NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday Morning             October 4, 2015              10:45 a.m.

Gathering

WELCOME
If you are visiting with us or would like to share a prayer concern with the ministers, please fill out a Connection Card on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate.

PRELUDE                                                                 arr. David Lasky

Let Us Break Bread Together

Entering into Worship

CALL TO WORSHIP
Leader: The work of the Creator is visible.
People: Let us respond with praise.
Leader: The example of Jesus is apparent.
People: Let us respond with obedience.
Leader: The wind of the Spirit is blowing.
People: Let us respond with joy.
Leader: The word of God is calling.
People: Let us worship in spirit and in truth.

HYMN 86
Great Is Thy Faithfulness

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE                               Evan Paden

CHERUB CHOIR                                                                                                 Jesus Loves Me/If You’re Happy and You Know It

READINGS FROM SCRIPTURE                                        2 Corinthians 8:10-12
In the pew Bibles, on page 183 of the Second Testament.

CHILDREN’S TIME
Children welcome in the name of Jesus, Children welcome in the name of love.
All are welcome in the name of Jesus, All are welcome in the name of love.
After Children’s Time, three-year-olds through grade two may leave for Children’s Worship & Wonder. After worship, parents may pick up their children in the Children’s Wing.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

ANTHEM
Thy Word
Grant, Smith, arr. Schrader

Proclaiming God’s Word

READINGS FROM SCRIPTURE                                            Ephesians 4:25-5:2
In the pew Bibles, on page 194 of the Second Testament.

SERMON
The First Gift Stewardship Series
Rev. Trish Standifur
#1 - “Therefore…"

HYMN 611
Rise Up O Saints of God

Responding to God’s Word

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT                                              Connie and Lauren Guilfoil

OFFERTORY                                                         Siciliana
William Walond

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO COMMUNION
CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

One bread, one body, one Lord of all,
One cup of blessing which we bless.
And we, though many throughout the earth,
We are one body in this one Lord.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FROM SCRIPTURE

SHARING OF THE BREAD & CUP

Bread of the World

arr. David Cherwien

All followers of Christ are welcome at the Lord’s Table. When the bread is passed, take either a wafer or piece of loaf and eat it. Hold the cup to drink in unison following the Prayer of Thanksgiving. If you would like a gluten-free wafer, please notify a Deacon.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Those desiring to make their confession of faith or to place their membership in this church are invited to come forward as we sing the closing hymn.

Putting Faith into Action

HYMN 494

They’ll Know We Are Christians

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

Amen

POSTLUDE

We All Believe in One God

Marcel Dupré

NOTES

Welcome to Crestwood! We are glad you have joined us for worship. We hope your time with us is meaningful and that you return soon.

Crestwood Christian Church connects people to God and each other by being a community that welcomes and accepts all people; invites questions about how faith and life intersect; encourages people to take the next step in their spiritual journey; cares for each other and the stranger; and serves God through serving others.

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What’s Coming Up at Crestwood
October 4, 2015

Sun., 10/04
8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship
9:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
9:30 a.m. Flu Shot Clinic - Chalice Hall
9:30 a.m. Children’s Sunday School
10 a.m. Chancel Choir - Choir Room
12 p.m. Blessing of the Pets - Lafferty Garden
4 p.m. Crestwood University - Faith Room

Mon., 10/05
7 p.m. Local Outreach - Faith Room
7 p.m. World Outreach - Bradford Room
7 p.m. Adult Ed - Mary and Joseph Room
7 p.m. Children’s Ministry Team - Children’s Wing

Tues., 10/06

Wed., 10/07
10 a.m. Sermon Talkback - Bradford Room
7 p.m. Building Committee - Bradford Room

Thurs. 10/08
6 p.m. Childcare Council - Children’s Wing
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir - Choir Room

Fri., 10/09

Sat., 10/10
8:30 a.m. Men’s Group - Chalice Hall
1 p.m. Regional Assembly Planning Meeting - Bradford Room

Sun. 10/11
8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship
9:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
9:30 a.m. Children’s Sunday School
10 a.m. Chancel Choir - Choir Room
4 p.m. Crestwood University - Faith Room
4 p.m. Mission Possible Kids - Admin Wing
4 p.m. Youth Group - Youth Rooms and Gym
6:30 p.m. Fayette County Detention Center Worship and Communion Service

Mon., 10/12

Tues., 10/13
10 a.m. Bridge - Bradford Room

Wed., 10/14
Senior Outing to Shaker Village
10 a.m. Sermon Talkback - Bradford Room

Thurs., 10/15
4 p.m. UK Home Football Game Car Park
6:30 p.m. Finance Team - Conference Room
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir - Choir Room

Fri., 10/16
10 a.m. Bridge - Bradford Room

Sat., 10/17

Blessing of the Pets TODAY
Please join us in the courtyard immediately following the 10:45 service in celebration of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and his love for all God’s creatures. Bring a photo of your pet for a special blessing. Children are encouraged to participate and may substitute a cherished stuffed animal if you do not have a pet at home. Light refreshments will be served.

Our Church Staff:
Kory Wilcoxson                                        Senior Minister
Trish Standifur                                    Associate Minister
Peggy King                                  Children’s Coordinator
Casey McDonald                   Middle School Coordinator
Patrick Lakin                            High School Coordinator
Laura Kaczmarek                       Church Administrator
Lynn West                                                    Facilities Manager
Frank Spragens                                       Music Director
Noemi Lugo                Children & Youth Music Director
Martha Duttlinger                       Cherub Choir Director
Jane Johnson                                                    Organist
Maureen Howell                                                   Pianist

Flowers in Sanctuary
The white rose is in memory of Virgil Hays.

