

## Our Week At A Glance: January 1—January 8

### Today

- 9:00 a.m. Swedish Pancake Breakfast  
10:00 a.m. New Year's Day Worship Service

### Monday

- 7:00 p.m. Men's Drop In Basketball  
7:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 8 Meeting

### Tuesday

- 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study  
9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study/Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Church Staff Meeting  
7:30 p.m. Co-Ed Bible Study—Psalms

### Wednesday

- 8:00 a.m. "The Final Quarter" for Men  
7:00 p.m. Flipside for Jr. High  
8:00 p.m. Men's Study—I Corinthians

### Thursday

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Book Study—Egg Harbor Restaurant  
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Saturday

- 9:00 a.m. Boy Scout/Red Cross Blood Drive

### Sunday

- 8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship Service  
10:00 a.m. Christian Education for All Ages  
10:00 a.m. Worship Service  
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service  
12:30 p.m. JBOP Lunch & Discussion for Hi-League  
7:00 p.m. Hi-League for Sr. High

Evangelical Covenant Church  
of Hinsdale

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Sam Randall, Youth Intern

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Ruth Rottschafer, Organist, Choir Director

Ann Wiesbrock, Accompanist

Dan Olson, Music Coordinator

Joel Johnson, Seminary Intern, Music Coordinator

Ainsley Edstrom, Linda Spinazola, Nikki Spinazola, Nursery

Mary Seiferth, Preschool Director

Laura Marth, JoAnn Willand, Office Staff

### Invitation to Worship

*Welcome. The notes in italics are intended to help us worship together this morning. The asterisk (\*) indicates when the congregation stands. Child care for children birth through five years of age is available in the Lower Level. Children's "zip lock" bags filled with arts, crafts, and stories are available in the sanctuary south wing. Hearing assistance is available in rows 6 & 7 of the sanctuary. If you have any questions, please ask an usher. Blessings to you in the new year.*

## 10:00 New Year's Day Worship

Prelude Video                      Birthday Party for Jesus

Welcome, Announcements, Call to Worship

\*Songs and Hymns of Worship

    "Forever"

    "I Stand Amazed"

\*Prayer of Praise and The Lord's Prayer (*sins*)

\*Greeting One Another

Scripture Reading                      I Timothy 4:6-16 (p. 964)

    The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!

Sermon    "Train Yourself in Godliness"    Pastor Paul Allen

Offering

Song        "Offering"

Invitation to The Lord's Supper

\*Affirmation of Faith

Words of Institution, Prayer of Consecration

Sharing the Bread and Cup

*All who confess Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord are invited to participate in Communion.*

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

\*Song        "Mighty to Save"

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

*The Benevolent Fund is now part of our annual budget to meet the financial needs of people in and around our church. A plate at the front is provided for additional gifts for the fund.*

## Praying For One Another

The Central Conference of the ECC, to which we belong.

The Melvin Family, at the death of Julie's father 12/16.

The Morrow Family, at the death of Scott's aunt Jean 12/21.

Jean Geurkink, recovering at home in FL from surgery.

Ruth Scarratt, at King-Bruwaert House.

The chancel flowers are given by the ECCH staff—may God bless each of you in the new year.

The rosebud is to celebrate the birth of Anders James, born 12/17 to Allison and Jon Voss. Proud grandparents are Jim and Robin Kramer. *Congratulations!*

**Hosts:** Fellowship Ministry—Swedish Pancakes

**January Ushers:** Craig Wright, Howard Jones, Hayes Barclay,

Jim Scott, Jim Carr, Larry Spencer, Karen Spencer

**January Altar Guild:** Jean Bristow



## The Apostles Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth;  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried;  
he descended into hades;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**  
**I believe in the Holy Spirit;  
the holy Christian Church;  
the communion of saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body;  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**