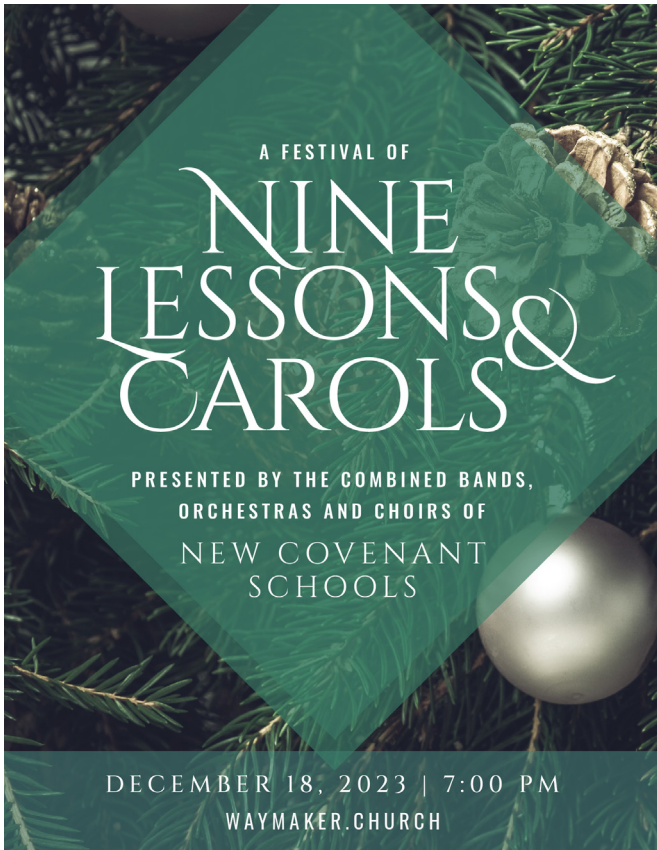


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NCS HOMECOMING 2024

Friday, January 5

Join us for refreshments, visit with fellow alumni and faculty, and receive a free gift. Then cheer on our Gryphons to victory!

- 5:30-7:00 pm ● Reception in the Epic Hallway
- 6:00 pm ● Women's Basketball Game
- 7:30 pm ● Men's Basketball Game
- Halftime ● Alumni Recognition
- Saturday 1:30-3:30pm ● Alumni Open Gym in the Workman Field House

Mark your calendars! We look forward to seeing you on January 5-6, as we cheer on our Gryphons and catch up with fellow alumni and faculty. Refreshments and a free gift will be provided for our alumni.

FUNDRAISING REPORT

	GOAL	RECEIVED
Annual Fund/Permanent Things	\$300,000	\$39,411
General Scholarship	\$10,000	\$54,836
Scholarship Foundation	\$300,000	Pledged \$259,600 Received \$160,551

Please consider New Covenant Schools in your giving. All gifts are tax-deductible to the extent that the law provides. Donations may be given through cash, check, stock transfers, or IRA distributions. Contact **Dayna Renalds** in the Development Office for more information.

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EVERYONE

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LESSONS & CAROLS

Join us for our annual service of Lessons & Carols on **Monday, December 18 at 7:00pm** at Waymaker.Church (1650 Hooper Road, Forest, VA). A combined School of Rhetoric Band, Orchestra and Choir will be performing with participation from 7th & 8th grade students. Students participating in the service should arrive at 6:00pm. Doors to the sanctuary will open for guests at 6:30pm. Childcare is available for children birth to four years old. Cookies and coffee will be served before the service. All are welcome!

DELAYED START TIME

New Covenant Schools will open tomorrow **Tuesday, December 19 at 9:00am**. *Students should arrive no earlier than 8:30am.*

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Grammar School and the 5th & 6th Grade Band, Orchestra, and Choir

will be performing a Christmas concert at 9:15am in the Moomaw Center on **Tuesday, December 19**. All are welcome to attend!

CHRISTMAS DRESS DAY

Tomorrow **Tuesday, December 19**, all students may wear a Christmas-themed shirt or a red and/or green shirt. Middle School and SOR students may wear jeans or uniform bottoms with closed-toe shoes. Grammar School students must wear uniform bottoms, but girls may choose to wear a Christmas dress.

CHRISTMAS BREAK

The end of the 2nd quarter and the beginning of Christmas Break is on **Tuesday, December 19**. We will have a **12:00pm dismissal on the 19th** and school will break for Christmas through Wednesday, January 3 with students returning on **Thursday, January 4**.

LOST AND FOUND

All items left unclaimed in the Lost and Found will be purged and donated tomorrow. Please take the time to check for any of your family's personal items. Lost and Found is located at the end of the 100 hallway.

✓ A PERFECT TASK OVER BREAK

APPLY NOW FOR THE TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (TAP)

The Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) for 2024-25 school year is accepting applications through **January 15**. There is high demand for assistance, and it is awarded on a first-come, first-served basis, so apply early! Go to <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid/apply>. See email sent on **October 31** for details and instructions.

THE TIME OF OUR LIVES: REFLECTIONS ON THE CHURCH CALENDAR

This year Headmaster Heaton is journaling notes on his blog about the Church's calendar year. December 17 was the third Sunday in Advent. Each week our Headmaster will post his reflections on the calendar, which you can read at the link here: newcovenantschools.org/my-ncs/blog/



Gryphon JV Girls' Basketball playing tight defense against Lynchburg Homeschool in a recent matchup.