



# THE CREST



Crestwood Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

*Celebrating a Spirit-Filled Journey of Faith*

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**AUGUST 8, 2010**  
**ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Worship**  
8:30 & 10:45 a.m.  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School

**Scripture**  
Matthew 5:13-16

**Sermon Series:**  
*Me, An Evangelist?!?!*

**Sermon**  
*"Do I Have What It Takes?"*  
Rev. Kory Wilcoxson

## WEDNESDAY EVENT GOES TO ECUADOR!!!

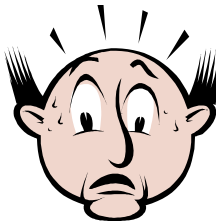


Join us for Wednesday Event on August 25<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in Chalice Hall when our mission travelers, Carleen Adams, Rick Fern and Mary Taylor, will present their recent trip to Ecuador. They participated with the Shoulder-to-Shoulder Ministry, sponsored by the University of Kentucky and Christ the King church. Shoulder-to-Shoulder builds and operates health clinics in Ecuador. Mission trip participants share in a variety of tasks which support these clinics. Come and hear more on August 25<sup>th</sup>. You'll see a PowerPoint presentation and hear reflections from Carleen, Rick and Mary. Cookies and beverages will be provided. Join us as we celebrate this

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## ME, AN EVANGELIST?!?



The word "evangelist" may conjure up for us images of slick-haired snake-oil salesmen and poofy-haired over-makeuped church ladies, but in reality Christ calls all of us to be evangelists. Even you! And if God calls us, then God equips us to do the job. For the sermons in August, we'll be looking more closely at this call and how we can answer it. It doesn't involve soapboxes, standing on corners handing out Bibles or confronting "sinners." In fact, I guarantee you already have everything you need to be a great evangelist.

- August 8 - Do I Have What It Takes?
- August 15 - But I Don't Know Who!
- August 22 - What Do I Say?
- August 29 - Does It Really Matter, Anyway?

## ONE K-1 SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER STILL NEEDED!

This coming Sunday School year we are still in need of one teacher for Kindergarten and 1st grade. If you are interested or would like to ask questions about what this entails, please call Mike at 266-04 9 or email him at [mike@crestwoodchristian.org](mailto:mike@crestwoodchristian.org) or talk to Christy Harris.

## LOOKING FOR OUR NEW ACOLYTES

Calling all new third-graders! We need your help to make our worship complete. Parents and grandparents, if your child/grandchild is going into third grade, please email Candice Chaffin at [cchaf2@email.uky.edu](mailto:cchaf2@email.uky.edu) with their names so she can add them to our list of acolytes. They will be provided training and scheduled to serve in the coming months.



# Parish News

## BIRTHDAYS

**August 8** - Kelly Greinke; **9** - Eleanor Chenault, William Cooper, Georgia Dublow, Rob Quammen, Olivia Greinke; **10** - Sylvia Griffin, Barry Swihart, Carolyn Wood, Allison Rogers; **11** - Jennifer Todd, Clayton Wallace; **12** - Marilyn Miracle, Alice Hays, Sally Moore, Christy Harris, Erin Keesy, Daniel Holland; **13** - Jerry Woodall, Casey McDonald, Susan Shanklin; **14** - Sherri Newman, Jin Havens, Fran McKinney, Barbara Cooper, Grace Miller, Bill Johnson, Kelly Barnes, Kelly Hainsworth

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**Members** - Laura Kaczmarek and Family, Elaine Lollis, Sue Michael, Eugenia Witt

**Family of Members**- \*Bill Boyle, Betty Carol Cook, Landra Cowgill, Mike DeVore, Sue Garrison, Nancy Hilen, Elise Lackey, Hannah Lee, Joan Tandy

**Friends of Members**- \*Maddy Armstrong, Glenn Bobbitt, Anne Castleberry, Jo Elkins, \*Jen Kirby Evans, Kay Garner, \*Carlos Gomez, Scott Gibson, Kristi Long, \*Alyssa Meadows, Rick Shaw and Family, Jan Sullivan, \*Ben Watson, Laura Winn

**Armed Forces**- Jason Birdsall, Austin Cheek, Russell Gibbs, Eddie Gillon, Patrick Ritter, David Schloesser, Rocy Shapla, Courtney Spragens, Travis Taulbee

**Our Global Mission Partners**- Carla Giger, Johannesburg, South Africa

**Our World Community**- The conflict in Afghanistan, and all of our brothers and sisters affected by earthquakes around the world.