Elders Serving at the Table
8:30 a.m. Dabney Parker
10:45 a.m. Rick and Jeanne Jouett

Worship and Wonder - October 4
Lions: Jesus Call the 12 Disciples
Lambs: Abram and Saria
Worship and Wonder is a time to be still with God.
Flu Shot Clinic Today, October 4
Chalice Hall, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

With the approach of cooler weather, also comes flu season. The "seasonal flu season" in the United States can begin as early as October and last as late as May.

During this time, flu viruses are circulating in the population. An annual seasonal flu vaccine (either the flu shot or the nasal-spray flu vaccine) is the best way to reduce the chances that you will get seasonal flu and lessen the chance that you will spread it to others. When more people get vaccinated against the flu, less flu can spread through that community.

The CDC says the single best way to protect against the flu is to get vaccinated each year.

Christian Care Communities professional nursing staff provides the immunizations and bills third party payers (such as Medicare) on your behalf. For those who do not have immunization coverage, the cost is $25.

Who Should Not Be Vaccinated?
There are some people who should not get a flu vaccine without first consulting a physician. These include:
- People who have a severe allergy to chicken eggs.
- People who have had a severe reaction to an influenza vaccination.
- People who have a moderate-to-severe illness with a fever (they should wait until they recover to get vaccinated.)
- People with a history of Guillain-Barré Syndrome (a severe paralytic illness, also called GBS) that occurred after receiving influenza vaccine and who are not at risk for severe illness from influenza should generally not receive vaccine. Tell your doctor if you ever had Guillain-Barré Syndrome. Your doctor will help you decide whether the vaccine is recommended for you.

Prayer Joys and Concerns

Members

Family of Members
Joe Graddy (cousin of Fran Allen), *Alissa Hanley (cousin of Tom Arnold), Alice Judy (sister-in-law of Susan May), Mike Lee (of Joyce Leiningier), Jeffery Ritchie (nephew of the Dennises), the Terbush family (of Dottie Williams), Becky White (cousin of Sheri Shaver)

Friends of Members
Danyelle Brown (of Donna Wray), Annabelle Wright-Gatton (of Jane Johnson), Joe & Carol Johnson (of Edie Baysore), Bennett Lester (of Linda Ransdell), Pat Nickell (of Crestwood), Linda Rukavina (of Buddy & Lucy Wheeler), Bill Shores (of Rick Jouett), Shenie Ledbetter Yessin (of Mark & Margaret Landis)

Armed Forces
Paul Baird (grandson-in-law of Minva Hodgins), Blake and Jill Chambers and family (grandson of Joe & Karen Billings), Bud DeLacey (nephew of Matt and Michelle DeLacey), James Derrick (nephew of Joyce Leiningier); Isaiah Holguin (grandson of Joe & Karen Billings), Andrew Lynn (grandson of Joe & Karen Billings), Patrick Ritter (great-nephew of Betty Tester), David Schlosser (of Matt Staggs), Rocky Shapla (friend of Jane Johnson), Justin Witt (nephew of Jack Witt); Mike Witt (cousin of Jack Witt)

Heart-to-Heart Members

Our World Community
We pray for the inmates of the Fayette County Detention Center and God’s presence and peace in the areas of turmoil and suffering around the world.

*Names added this week. Names included on the prayer list for one month.
If a name has been removed that you would like added back on, please contact the church office and let us know.

This Week at Crestwood University:
Which Bible is Right for me?
There are Bible translations available for just about every rhyme and reason. So which one is best for you to use? Kory and Trish will review the different types of Bibles to help you select the right one for your use.

Crestwood University is our periodic adult education series, designed to help you go take the next step in your faith journey through education and fellowship. In conjunction with "The B-I-B-L-E" sermon series, Kory and Trish will be hosting "Bible Babble," a class focused on exploring more in depth the questions and issues raised in the sermon series.

The class meets at 4 p.m. in the Faith Room the Mission Center (gym building). Childcare is provided.

Wednesday, October 14th
Senior Outing to Shaker Village and Boat Ride!
It is a beautiful time of year to visit Shaker Village for lunch and then ride the Dixie Belle down the Kentucky River! All are welcome. Cost of the boat ride is $10. Lunch will be in the Shaker Village dining hall and ranges in price up to $14. If you are interested, please contact Fran McKinney or the church office!
Crestwood’s Annual Halloween Party and Chili Supper

Sunday, October 25
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

To be held in the Crestwood Gym and Chalice Hall.

Wear your Halloween costume and come to the party! Games, Inflatables, Face-painting, and Trick-Or-Treating.

No charge to attend! Chili Supper and hot dogs are free!

Please join us!
WE NEED CHILI!!!

WE’RE CALLING ALL CRESTWOOD COOKS TO DROP OFF YOUR FAVORITE CHILI, TO THE CHURCH KITCHEN ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25.

WE HAVE A HUGE GROUP EXPECTED FOR THE HALLOWEEN PARTY AND CHILI SUPPER THAT AFTERNOON AND WE ARE IN NEED OF LOTS OF CHILI!

PLEASE BE SURE TO LET THE CHURCH OFFICE KNOW BY OCTOBER 18TH. THANK YOU!!!