



alexandria
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church

JUNE 9 2019
LOVING JESUS. BECOMING LIKE JESUS. SHARING JESUS.

SUNDAY EVENING PRAYER



Today, 6:30 pm

Begin your week refreshed with prayer! The second Sunday of the month, come for prayer and worship. There will be three segments of guided prayer; praise, kingdom prayers, personal requests.

Location: Great Room

"My house shall be a house of prayer." Mark 11:17

FAMILY FESTIVAL



June 26, 5:30 pm, Church Lawn

Come for outdoor games and food followed by a show by Jeremiah Gamble and the Vacation Bible School students at 7:00 pm. Storyteller, Jeremiah Gamble will present 'How the Groo Grew' in his signature silly and heartwarming style that will be entertaining for kids & adults.

SAVE THE DATE



July 28, 4:00 pm

Join us as we celebrate an outdoor baptism. Sign up to be baptized at alexandriacovenant.org or the Alexandria Covenant Church App.

Location: Keith & Jennifer Martinson home, 2155 S Burgen Dr SE, Alexandria

ALASKA MISSION TRIP

June 8-15

Please pray for the Alaska Mission Team as they serve Alaska Christian College in Soldotna, Alaska. Follow the team by visiting alexandriacovenant.org/travels. On this page, choose subscribe to receive blog updates in your email.

SUMMER PROJECT

WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

HYMNS OF PRAISE (8:00 am)

- #5 Great is the Lord
- #271 Rejoice the Lord is King
- #38 Worthy of Worship
- #429 Lead on O King Eternal

MEN'S QUARTET (8:00 am)

Victory in Jesus

MISSION MOMENT

FOOD & FIRE MEN'S BBQ

June 18, 6:00 pm

Men, come and try your hand at numerous lawn games, visit by the fire and enjoy delicious food. Bring your own lawn chair. RSVP by June 17 at alexandriacovenant.org or on church app.

Location: Nate Larson's Lawn, 1408 Steger Road NW, Alexandria

June 15-22

Please pray for the Summer Project team as they serve on the Standing Rock Sioux Reservation.

TEAM MEMBERS

- Benjamin Kakac
- Grant Moen
- Whitley Netland
- Grace Panther
- Adriana Schmitz
- Gabe Schneider
- Wes Siira
- Jacob Tiegen
- Anja Williams

LEADERS

- Brian Farka
- Joyce Farka
- Joelle Ost
- Caryn Rosengren
- Roger Rosengren
- Doug Schneider
- Anje Williams

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COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Check out our community bulletin board, located in the lower level near the elevator, for community events and information.

MISSION MOMENT

Ethiopia Mission Trip & Summer Project

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

CHILDREN'S CHURCH VIDEO

4 years-2nd grade
Covenant Kids 107, lower level

TODAY'S MESSAGE

Declaring the Kingdom
Pastor John LeVahn

FEATURED ON THE WEBSITE

alexandriacovenant.org
Visit the **Media** tab to view the weekly bulletin and watch past sermon messages.

CHURCH COMMUNITY BUILDER

alexandriacovenant.ccbchurch.com
You can have access to our church database 24/7! Log in to Church Community Builder (CCB) from any computer or mobile device connected to the internet.

Questions? Call the church office, 320.763.5659

ANNUAL MEETING

June 23, 2:00 pm

Join us as we look back at what God has done through our church and look ahead to what God has planned for our future. The 2019-2020 fiscal budget will be presented for approval and ministry reports will be presented. New Leadership Team members will be affirmed and an update to the by-laws will be presented.

Location: Patio

HIDE IT PROJECT

This week's scripture memory passage is: Mark 1:17-18. Text **HIDEIT** to **55222** to receive a weekly text message.


WHITE ROSE

The white rose at the front of the Worship Center represents a man who recently gave his life to Christ. Praise God for the seed He has planted.

welcome!

It's our sincere desire that you are welcome and at home here at Alexandria Covenant Church. Please stop by the Information Center and ask for a **Guest Guide** to help you become familiar with the life of our church.

- Nursery is available for infants - 3 years old.
- Assisted listening devices available at the Information Center

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prayer requests

- Adam Rinicker
- Joe Barnes

Patti Eckhoff's mother, Rita Cicharz, passed away May 27.

Gary Westphal's father, Harold, passed away May 31.

Sean Petermeier's mother, Patricia, passed away May 31.

Please remember these families in your prayers.

Sermon notes

Declaring the Kingdom

Mark 1:14-20

Series: The Jesus I Want You to Know

Pastor John LeVahn

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:00 am - Traditional

9:30 & 11:00 am - Contemporary

STAFF

John LeVahn
Senior Pastor

Dave Englund
Facility Specialist

Trinity Opp
Executive Pastor

Sue Davids
Facility Assistant

Dave Mergens
Pastor of
Adult Formation

Wayne Long
Part-time
Facility Assistant

Gregg Donnelly
Pastor of
Connection & Care

Jason Kimek
Facility Assistant
(seater)