\* **Names added this week**



## A WORD FROM KORY...

Leigh and I both grew up having dogs around the house. Some of our fondest memories as children come from our four-legged friends. My personal favorite was Beau, a chocolate-colored Chesapeake Bay Retriever, a 120-pound teddy bear who loved to swim. Because of our daughter Molly's allergies, we are not able to own a dog right now, and that's been hard for us. We miss the companionship and joy a dog brings to our lives.

I recently read an article in a ministry magazine called "The Puppy Principle." The author, Stan Toler, talked about the importance of putting people first, and he said in this area we could learn a lot from puppies. As we move into our sermon series on evangelism, I thought these principles were good advice for any of us who are called to reach out to others.

**Puppies care about your presence, not about your past.** Puppies don't care where you've been, what you've been doing, or whether you are on time or late. They are simply glad to see you. They are forgiving by nature. Churches should be grace-filled places where a person's past does not become an obstacle their ability to experience God in the present. We are called to offer people a second chance.

**Puppies are terrible at hiding their intentions.** Puppies are incapable of faking their emotions. Their sloppy kisses, jump-up greetings and furious tail-wagging are completely genuine. People can see through us when we are artificial and will often avoid having to deal with us. But if we are genuine, honest and consistent, we communicate to others that they are important enough to us that we want to be fully present with them.

**Puppies aren't concerned with pedigrees.** I have yet to hear of a puppy asking for an ID before greeting their owner. Puppies don't care about credentials; they only want to know they are loved. We can't put so much stock in a person's pedigree that we miss the human being standing right in front of us. Just because a person has a lot of letters after their name doesn't make them any more or less worthy of our attention.

**Puppies are loyal by nature.** Puppies are not fickle in their allegiances. Their loyalty is a part of their DNA. Even when owners mess up, puppies are still there. We are called to be loyal to the people around us, even when they are not at their best. Peter denied knowing Jesus three times, and yet Jesus stood behind him as Peter grew in his faith. God never gives up on us, so we should do our best to stay loyal to others.

**Puppies are enthusiastic.** I dare you to not smile when you see a puppy. Is it humanly possible? Puppies exude joy wherever they go. We are filled with the joy of God's love to the point where it should overflow from us to others. We have something in Jesus Christ that is absolutely contagious and we are called to let it infect the world. How can we not be excited when we think about all God has done for us?

Those are the Puppy Principles. Even if we can't follow them all of the time, how would our lives be different if we were more like puppies? More importantly, how could we change the lives of those around us? If a puppy can do it, why can't we?

## MISSION CENTER LOAN

Original construction loan 2001: \$1,150,000.00

Loan balance as of 6/15/2010: \$613,072.93

## STEWARDSHIP & ATTENDANCE

August 1, 2010

### Contributions:

Pledges & Offering \$22,421.00

### Attendance:

Sunday School 69

Worship & Wonder 21

Detention Center

8:30 a.m. Worship 70

10:45 a.m. Worship 239

Total Worship 309

# SERVING THIS SUNDAY

## Elders

**8:30 Service:** Glen Hughes

**10:45 Service:** David Miller and Dabney Parker

## Ushers

**8:30 Service:** Fanny Hughes and John Royse

**10:45 Service:** Sice Shanklin, David Henry, Carol Rogers, Sara Gretz

## Deacons

**8:30 Service:** Libby Sharpe and Carolyn Miller

**10:30 Service:** Tracy Lovan, Joel Lovan, Will Lovan, Jeff Van Deursen, Faye Isaacs, Emily McClendon, Jason Taylor III

**Choir:** Bill Johnson and Charles Lane

**Set-Up:** Tracy Lovan

**Clean-Up:** Emily McClendon and Jeff Van Deursen

## Acolyte

**10:45 Service:** Sydney Wilcoxson



## COLETTE'S CORNER

by Colette Hensley

I'm settling back in to the routine and getting my office settled. It's nice to be back although it still feels a little unreal at times. If I've missed something you want me to know about, please tell me or e-mail me with the update. My new e-mail address is: [Colette@crestwoodchristian.org](mailto:Colette@crestwoodchristian.org) Please feel free to contact me by text as well at 859-351-9699. I'll try to respond as promptly as possible. There are a few computer issues to get worked out and then I'll be up and running again.

