksgiving gathering with family and friends. All proceeds will go to Camp Ghormley specifically to help with their shortfall this year due to the wildfires. Sign up in the narthex. Questions? Contact Sue Ellen Davis at 509-781-1657 or naggingmomma@hotmail.com

Ladies Christmas Breakfast *Theme: Christmas Traditions* Saturday, December 14 @ 9:30am Church Fellowship Hall

Women and girls welcome! Join us for breakfast and enjoy a time of fellowship as we celebrate the Christmas season. A sign up sheet will be in the narthex soon.

We also need a few men that are willing to greet, take coats, and serve the group of ladies. Please sign up in the narthex if you can help.



Covenant Presbyterian Church MARKET STREET KIDS Kids to Jesus Kids to Kids Kids to Adults

Market Street Kids, our mid-week ministry for kids Kinder-5th grade

Wednesday's 4:30~6:30pm

Come join us for Large Group Bible Time, Small Group Teaching, and family style dinner! Oct. 23–March 26 ~ \$75 per child, Scholarships available Jacki McNair at 786-1594, jackim@prosserpres.org

YOUTH GROUP Middle School & High School

Wednesday's, 5:30-7:30p

Dinner, Bible Study, Fellowship & Friends

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2ND HARVEST MOBILE MARKET FREE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

2ND HARVEST is looking for volunteers for their mobile food distribution that happens right here in Prosser! This drive-thru event serves up to 250 families and no appointment is needed. The funding is from local businesses and farmers.

The school district contacted 2nd Harvest during COVID to help local families. It started with handing out food bags at KRV & Housel to the students in the bus loading zone. Then it was decided to add the mobile food distribution at KRV until construction started. Then it was brought to Whitstran for several months until that no longer worked. They are now using the parking lot and outdoor space at Bethel Church.

Here is the list of upcoming dates: Monday, November 18 Monday, December 16

If you are available to help they ask volunteers to arrive at noon and then the event runs from 1-3pm. They are grateful for any amount of time that your schedule allows and there are different stations to fit your physical needs/ abilities. You don't need to register to help just show up! Questions? Call Darlene Morrow at 509-786-2848 or email her at darlene.morrow@prosserschools.org Thank you.

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<u>Celebrate Recovery Update</u>

Celebrate Recovery is a Christian recovery program for anyone wrestling with a hurt, hangup, or addiction of any kind. There is a pervasive need in our society and in this valley for a Christ-centered community that helps one another step into the kind of freedom that is found in our relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ. The group is working through the book Life's Healing Choices by John Baker. *The small group is meeting using the book mentioned above on the second & fourth Thursday's at 7pm here at the church.* All are welcome. If you have any questions feel free to call Pastor Paul (509-303-0765).



We want you to know that you are thought of, cared for and prayed over by the leadership of this church family. You are welcome to reach out to any of our Elders, Deacons, and Staff for prayer, for a listening ear, or any concerns you may have.

Deacons:

Heidi Bader, Gerry Don, Jen Don, Karen Don, Bettie Ottman, Sandy Robertson, Cathy Stevens, Carol Travis & Anne Walker

Elders: Warren Barmore, Jason Don, Connie Hachtel, Clare Padelford, Greg Robertson, Will Schmick, Jeanice Schmick & Joe Schnellbach

Staff: Pastor Paul Fredericks, Pastor Jacki McNair & Office Manager Bonnie Anaya



Kiddie Korner Preschool is doing a Holiday Fundraiser by selling Chukar Cherries. This can be a jump start to your Christmas shopping; stocking stuffers, basket filler, or gift topper. Or maybe you have family or friends that live across the states and you want to send them a 'piece of Prosser'. They will start selling November 18. This can be a way of supporting the ministry that is happening right here in our building.



Please join us for a THAILAND MISSION TRIP zoom planning meeting **Tuesday**, **November 19 (a) 7pm**. Please let the office know that you would like to attend and we will get you the link.



Coffee Hour Hosts Needed

Coffee hour is simply providing the treats. Treats can be store bought or homemade. We provide the paper goods and will make the coffee. Please sign up at the coffee barthank you!



Our trunk or treat event was so much fun! We had many kids and their families come through. Thank you to those who decorated their trunks, we hope you enjoyed the afternoon. Thank you to those who donated candy-<u>we used</u> <u>every last piece</u>! Thank you



Social media platforms to keep connected:

Instagram: prossercovenantpres Twitter: @PCovenantPres Church website: www.prosserpres.org Find us on Facebook too! November Birthdays: 11/04 Dick Poteet 11/06 Alan Steen 11/08 Gerry Don 11/09 Kathy Laws 11/12 Cora Bailey 11/14 Larry Wolters 11/17 Alison Bestebreur 11/19 Paul Christopher 11/19 Emily Schmick 11/19 Denny Fullerton 11/23 Heidi Bader 11/24 Luke Wolters 11/25 Glenda Schmidt 11/27 Grace Bestebreur 11/27 Isaac Bestebreur 11/27 Rebekah Bestebreur



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November Anniversaries: 11/17 Paul & Susie Christopher 11/18 Jack & Taylor Wutzke 11/29 John & MaryEllen Carman