

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 16, 20218:30 & 10:45 AM

Gathering

WELCOME

If you are visiting with us, we'd love to hear from you. And if you have a prayer concern, we will be glad to add it to our prayer list. Please contact the church office for more information.

PRELUDE

8:30 AMMorning Has BrokenTeresa Wilhelmi

10:45 AMLet All Things Now LivingTimothy Albrecht

We invite you to use this time for quiet prayer and preparation for worship.

Connecting with God

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Isn't God amazing?

People: We are in awe of God's goodness.

Leader: God created the heavens and the earth.

People: God created each one of us.

Leader: Remember that through baptism God claims you.

People: God loves us like a parent loves a child.

Leader: God calls us to bear fruit in our lives.

People: We live to love and serve God.

READING FROM SCRIPTUREPsalm 1

1

Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers;

2

but their delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law they meditate day and night.

3

They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither. In all that they do, they prosper.

4

The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

5

Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;

6

for the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

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.

Proclaiming God’s Word

READING FROM SCRIPTUREJohn 17:6-19

6

“I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word.

7

Now they know that everything you have given me is from you;

8

not for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me.

9

I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are

yours.

10

All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them.

11

And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.

12

While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled.

13

But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves.

14

I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world.

15

I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one.

16

They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world.

17

Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth.

18

As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world.

19

And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth.”

SERMONName-CallingRev. Kory Wilcoxson

MOMENT OF REFLECTION

Responding to God’s Word

INVITATION TO OFFERING

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FROM SCRIPTURE

SHARING OF THE BREAD & CUP

When directed, please peel off the top cover and take the bread,

then peel off the lower cover and drink the juice. We apologize that gluten-free options are not available at this time, but you are welcome to bring your own communion with you.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Putting Faith into Action

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

If you would like more information or are interested in joining the church, please contact one of the ministers or the church office.

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

8:30 AMAll Hail the Power of Jesus’ NameMyra Schubert

10:45 AMO Sons and Daughters, Let Us SingJan Bender

Welcome to our 10:45 AM guest organist, Cathy Hunt.

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All worship leaders have been vaccinated.

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DISIPLES WOMEN’S MINISTRIES

60<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: CONCERT IN THE COURTYARD

TODAY ~ Sunday, May 16 @ 2:00 PM

DWM members are invited to enjoy a 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Concert in the Courtyard today at 2:00 PM. There will be piano, harp, and vocal selections, as well as sharing in memories from the DWM Scrapbook. Guests should wear masks, and chairs will be socially distanced. Please park in the south parking lot (by Glendover school) and enter the courtyard from the Childcare Center doors. Come and help us celebrate the 60th anniversary of Crestwood Christian Disciples Women’s Ministries!

CIRCLE MEETINGS

Mary Martha Circle - Monday, May 17, 6:45 PM in Chalice Hall

Please bring a mask and a calendar for this IN-PERSON planning meeting.

Naomi Circle - Tuesday, May 18, 10:00 AM on ZOOM

Sue Ann Cowgill will present the Bible study on Zoom.

Dorcas Circle - Wednesday, March 18, 10:00 AM in Chalice Hall

Please bring a mask for this IN-PERSON meeting with a box lunch. Judy Rhodus will present the Bible study.

MAY SERVICE PROJECT: THE NATHANIEL MISSION

The Nathaniel Mission provides a cup of hot coffee, breakfast, and a warm welcome to any in need. A food market is offered for those who need to shop for free. “Lunch and Learn” includes a free meal and various lifestyle classes. Many other services are available for all ages. Items most needed: non-perishable food for their pantry, breakfast bars, canned food, etc. Please place items in the designated container marked “DWM” in the glassed-in breezeway between Chalice Hall and the Administration Wing. If you prefer, monetary donations are also accepted - [please make checks payable to Crestwood Christian DWM and write “Nathaniel Mission” on the memo line](#). Please send to the DWM Treasurer Carol Rogers. Anyone is welcome to donate. For more information, please contact Kathy Stone at 368-8327.

SIGN UP FOR IN-PERSON WORSHIP

Signups for worship are now available for the rest of May and the month of June. You may sign up for as many services as you like. Our services are also livestreamed each Sunday.

MAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

May 23

Acts 2:1-21 (Pentecost)

May 30

Romans 8:12-17 (Trinity Sunday)

IN-PERSON ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays @ 9:30 AM in Chalice Hall

It is a joy to announce the return to in-person Sunday School. This past year has been filled with great discussions on Zoom. Now we can meet masked face to masked face! We will gather as a large group in Chalice Hall for a variety of different experiences — keynote, lecture, discussion. Watch the Weekly for the list of topics that will be presented this summer. We have some great programs lined up and are working on more. All are welcome!

OFFICE HOURS

The church office is open on Monday-Thursday afternoons from 1:00-5:00 PM.

TECH HELP NEEDED

Now that we are back in person for Sunday morning worship, we’re looking for people to help us run our sound board and live-stream the services. It may sound complex, but it’s a really simple process that’s easy to learn and fun to do! (And it’s not every day you have the power to mute the ministers.) If you’d like to join the team, let Kory know.