My sabbatical was a restful time. It was a time that I needed in order to be renewed. Thank you for that opportunity. I'm looking forward to catching up and moving forward as we get into Fall programming.

I'm glad to be one of your ministers!

Colette



## GREEN LINES

The water heater is the second largest energy user in the American home. Turning the temperature down 10 degrees saves 6% of the energy used.



## WORSHIP VISITORS - JULY 25, 2010

Stephanie Caro, Brenda Crunk, Jean Daniels, Bobbie Jo Franklin, Jimmy Franklin, Cari Greme, Mickey & Cathy Howard, Christopher James, Nancy Kesten, Christy Lewis, Robbie Sloan, Elizabeth Slone, Michael & Rebecca Swartzentruber, Brandon Virgin and Liz Brasie, Margie White

If you know someone who visited this week, call them and invite them back to Crestwood!

## DID YOU DONATE PROPS FOR VBS?

If so, they are sitting outside Mike's Office, waiting for you to claim them. Thank you for your donation.



**REMINDER: ARTICLES FOR SUBMISSION IN THE CREST ARE DUE NO LATER THAN 10 A.M. ON MONDAYS.**



## UK FOOTBALL GAME PARKING SEASON PASS!!!

That is right, if you park at Crestwood, support our youth, and would like to be a Season Pass Holder with a reserved spot, then this is your year. For the first time we are selling a limited number of reserved spots for the entire Car Park season. You will get the same spot each week and it is reserved until 20 minutes before kickoff, and you can give your pass to a friend if you are not going to make it to that week's game. Passes will be \$50 for the season and they are first come first served. If you would like more information, please contact Mike at 859-266-0459 or [mike@crestwoodchristian.org](mailto:mike@crestwoodchristian.org)

## SABBATICAL SHARING



We are pleased to welcome Rev. Colette Hensley back from her sabbatical and eager to hear what she has learned about health, wholeness and spirituality. Next Wednesday, Aug. 11, at 7 p.m. in Chalice Hall, she will share with the congregation her sabbatical experience. Please make plans to come and hear how Crestwood will benefit from Colette's sabbatical time.

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## Mary and Joseph Class

The Mary and Joseph Class is beginning a new series entitled, **NOOMA**, a name that comes from the phonetic spelling of the Greek word *pneuma*, meaning wind, breath or spirit. Jesus lived with the awareness that God is doing something, right here, right now, and anybody can be a part of it. He encouraged his listeners to search, to question, to wrestle with the implications of what he was saying and doing. Wherever he went, whatever he did, Jesus started discussions about what matters most, because for Jesus, God is always inviting us to open our eyes and join in. **NOOMA** is a series of short films that explore our world from a perspective of Jesus. **NOOMA** is an invitation to search, question, and join the discussion.

## Spiritual Life Class

*Gospeled Lives: Encounters with Jesus.* John Indermark has written an amazing study of biblical characters who encountered Jesus, and then responded in a variety of ways. Our unit on Transformation continues. This week, we'll discuss the faith of the Canaanite woman; read about her in Matthew 15:21-28. Contact person: Cyd Cowgill.

## ANCHOR CLASS

The Anchor Class will begin a new summer series, God's Tapestry: Reading the Bible in a World of Religious Diversity by W. Eugene March. "With open eyes and listening hearts", reconsideration of some key biblical passages will be examined and suggestions for engagement explored. Everyone is welcome to join this discussion at any point on a single Sunday or every Sunday. The format will be interactive with facilitation by Tom Dobbs and Topsy Staten.