Brian Farka
Pastor of
Student Ministry

Cheri Trimm
Administrative
Secretary

Chad Melton
Pastor of Middle
School Ministry

Jeanne Meyers
Financial Secretary

Nancy Holm
Director of Worship
Ministry

Kelsey Langager
Graphic Design &
Communications
Director

Chanda Winkels
Pastor of Elementary
Children's Ministry

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Part-time
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NEXT WEEK'S SERMON

The Authority of Jesus

Pastor John LeVahn



events this week

Details at alexandriacovenant.org/calendar

SUNDAY, JUNE 9

- 8:00 am Traditional Worship
- Worship Center
- 8:00 am Children's Church Video
- CK107
- 9:30 am Contemporary Worship
- Worship Center
- 9:30 am Children's Church Video
- CK107
- 11:00 am Contemporary Worship
- Worship Center
- 11:00 am Children's Church Video
- CK107
- 6:30 pm Sunday Evening Prayer
- Great Room

MONDAY, JUNE 10

- Noon Men's Bible Study - S101B
- 6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery - Hall

TUESDAY, JUNE 11

- 9:30 am Pursuing Holiness Women's Bible Study - GR204
- 6:00 pm Journey Women's Bible Study - GR204
- 6:00 pm Pursuing Holiness Women's Bible Study - S100

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12

- 6:30 pm It's Not Supposed to Be This Way Women's Class - S101A

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

- 8:30 am Mighty Women of Prayer
- H102
- 9:30 am Mothering On Purpose - Great Room
- 7:00 pm Cru - Alexandria Technical & Community College

FRIDAY, JUNE 14

- 6:00 am Men's Bible Study - H102

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

- 8:00 am Mighty Men of Prayer - H102

SUMMER BIBLE STUDIES *for women*

PURSUING HOLINESS

Tuesdays, 9:30-11:30 am, Great Room 204 or

Tuesdays, 6:00-8:00 pm, Study 100

June 11 - July 23

The Book of James gives practical guidance for "Pursuing Holiness" in everyday living. Endurance, humility, obedience and prayer are key ingredients to experience the meaningful life you are looking for. Nothing less will satisfy! Books available at first class. Childcare available upon request for infant - 10 years old.

Questions? Andyee Harris, 320.766.2019

JOURNEY

Tuesdays, 6:00-8:00 pm

June 11 - July 30

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to have Holy Spirit parenting along side of you? Have you dreamed of your home being filled with righteousness, peace and joy? Join us in this 8-week discussion as we empower and equip women to Journey deeper into relational parenting. Childcare available for infant - 10 years old.

Location: Great Room 204

Questions? Bekki Cozart, 320.760.2521 or Maureen Eigen, 320.766.8684

MOTHERING ON PURPOSE

Thursdays, 9:30-11:00 am

Beginning June 13

Join mothers of young children as we seek God's Word for wisdom and encouragement. Have you ever wished you could clear out your clutter and simplify your space? During this study, begin to understand why you hold onto things, eliminate what's crowding out real life and make room for the life of true abundance God desires for you. Childcare available for infant - 10 years old.

Location: Great Room

Questions? Jessica Thompson, 320.760.2196 or Bobbi Jo Crouse, 320.766.2233

SIGN UP AT ALEXANDRIACOVENANT.ORG OR
ON THE ALEXANDRIA COVENANT CHURCH APP.



New Programs



CONNECTIONS CALLING

This program connects a senior with a volunteer through phone conversations. The phone call provides routine social contact. Please contact us if you know a senior who would benefit.

THE GATHERING

2nd & 4th Tuesdays of month • Noon - 4:00 pm

The Gathering is a program designed to benefit family caregivers as well as care receivers. As a group respite program, it provides care receivers the opportunity to socialize with others and affords caregivers valuable time away. The Gathering is directed by an RN and trained volunteers with a 1:2 staff to client ratio.

PEER COMPANIONS

This existing program empowers older adults who may face the difficulties and changes of growing older. Volunteers listen to life stories and restore confidence through regular visits. Training provided.

Questions? Call 320.763.9084 or visit alexandriaeldernetwork.com.



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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



June 24 - 28 • 9:00 - 11:45 am
Alexandria Covenant Church

Kids will race from continent to continent to discover that no matter where we live, what language we speak or what shade of skin we have, we are all part of the same family - and we are all in need of the same Savior, Jesus Christ!

Register at alexandriacovenant.org/vbs
or on the Alexandria Covenant Church App.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- 2 - Registration Team (Mon & Tues)
- 2 - Greeters
- 5 - Decorating Crew (June 17-21 flexible)
- 5 - Decorating Crew (June 23, Noon-2:00 pm or 3:00-4:00 pm)
- 7 - Clean Up Crew (June 28, 11:15 am-1:00 pm)
- 2 - Special Needs Buddies

PRESCHOOL-KINDERGARTEN

- 7 - Crew Leaders - Adult
- 7 - Crew Leaders - Teen
- 2 - Crew Leaders (teen only)
- Crew Leader (Wed only)
- Crew Leader (Thurs only)
- 3 - Craft Helpers

ELEMENTARY

- 4 - Crew Leaders - Adult or Teen
- Crew Leader (Mon only)
- 2 - Craft Helpers

Sign up to serve at alexandriacovenant.org, on the Alexandria Covenant App or at the lobby table.

QUESTIONS?

Pastor Chanda, 320.763.5659
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