

**Evangelical Covenant Church**  
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This Week in Our Church Family

Today, Sunday, March 23, 2025

9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. Worship Service  
Scripture Alaina Kief  
Ushers Jesse Balk, Ahlden Harms

Sermon Text: Luke 13:1-9

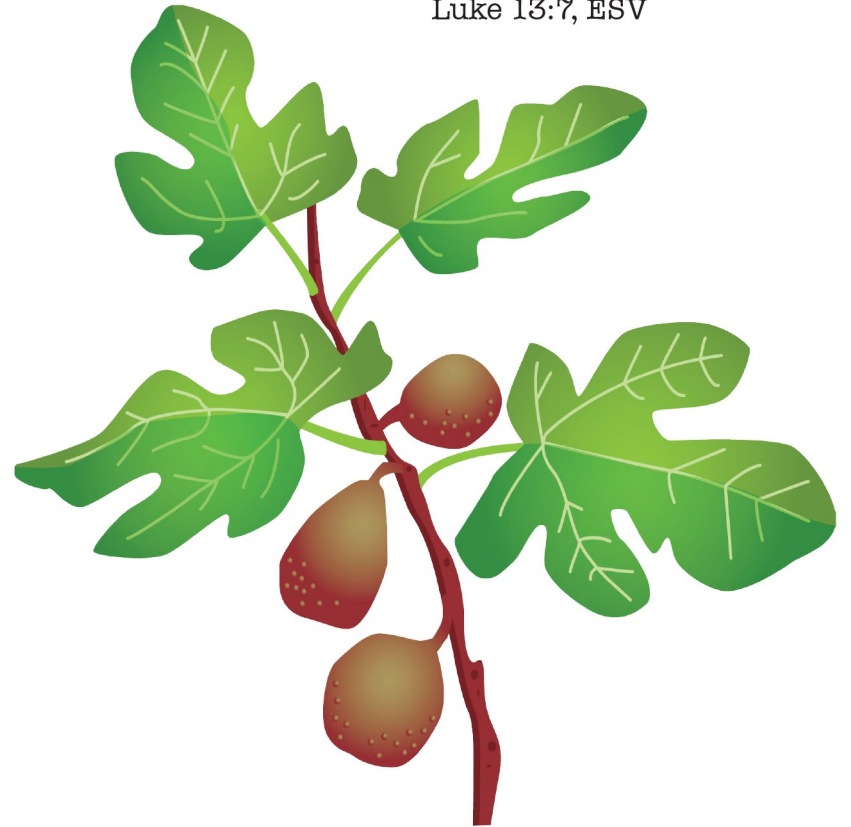
Wednesday, March 26, 2025

6:00-7:30 p.m. Lenten Family Nights

Next Sunday, March 30, 2025

9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. Worship Service  
Scripture Kathryn Sawyer  
Ushers Matt & Amy Jones, Diane Gustafson

*"I have come  
seeking fruit  
on this fig tree ..."*  
Luke 13:7, ESV



\*Hearing assistance devices available by request at the sound board



Evangelical Covenant Church  
 Third Sunday in Lent  
 March 23, 2025

Prelude  
 Welcome and Announcements  
 Greeting Time

Call to Worship

Praise Song: "God Will Make A Way"  
 Invocation  
 Praise Song: "Take My Life"

Scripture Readings:  
 Epistle Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-13  
 Gospel Reading: Luke 13:1-9

Children's Message

Pastoral Prayer  
 Lord's Prayer

Hymn: #222 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

Sermon: "What Do You Think?"

Hymn: #224 "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

Psalm 63:1-8

*Alaina Kief*

Benediction

Hymn of Response: #372 "Change My Heart, O God"

Postlude

Long Term/Home Care

Pat Nelson  
 Tom Harrison

Missions

Cathy Campobello  
*(Medellin, Colombia)*  
 Joe & Tammy Faulkinbury *(Covenant Mountain Mission Bible Camp; Jonesville, VA)*  
 Ted & Sharon Wingo *(South Carolina)*  
 Greta Henry *(Merci Ministries; Champaign, IL )*

Announcements

Lenten Family Nights will continue this Wednesday, March 26. There will be a meal at 6pm followed by a study until 7:30pm. Please sign up in the narthex to help with items needed for the meal. There will be activities for children pre-k thru 6th grade of adults attending.

Youth Group will meet this afternoon at 1:30pm

We will have a Men's Group Kickoff Breakfast at 8am Saturday, March 29. This will be a light continental style breakfast and we will discuss forming a Men's Group that will meet regularly throughout the year for Bible study and fellowship. If you are interested and would like more information please contact David Durham.

*If you would like to send cards to Jim Ecklund they can be mailed to:*

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 Pingree, IL 60140*