

Evangelical Covenant Church
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This Week in Our Church Family

Today, Sunday, August 2, 2026

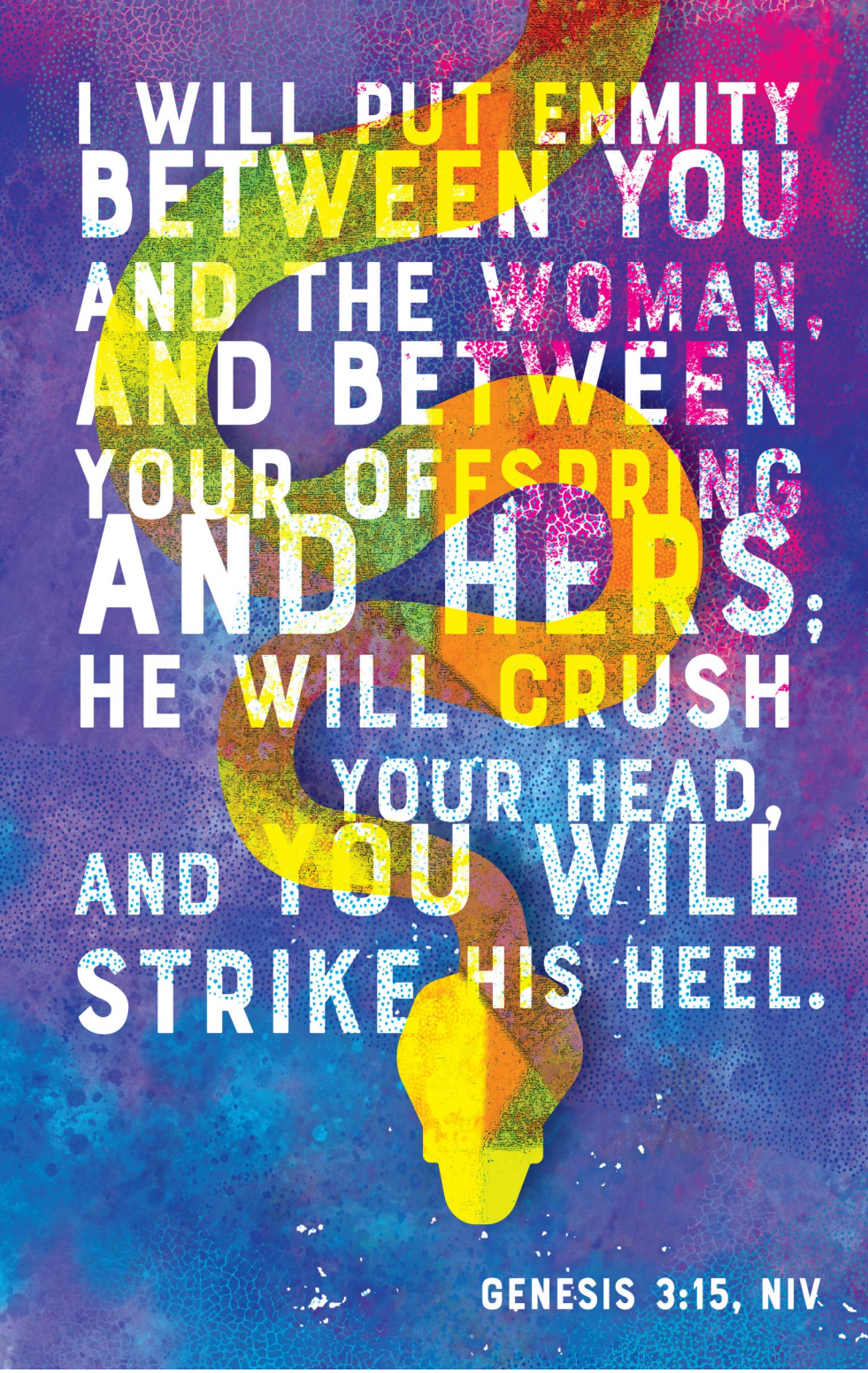
10:00 a.m. Church in the Park
Scripture Tonya Durham
Ushers Glen Foss, Melanie Harms

Monday, August 10, 2026

7:00 p.m. Board Meetings
8:00 p.m. Admin Board

Next Sunday, August 9, 2026

9:30 a.m. Worship Service
Scripture
Ushers Jesse Balk, Ahlden Harms



I WILL PUT ENMITY
BETWEEN YOU
AND THE WOMAN,
AND BETWEEN
YOUR OFFSPRING
AND HERS;
HE WILL CRUSH
YOUR HEAD,
AND YOU WILL
STRIKE HIS HEEL.

GENESIS 3:15, NIV



Evangelical Covenant Church
Tenth Sunday After Pentecost
August 2, 2026

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements
Greeting Time

Call to Worship Psalm 100

L: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.

P: Worship the LORD with gladness; come into His presence with singing.

L: Know that the LORD is God.

P: It is He that made us, and we are His; we are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

L: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise.

P: Give thanks to Him, bless His name.

L: For the LORD is good; His steadfast love endures forever,

P: And His faithfulness to all generations.

Praise song: "Almighty"

Invocation

Praise song: "Holy is the Lord"

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament: Genesis 3:1-19

Tonya Durham

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven.

Hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

Praise song: "You Are Worthy of My Praise"

Sermon: "The Grace in the Curse"

The Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Affirmation of Faith: #878 Apostles' Creed

Hymn: #568 "Come Share the Lord"

Words of Institution

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Benediction

Hymn of Response: #443 "Jesus Loves Me"

Postlude

Long Term/Home Care

Betty Lesus

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

There will be a Congregational Meeting Sunday, August 9 following the Worship service.

Church Boards will meet Monday, August 10 at 7pm followed by an Admin Board meeting at 8pm.

There will be membership classes held on the 3rd and 4th Sunday of August. Please see Pastor Keith if you would like to become a member.

**Offering plates are located on the table by the soundboard*