

# *The Church Mouse*



Weekly Newsletter  
Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church  
January 9, 2022  
Volume -1

## WORSHIP HAPPENINGS FOR THIS COMING WEEK

Baptism of the Lord Sunday  
First Sunday after Epiphany  
Worship at 10:30 am

### Rev. Dr. Doug Nagel: "Wade in the Water"

*Genesis 1:1-5 and Mark 1:4-11*

Wednesday, January 12, 2022  
Gamechanger Movie & Dinner  
5:30 PM – 7:30 PM



## Church Events:

- Jan. 9th- Ladies AA at 7 pm, Lori's Bible Study at 6 pm
- Jan. 12th- Men's Prayer Breakfast at 7 am, Taking Off Pounds Sensibly at 9 am, AA at noon, 5:30 Hurried Family Dinner and movie, Choir at 6 pm
- Jan. 13th- Handbell Choir at 4:30 pm, Session meets at 7pm
- Jan. 14th- AA at noon

### This week's anonymous thank you:

Thank you to **Deb Shelby** for her organization of putting up *AND* taking down the Christmas decorations. Taking everything down was very easy task and went quickly. Thanks to her good organization of all the details and parts that go into making our church look beautiful at Christmas time.

## Sunday Servants:

1 <sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY	2 <sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY	3 <sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY	4 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY
Dick Foard Chris Doyel William Crockett Brent Heath	Jim Rodarmel Louise Theberge John Kupiec Melissa Johnson	Jim Wesson John Ogburn Todd Coons John O'Briant Peder Wennberg	Doug Price Jane Price Bob McCreary Carter Richardson 5th Sunday: Captains
Liturgists for January:			
Dick Hellier	Skip Driggs	Julie Rodarmel	Sarah Harris 5th Sunday: Louise Theberge

### ATTENTION:

There is going to be a Called Congregational Meeting on Sunday January 16th right after worship to receive the 2022 Budget.

### Ephesians 3:17-19

17and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. 18I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, 19and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

### NOTES:

- **Parents of Youth on Main students:** we are resuming youth and Axis groups on the third Sunday of each month beginning January 16th from 5-7 p.m. Dinner will be provided for parents and youth. Our Axis group topic of discussion for this month is identity.
- Pastor Kathryn will be preaching on January 16th for Sanctity of Life Sunday. Her message will address the sanctity of life from the womb to the tomb, and a short video will be played at the end of the sermon about Care Net Peninsula-- a local, Christian non-profit pregnancy resource center.

### OFFERING ENVELOPES

**Do you need a new box??**

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**Since our offering envelopes do not use numbers or names, they are generic, you may pick up a new box from the table in the Narthex. If you can't find them, call the church office and I will get you a box.**

