

February  
2010

# THE COVENANT CONNECTION

## Rec-on-cile: ( ' re-kən- , sī(-ə)l)



**Rec-on-cile:** ( ' re-kən- , sī(-ə)l) – to remove enmity and restore fellowship between two parties.

February is a month when we think of relationships. We all want strong, close, fulfilling relationships. But sometimes relationships are less than that – so much less that they are actually broken.

What does God say about broken relationships? Is there a way to remove the brokenness?

Can relationships be reconciled?

Each Sunday morning this month we will let the Bible address reconciliation in our real, everyday, and often broken relationships

There is an answer and healing in Jesus Christ!

“How good and pleasant it is when brothers live together in unity! It is like precious oil poured on the head, running down on the beard, running down on Aaron's beard, down upon the collar of his robes. It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion. For there the LORD bestows his blessing, even life forevermore.” (Psalm 133:1-3 NIV)

Mike Hooper and JC Santangelo were installed as elders for three year terms at our annual membership meeting, January 30, 2011. Thanks to Tim Pampell and Don Yarborough who served the last three years for us.

As reports of last year's meeting, a Pastoral Review, and 2010 financial reports were presented, we celebrated the gains God has given us.

A budget totaling \$200,500 for 2011 was ratified. This budget is different from our planning in the past. Beginning in March (after our winter missions emphasis) all of our missions support will be through faith promise giving. This change is to allow us to broaden our base locally as a church, as well as, involve each individual and family in a daily faith walk with God in supporting missions.

We thank God for the 8 new members received and 3 who were baptized in water in 2010. We also rejoice over the \$61,009 given for our missions total in 2010. We also thank God for providing for our children's ministries this past year with the addition of our Children's Pastors the Michellis. We also are seeing growth in our Impact Youth Ministry.

We are anticipating God to increase Covenant in every way in 2011!

Pastor Jeff

**Call to Stewardship**

<b>BUDGET</b>	<b>Actual Income</b>	<b>Actual Expense</b>
<b>Jan - Nov</b>	Tithes: 193,381	General Fund: 204,624
<b>\$214,000</b>	Missions: 41,326	Missions: 44,765
	Other: 20,309	Other: 13,627
	<b>Total: \$255,016</b>	<b>Total: \$260,016</b>

**The Ultimate Super Bowl Sunday Chili Smackdown!**



**Annual Chili Cook-Off Sunday, February 6<sup>th</sup> at Noon!**

The second annual chili cook-off is set for next Sunday February 6<sup>th</sup> following the morning service. All chili cookers bring your best chili for judging. Others bring another main dish and a side or dessert. Drinks will be provided.

*There will be no evening services on this day.*



Sunday evenings during February in the sanctuary, Jim Gross will minister from God's Word along the themes of the best-selling book **Downpour**. Want a downpour of God and His Spirit in your life? Your church? Your community? Then be with us Sundays at 5:00 PM.

Dear Covenant Family,

We continue to be excited about what God is doing with the children!! They really inspired a lot of people Sunday by the way they recited the Psalm passage.



The Bible club at Central Intermediate School is going well. Please pray for those children. Several have confided in us about tough family situations and several are expressing more & more interest in having a personal relationship with Christ.



Thank you for your continued love & encouragement.

Bro. Chris & Mrs. Katie

**Acts 1:8**

# February



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
<b>6</b> 9:15 a.m. Sunday School <b>10:30 a.m. WORSHIP</b> <b>Communion</b>  <b>Chili Cook-off</b>  <b>No Evening Services</b>	7	8	9	10	11	12
<b>13</b> 9:15 a.m. Sunday School <b>10:30 a.m. WORSHIP</b>  5:00 p.m. Worship Impact Student Ministry and HighPoint	<b>14</b> 	15	<b>16</b>  7:00 p.m. Elders Meeting	17	18	<b>19</b>  9:00 a.m. Joyful Hearts at Cooper Cafe
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**Chris Michelli**  
Children's Pastor

**Gayle Sullivan**  
Ministry Assistant

Covenant Community Church is people who seek to experience the fullness of God's presence and to glorify Him and their Savior, Jesus Christ. Our mission is to worship God, evangelize the lost, disciple believers, minister to others and to fellowship through genuine personal relationships while pursuing personal and corporate holiness, all within the power and anointing of the Holy Spirit.

#### **Ministries and Schedules**

As a multi-generational congregation, we offer a variety of ministries to develop you, your family and friends as disciples of Jesus Christ.

#### **Adults**

**Bible Studies Sundays @ 9:15 a.m.**

**Men's and Women's Ministries**

#### **Youth**

**Age-graded Sunday School Classes**

**Impact Student Ministry**

#### **Children**

**A nursery for all Sunday School Services  
(birth-3 years)**

**Honeybees (3-5 years)**

**HighPoint Children's Ministry**

#### **Sunday Worship Schedule**

<b>Bible Study</b>	<b>9:15 a.m.</b>
<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
<b>Evening Worship</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Impact Student Ministry</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>
<b>HighPoint Children's Ministry</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>