## BRADFORD CLASS

*Standard Lesson Quarterly: Teachings on Community.* Our Spring lessons are about the early church, its joy as well as its challenge to live into resurrection life. Contact person: Ellen Frost

## FAITH CLASS

Starting next Sunday, Aug. 8, Kory will be leading this class as they explore current issues making news and what our faith has to say about them using "The Wired Word" resource. If you would like to receive the mid-week email in preparation for this class, please email Kory at [kory@crestwoodchristian.org](mailto:kory@crestwoodchristian.org). Contact person: Carol Rogers

## LIBRARY CLASS

Continues as a friendly, in-and-out class which engages in a wide range of current issue discussions. Contact person: Loren Broadus

## SEEKERS CLASS

The Seekers have begun studying a new curriculum entitled "The Wired Word," a resource that identifies a current issue per week, lifting up that issue in theological, biblical and spiritual contexts for study and reflection. Contact person: Libby Wachtel



## NEW BETH MOORE STUDY

From Thursday, September 9 through Thursday, November 4, Beth Moore's study of the Book of Revelation, entitled, Here and Now, There and Then, will be offered in the Bradford room, at 9:45 am. This will be a DVD series; the cost of the study book is \$9. RSVP will Cyd if you are interested in attending. All Crestwood women are invited.

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## FISH FRY FOR THE PARENTS OF YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

The Parents of Young Adults gathering for July will be August 6, at 6:30 p.m. The event is a Fish Fry at the home of Donna and Sonny Wray, 3289 Bellefonte Dr. Please let Donna know by way of e-mail ([dcwjmw1@insightbb.com](mailto:dcwjmw1@insightbb.com)) or calling (278-1518) if you are coming and to see to what to bring.

Sunday Worship - 8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.  
 Church School—9:30 a.m.  
 Children's Worship - following Children's Time at 10:45 a.m. Worship  
 Children's Worship & Wonder—Sundays 11 a.m.-12—Children's Chapel  
 Sanctuary Choir—Thursdays at 7 p.m.  
 AA Meeting—Friday 8 p.m. (Chalice Hall), Saturday 7:30 a.m. (Anchor Room - Men's Group), and Saturday 8 p.m. (Bradford Room)  
 Alanon Meetings— Thursdays 7:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

# Crestwood Christian Church

## August 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>1</b> 12 p.m. Crestwood Crash Course</p> <p><b>Youth Ministry Architects - Youth Rooms</b></p>	<p><b>2</b></p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>Kings Island Day for Youth</b></p>	<p><b>4</b> 7 p.m. - 9 F.A.R.C. Meeting - Conference Room</p>	<p><b>5</b> 7 p.m. Heart-To-Heart Ministry Team - Conference Room</p>	<p><b>6</b> 10 a.m. Bridge - Bradford Room 5 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p> <p><b>COW Weekend</b></p>	<p><b>7</b> 5 p.m. Wedding - Sanctuary</p>
<p><b>8</b> 12 p.m. Sunday School Teacher Meeting &amp; Luncheon - Bradford Room 4 p.m. 7 Children's Game Night 6:30 p.m. Fayette County Detention Center Worship &amp; Communion Service</p> <p><b>COW Weekend</b></p>	<p><b>9</b> 10 a.m. Stephen Ministers - Faith Room 6 p.m. Green Team - Conference Room 7 p.m. Property Ministry Team - Library</p>	<p><b>10</b> 10 a.m. - Bridge - Bradford Room 6 p.m. Faith In Action - Mary &amp; Joseph Room 6:30 p.m. Evangelism Ministry Team Meeting - Bradford Room</p>	<p><b>11</b> 7 p.m. Sabbatical Sharing Program by Colette Hensley - Chalice Hall</p>	<p><b>12</b> 3:30 p.m. Stephen Ministers - Faith Room 6 p.m. Childcare Council - Administrative Wing 7 p.m. Finance Ministry Team Meeting - Conference Room</p>	<p><b>13</b> 10 a.m. Library Work Day 5 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>14</b> 5 p.m. Wedding - Sanctuary, Chalice Hall, Kitchen</p>
<p><b>15</b> 12 p.m. Elders Lunch - Chalice Hall</p>	<p><b>16</b> 6:30 p.m. Constitution and By-Laws Meeting - Library 7 p.m. Mary Martha DWM - Chalice Hall 7 p.m. Young Adult Ministry Team Meeting</p>	<p><b>17</b> 9:45 a.m. Naomi DWM - Bradford Room 6:30 p.m. Shalom/Social Justice Ministry Team Meeting - Bradford Room</p>	<p><b>18</b> 10 a.m. Dorcas DWM - Library 7 p.m. Cabinet Meeting - Chalice Hall</p>	<p><b>19</b> 6:30 p.m. Choir Party 7 p.m. DOC - Youth Rooms &amp; Gym</p>	<p><b>20</b> 10 a.m. - Bridge - Bradford Room</p>	<p><b>21</b> 8:30 a.m. - Men's Breakfast - Chalice Hall</p>
<p><b>22</b> <b>Promotion Sunday and Youth Kick-Off</b> 12 p.m. Reception for Bill Tozer - Chalice Hall 6:30 p.m. Fayette County Detention Center Worship &amp; Communion Service 7 p.m. Church Ice-Cream Social - Courtyard</p>	<p><b>23</b> 9:30 a.m. Garden Club - Anchor Room</p>	<p><b>24</b></p>	<p><b>25</b> 10 a.m. Hannah DWM - Library 7 p.m. Wednesday Event - Ecuador - Chalice Hall</p>	<p><b>26</b> 7 p.m. DOC - Youth Rooms &amp; Gym</p>	<p><b>27</b></p>	<p><b>28</b></p>
<p><b>29</b> 12 p.m. Baby Shower for the Makola family - Chalice Hall 12 p.m. Crestwood Crash Course - Administrative Wing</p>	<p><b>30</b></p>	<p><b>31</b> 10 a.m. Bridge - Bradford Room</p>				