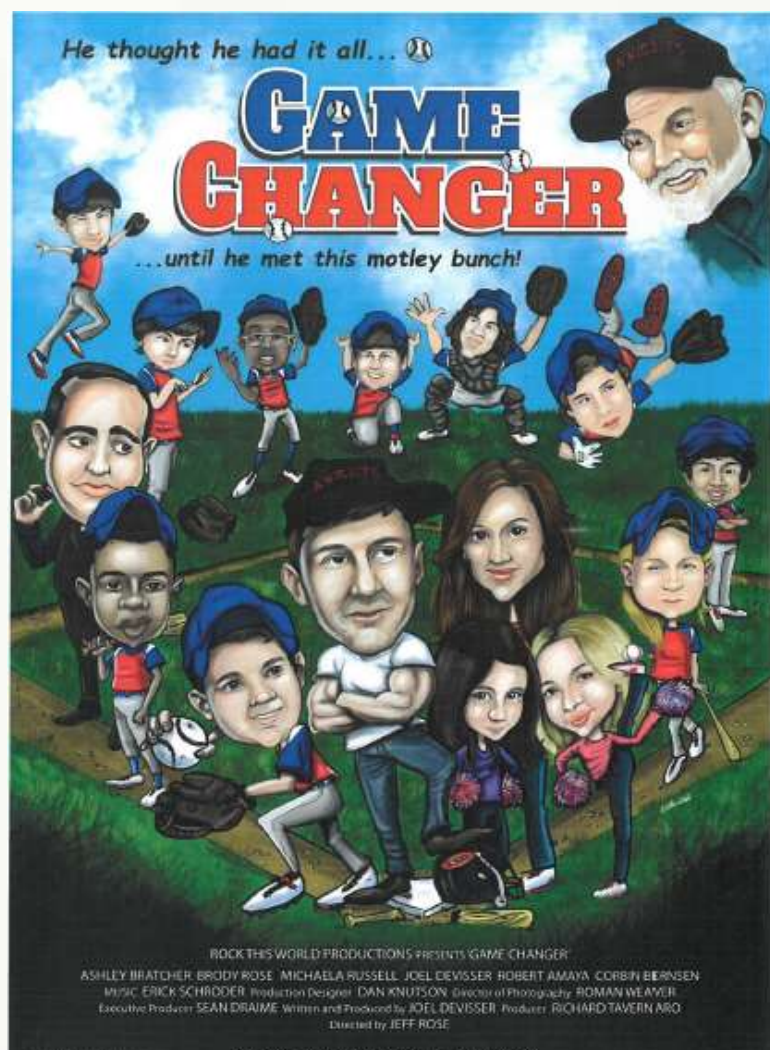
**Thank you,**

**Becky L. Foard**

On **January 12th** we'll be resuming our Wednesday **Hurried Family Suppers**. Join us for movie night from 5:30-8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We'll be watching "**Game Changer**" and having a brief discussion afterwards in our table groups. Dinner will be provided. This movie is suitable for the whole family so children will stay with their parents that night. Although the movie is being provided for us free of charge, the Christian non-profit film organization that sends this movie to churches does accept donations. If you'd like to support their ministry, you may give online at:

[rockthisworldproductions.com/donate](http://rockthisworldproductions.com/donate)

or send a check via mail to Rock This World Productions at 4124 Rosedown Ct. NW, Kennesaw, GA 30144.



# CELEBRATE!

## Birthdays:

Claudia Lamb	01/02
Max Healy Sr.	01/05
Kathy DeMet	01/06
Bernard Ambrose	01/07
Denise Finney	01/07
Kaitlyn Reynolds	01/07
Miki Markoff	01/07
Claudia Siesto	01/12
Amber Rhodes	01/12
Linda Phillips	01/15
Harper Jean Lutz*	01/19
Warren Deal	01/20
Laurence Wilkinson	01/20
Betty Wilson	01/21
Godwin Jones	01/22
George Rhodes Jr.	01/26
Ann Gentry	01/26
Judy Bailey-Kinker	01/28
George Miller	01/30
Leslie Sawyer	01/30
Penny Martin	01/30

\*Denotes a child

## Anniversaries:

Jason & Kimberly Robins	01/02
Joe & Jeannie Miller	01/02
Grant & Holly Smith	01/10
Mickey & Linda Healy	01/14
Allen & Judy Bailey-Kinker	01/30





Wed. Nights

Kids' Movie Night



VBS



Sunday Mornings



Looking back at 2021... We had some great times! Now let's get excited about 2022!

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**Raising Grace**  
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Fall Festival



Live Nativity



Easter Egg Hunt



Christmas Program



# DAILY LECTIONARY:

## Friday, December 31

Morning: Pss. 98; 148  
Evening: Pss. 45; 96  
1 Kings 3:5–14  
James 4:13–17; 5:7–11  
John 5:1–15

## Saturday, January 1

Morning: Pss. 98; 149  
Evening: Pss. 99; 8  
Isa. 62:1–5, 10–12  
Rev. 19:11–16  
Matt. 1:18–25

## Sunday, January 2

Morning: Pss. 48; 150  
Evening: Pss. 9; 29  
1 Kgs. 3:5–14  
Col. 3:12–17  
John 6:41–47

## Monday, January 3

Morning: Pss. 111; 145  
Evening: Pss. 107; 15  
1 Kgs. 19:9–18  
Eph. 4:17–32  
John 6:15–27

## Tuesday, January 4

Morning: Pss. 20; 146  
Evening: Pss. 93; 97  
Josh. 3:14–4:7  
Eph. 5:1–20  
John 9:1–12, 35–38

## Wednesday, January 5

Morning: Pss. 99; 147:1–11  
Evening: Pss. 96; 110  
Jonah 2:2–9  
Eph. 6:10–20  
John 11:17–27, 38–44

## Thursday, January 6

Morning: Pss. 72; 147:12–20  
Evening: Pss. 100; 67  
Isa. 49:1–7  
Rev. 21:22–27  
Matt. 12:14–21

## Friday, January 7

Morning: Pss. 46 or 47; 148  
Evening: Pss. 27; 93 or 114  
Deut. 8:1–3  
Col. 1:1–14  
John 6:30–33, 48–51

## A New Bible Study

We are starting a new Bible Study on February 2nd (*This is a change!*) meeting here at the church from 10-12 am.

This study is by Priscilla Shirer called **Elijah**. Anyone who wants to do this Bible Study is more than welcome to join us! For more information or if you wish to come, please email me at:

[Diannes5561@aol.com](mailto:Diannes5561@aol.com)

Thank you! **Diane Reynolds**

## Prayer Concerns:

Pray for Wesley and Betty Wilson, Dana Gilmour, David Guthrie, Virginia Wilkinson, Eva Towell, Matt Shackelford, Bob & Susan McCreary, Bert & Pat Perkins.

If you have a prayer request, even if it is unspoken, you may call the church office and your prayer request will be placed here.

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Virginia Powers  
York Convalescent & Rehab:  
Virginia Wilkinson  
Gloucester House:  
Oscar Northen



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