

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Women's Ministry

The sky is not falling and the steadfast love of the Lord endures forever! This has been the refrain in my brain lately as I struggle with the circumstances of everyday life. Psalm 136 reminds us again and again that His steadfast love endures forever. My hope lies in the Lord who is good. My rest is in the one who made the heavens. My security is in the strong hand and outstretched arm of God. My identity is in the God of heaven who has remembered me and rescued me.

Ladies, usually we are celebrating fall and the start of new beginnings but this year feels heavy to me. I do sometimes want to just shout, "the sky is falling, the sky is falling." Yet, I know the sky is not falling—the Lord made the heavens! I know that His love endures forever, and I keep reminding myself that none of the difficulties that we are faced with right now are unknown to Him. Circumstances that seem out of control are not!

Give thanks to the Lord of lords,
For his steadfast love endures forever;
To him who alone does great wonders,
For his steadfast love endures forever;
To him who by understanding made the heavens,
For his steadfast love endures forever;
To him who spread out the earth above the waters,
For his steadfast love endures forever;
To him who made the great lights,
For his steadfast love endures forever;
The sun to rule over the day.
For his steadfast love endures forever;
The moon and stars to rule over the night,
For his steadfast love endures forever.

Psalm 136:4-9

So what does fall look like for the women of Covenant Presbyterian Church?

We are praying! Every Monday morning at 8:15 in the parlor women gather to pray for Covenant and for one another, and on Wednesday mornings in room 100 at 10:00, our pastors gather to pray with members.

We are starting Bible Study soon! Sunday night, Tuesday morning, and Wednesday night: [Details & Registration](#). We are studying 1&2 Peter, James, and DDD is launching a series on Finding Security with God.

We are cooking up ideas for Feast not Famine! Friday, November 12, with Anna Nash.
We are opening our doors to the Lovelady Center for our annual Christmas Dinner and Concert on Tuesday, December 14.
We are planning a Women's Retreat Friday, January 28 – Saturday, January 29.
We are gearing up for Sacred Studio March 11 – 12.
We are setting the table for Come to the Table on Sunday, April 24.

The Women's Ministry Committee would love for you to be part of the planning for these events. We need women who know how to work a spreadsheet, create an idea board, sing, organize, plan crazy games, and perform skits—you know who you are! [Sign up to serve!](#)

I would like to extend a special thanks for those who have served on the Women's Ministry Committee for the past two years and are rolling off:

Jessica Donald, Chair
Leslie Brooks, Discipleship
Megan Wise, Events
Jessica Dyess, Hospitality

I would like to welcome the following ladies who are taking on new roles or serving their second year:

Catherine Hogewood, Chair
Taylor Brown, Co-Chair
Victoria Long and Anna Kate Coffey, Discipleship
Lauren Hayes and Caty Bragg, Events
Annie Krepps and Rebekah Laws, Hospitality

These ladies work tirelessly to serve the women at Covenant through Bible Study, prayer, special events, outreach, missions, and much more. Please share your appreciation with those who are rolling off and offer your help to the 2021-2022 committee.

I am excited about this year and would appreciate your prayers as we move forward with plans that will, God willing, be as "normal" as possible. We are prepared to adjust as needed, and I am so thankful for your understanding and flexibility. It is a blessing to be supported and encouraged by each of you.

Many thanks,
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