## DISCIPLES WOMEN'S MINISTRY AND LOCAL OUTREACH ARE SPONSORING A SEPTEMBER SERVICE PROJECT

Disciples Women's Ministry and Local Outreach are sponsoring a September service project to benefit Millcreek Elementary School. Donations of dress code approved clothing are being requested. By providing the details now we are hoping you might find an item on sale while you're out shopping, or perhaps you'll stop at a garage sale or clean out your children's closet this summer.

These donations will help Millcreek Elementary clothe students who have relocated to this area or have a daily emergency. Your generosity will also help support their "Dress Code Trade in Program" this fall. Below are listed the descriptions and sizes of items that are needed:

New or Gently Used Items for Millcreek Elementary School  
Children's sizes 8 to 14

**Pants and Bottoms** - blue, black, brown or khaki

Docker or khaki style pants

Capri length, skirts, shorts or skorts

Can be elastic or have belt loops

Shorts must be no shorter than the width of a dollar bill above the knee

**Shirts and Tops** - solid color collared shirts

Must have 2 or more buttons

Can be long or short sleeve

**Dresses** - Khaki, black, blue, brown

Jumper style (to be worn with a collared shirt)

Shirt style dress must be collared

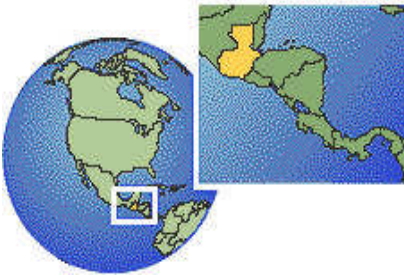
Can be long or short sleeve

Donations can be placed in the bins in Chalice Hall. Contact Sheri Shaver @ 224-1040 if you have questions. Thanks for your support.



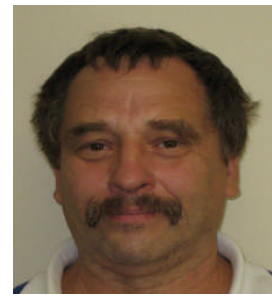
### SPEAKING OF GUATEMALA... YOU ARE INVITED

LaVece Hughes recently returned from a mission trip to Guatemala and will be speaking to the Seekers Sunday School class this Sunday morning, August 8<sup>th</sup>, about her visit. *Building an addition to a home, working on an addition to a home for girls, and teaching in a local school with the local Guatemalans was a very humbling experience. We were honored to be the hands and sore backs of God, to help our Guatemalan brothers and sisters.* You are welcome to join the Seekers at 9:30 a.m. in their Mission Center classroom.



### AUGUST ELDERS' LUNCHEON

The Elders' meeting will be held on August 15<sup>th</sup> at noon in Chalice Hall. The program will be Lexington Seminary presented by Sonny Wray. Lunch will be provided by Dabney Parker and Ed and Mary Ann Miller.



### MEET OUR NEW HEAD CUSTODIAN

We are happy to introduce Rick Zudonyi as the new Head Custodian for Crestwood. Rick has been our part-time custodian for the past 18 months. He recently retired from the Fayette County Schools custodial services where he worked at Glendover Elementary for several years. Please welcome Rick to Crestwood as part of our church staff.