\*Please stand as you are able.

Joys and Concerns

**MEMBERS:** Betty Barton, \*Wayne Dennis, the family of Jean Ham, \*Alma Kidd, Misti McMullen and family, Barb Schriefer, Michael Trowbridge

**FAMILY:** **Derrie Edge** (sister-in-law of Chrystal Schoeder), **Geri Faris** (sister of Sandi Smith), **Sandy Jones** (mother of Ashlee Jones), **Cheryl Lewis** (cousin of Libby Wachtel), **Malinda Mabry and family** (cousin of Dabney Parker), **the family of John McVey** (brother of Martha Seithers), **\*Aileen Mitchell** (sister of Joanne Brown), **Gary Renner** (brother of Louise Sargent), **Patrick Toll** (son of Mike and Dianne Toll)

**FRIENDS:** **Rick Bastin** (of Mitchell Smith), **Aileen Dalton** (of Christie Oliver), **the family of Rosemary Derbyshire** (of Bettye Burns), **the family of Ray Edwards** (of Phoebe Wiley), **Colleen Egan** (of Tara Wilkinson and Andrea Nielsen), **Kathy Hager** (of Phoebe Wiley), **Tommy Hague** (of Liz Fulkerson), **Linda McKinney** (of Crestwood), **Bill Sandborn** (of Rick Fern), **Janet and Gary Taylor** (of Kathy Stone)

**ARMED FORCES:** **Anar Aliyev** (of Crestwood), **Paul Baird** (grandson-in-law of Minva Hodgins), **Blake and Jill Chambers and family** (grandson of Karen Billings), **Travis Cramer** (son of Rick and Cathy Tittmann), **Daniel Day** (grandson of John and Carol Royse and son of Tracy Day), **Bud DeLacey** (nephew of Matt and Michelle DeLacey), **Scott Eldridge** (of Pamela Wainscott), **Andrew Lynn** (grandson of Karen Billings), **Daniel Sigler** (son of David and Pam Sigler), **Zoe Sims** (granddaughter of John Sims), **Dalcus Sparks** (nephew of Andrea Back)

**HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS:** Jean Aspley, Karen Billings, Margaret Buchanan, Joe Clark, Carolyn Floyd, Georgia Meece, Betty Shanklin, John Sims, Mary Janice Towles

**OUR WORLD COMMUNITY:** We pray for the inmates of the Fayette County Detention Center and their families, for the peace of God to rule in the hearts of our local and national leaders, for those affected by COVID and natural disasters, and for God’s spirit of reconciliation to bring healing during these difficult times.

*\*Names added this week. Names are 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.*

Our Vision

Connecting People to God and Each Other

Our Mission

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.

Next Sunday

Happy Birthday!

Acts 2:1-21

Rev. Kory Wilcoxson

Today’s Worship Leaders

Elders

8:30 AM Dabney Parker  
10:45 AM Patti Bridges

Liturgists

8:30 AM Libby Sharpe  
10:45 AM Amy Wheeler

WHAT’S COMING UP AT CRESTWOOD  
May 16, 2021

**Sunday, May 16**  
8:30 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary  
9:30 AM Sunday School  
10:15 AM Children’s Choir  
10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Children’s Church - South Wing  
2:00 PM DWM 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration - Courtyard  
4:00 PM Baptisms

**Monday, May 17**  
6:45 PM Mary Martha DWM - Chalice Hall

**Tuesday, May 18**  
10:00 AM Naomi DWM - Zoom  
6:30 PM God’s Girls Reading Group - Flex Space  
8:00 PM Men’s Bible Study - Zoom

**Wednesday, May 19**  
10:00 AM Dorcas DWM - Chalice Hall  
10:00 AM Soul Care Café - Zoom  
1:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study - Bradford Room  
7:00 PM Administrative Board - Zoom

**Thursday, May 20**  
11:00 AM Thursday Bible Study - Zoom

**Sunday, May 23**  
8:30 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary  
9:30 AM Sunday School  
10:15 AM Children’s Choir  
10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Children’s Church - South Wing  
1:00 PM Elders Lunch  
4:00 PM Kids on a Mission  
4:00 PM Youth

**Tuesday, May 25**  
6:30 PM God’s Girls Reading Group - Flex Space  
8:00 PM Men’s Bible Study - Zoom

**Wednesday, May 26**  
10:00 AM Soul Care Café - Zoom  
1:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study - Bradford Room

**Thursday, May 27**  
11:00 AM Thursday Bible Study - Zoom

**Friday, May 28**  
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Our Church Staff	
Kory Wilcoxson, Senior Minister	Rhiannon Jackson, Children’s Music Director
Trish Standifur, Associate Minister	Jane Johnson, Organist
Peggy King, Children’s Coordinator	Elizabeth Napier, Childcare Director
Maureen Howell, Office Administrator & Pianist	Tara Monzon, Parent’s Day Out Director
Frank Spragens, Music Director	

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“I HAVE MADE YOUR NAME KNOWN...”

May 16, 2021  
8:30 & 10:45 AM

*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.*