August 1, 2010

Dear Crestwood Christian Church,

Thank you again for opening your church for the Meeting the Challenges and Opportunities of Aging Conference on May 22, 2010. The meeting spaces were ideal for our conference and everyone who attended was grateful for the accessibility of the parking and building. We are most appreciative of your hospitality and the helpfulness of your staff.

We rely primarily on community support and donations to fund the conference and your generosity allows us to continue offering the conference to seniors and caregivers at an affordable price. Due to the level of financial support we received, we are pleased to offer the enclosed donation of \$500 as a token of our appreciation.

We hope to continue working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

Diana Caldwell,  
Meeting the Challenges and Opportunities of Aging Chair



## NEW CHILDREN AND YOUTH GROUP TIMES

You are reading correctly! Starting on Sunday, September 12, we will have new Children and Youth group times.

Our CCF (five years old through Kindergarten) will still meet following church from noon-1:45 p.m. on the first and third Sundays of the month.

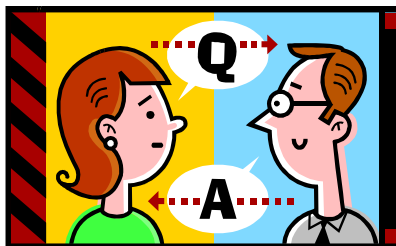
The rest of our groups will move to a new schedule starting at 4 p.m. and finishing at 7 p.m. This will include Angel Choir, Youth Music, Church Service Projects, Snack Supper, Gym Game time, and fellowship groups for all 1<sup>st</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> graders. A detailed list of times and how this works will be posted on the church website, is being mailed to each family, and will be emailed on the Constant Contact list. If you have questions, please let Mike know at [mike@crestwoodchristian.org](mailto:mike@crestwoodchristian.org).

## GETTING TO KNOW YOU

If you weren't able to take part in a Holy Conversation or have something you'd like to share with me, give me a call or an email so we can set up a lunch time. In the busyness of my work I often neglect this important ministry, so I want you to take the initiative and let me know if you'd like to have lunch. I would really enjoy spending time together. ~Kory

## TAKE A CRASH COURSE!

Would you like to know more about Crestwood? On **Sunday, August 29**, we'll be holding a "Crestwood Crash Course" after the 10:45 a.m. worship service in the Administration Wing. This is a great opportunity to meet some of the leadership of the church, learn more about Crestwood and ask any questions you might have.



## TRANSITIONAL PRESIDENT OF CHURCH EXTENSION

Lori Adams, has been appointed Transitional President of Church Extension, a general unit of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). Lori is the daughter of Crestwood member Carlene Adams. She grew up, made her confession of faith and was baptized at Crestwood. After graduating from Tates Creek High School, Lori earned her undergraduate degree from Vanderbilt University and her Master and Doctor of Divinity degrees from Vanderbilt Divinity School. Lori will serve as Transitional President during this time of organizational change at Church Extension.

Jim Powell has stepped down as President of Church Extension after 27 years of exceptional leadership and became Senior Advisor for Advancement. In his new responsibility, Jim will nurture relationships that will support the mission of Church Extension into the future.

## DISCIPLE'S ADVOCATE MAGAZINE

Available at the North and South Sanctuary doors are copies of "The Disciples' Advocate," a magazine published by Disciples of Christ Home Missions in Indianapolis. In this issue is an article on Mie, Madeline, Christ and Favour Makola, our refugee family from the Democratic Republic of Congo. If you'd like to subscribe, visit [discipleshomemissions.org](http://discipleshomemissions.org), or call 888-346-2631.

## Financial Update

We have completed half of 2010 and there is excellent news - contributions are ahead of budget projections by \$20,035!! Expenses are slightly over budget by \$ 3,782. A year after being very concerned about how we would meet expenses, God has provided. The only point of concern is that June contributions were \$8000 less than budgeted. So each of us needs to bring our pledge current if we have fallen behind in this summer season. If you have any doubt about your pledge, please contact John Brown, our Financial Secretary, with your questions.

Finance Ministry



## MONDAY NIGHT YOGA CLASS

The Monday Night Yoga Class will resume on Monday, August 9, at 7 p.m., in the Administrative Wing.

## VOLLEY 4 HOPE

**CO-REC VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT**  
*ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE  
SUSAN G KOMEN FOR THE CURE*

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2010  
AT CRESTWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

If you are interested, please see Patrick McDainel. Registration Deadline is September 1, 2010.

## UPCOMING SUMMER CHILDREN AND YOUTH ACTIVITIES

### Children

Sunday, August 8  
4 - 7 p.m.

Game Day for all Children  
entering 1st - 5th Grade  
Dinner is included



### CHILDREN AND YOUTH KICK-OFF SUNDAY!!!

Carnival Games, Inflatables, Food and Fun, on Sunday  
August 22, for all ages 5 years old through High  
School. We will meet from Noon to 2:30 p.m. See you  
for games and fun!

Thanks, Mike

### PROMOTION SUNDAY, AUGUST 22ND, 9:30 A.M.

We invite all children, youth, and parents to attend a light continental breakfast at 9:30 a.m. in the Mission Center Gym. We will recognize all of the teachers who taught last year and lift up those who are stepping down. We'll also be introducing the new teachers, taking pictures of the classes and sending them off with their new teachers. After the children leave, we will spend a few minutes talking about what we are studying in each grade level this year and give you the chance to ask questions.



We will also be recognizing all incoming 3<sup>rd</sup> graders and presenting them their Bibles during the 10:45 a.m. worship service.

### UPCOMING ACOLYTES

August 8: Sydney Wilcoxson  
August 15: Will Feese  
August 22: Tyler Guilfoil  
August 29: Charlie Henry

### GET TO KNOW THE 2010-2011 CHILDREN AND YOUTH SPONSORS AND PARENTS MEETING

On Sunday, August 29, stay after church for a light lunch and a chance to meet and talk to all of the Children and Youth Sponsors for the 2010-2011 school



year. You will have the chance to sit with each sponsor and learn who they are, the ages they work with, and a chance to ask them a few questions. We will rotate through the group and then your children and youth will head off to play games separately while we meet to go over the calendar, ask questions, and learn what we will be doing in Children and Youth Groups this year. Please RSVP with Mike by Friday, August 27, if you are staying for lunch so we can purchase enough food.

### CELL PHONE, DIGITAL CAMERAS, AND INK JET PRINTER CARTRIDGE RECYCLING FUND RAISER:

Are you looking for a way to recycle your old Digital Camera? Then bring them to church and donate them to the Youth Group. We are now recycling Digital Cameras for up to \$10 a camera. We are still doing Printer Cartridges and Cell Phones, now add Digital Camera's to your list. Just place them outside of Mike's Office and they will be taken care of.



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The Property Department would like extend a huge expression of gratitude to Roberta Buckley and her son Thomas for trimming the bushes and cleaning up around the front of the Mission Center.

They also trimmed and cleaned up from around all the A/C units to allow them to “breathe” and operate more efficiently. This work relieves the property department from having to find time to do this very burdensome task or paying someone to do it.

This effort truly exemplifies the spirit and heart of Crestwood.

Dear Ministers, Staff, and Members of Crestwood Christian Church,

My family and I want to thank each and everyone of you for the kindness, caring, and support you have given us at my grandmother’s death. The prayers, cards, telephone calls, text messages, emails, the offers of meals when we returned to town, the many flowers sent, and the many, many memorials made in her name have touched and humbled us very deeply. My grandmother, Helen, was a deeply religious and faith-filled woman who lived her life simply, quietly, and with love and compassion for everyone and I can assure you she would have been overwhelmed by everything that was done by all of you. She taught all of us, from childhood, the importance of Worshiping God and devotion to a church family, and once again Crestwood has shown me what a wonderful and loving church family all of you are. As I write this I find myself thinking again what a privilege and honor it is to know all of you. I cannot adequately express my gratitude and love for all of you except to say “Thank You,” from the bottom of my heart. I will never forget all that you did for us.

~ Laura Kaczmarek

## CRESTWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Church School — 9:30 AM  
Worship — 8:30 & 10:45 AM  
Youth Programs — 12:15PM

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Rev. Cyd Cowgill, Minister of Adult Ministries  
Rev. Colette Hensley, Minister of Nurture  
Rev. Mike McColl, Minister  
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Choir Director  
Martha Duttlinger, Cherub Choir Director  
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