

## THE WEEKLY

**JULY 6, 2021**



### VBS:

*To Mars and Beyond*

**July 12-15**

**5:30-7 PM**

**For ages 3yrs - Grade 5**

Blast off to Mars and beyond and help kids discover the wonders of God's universe!

Kids will become voyagers on a journey through space exploring where God's power can take them.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**SRO TRIPS RETURN!**

**TUESDAY, JULY 6**

Vaccinated SRO—Seniors, Retirees, and Other Adults are invited aboard the van as get on the road again! Our first outing will be local as we visit the Aviation Museum or KY. Details in next week's Weekly!

**ICE CREAM IN THE GARDEN**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 7**

We are so glad to be able to see each other face to face this summer! Let's get together and enjoy some ice cream while fellowshiping! Join us in the garden Wednesday, July 7th at 6:30 for an ice cream sundae bar!

## COMING UP

**Wednesday, July 7**

- 11:30 AM Heart-to-Heart Team - Conference Room
- 1:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study - Bradford Room
- 6:30 PM All Church Ice Cream Social - Courtyard

**Thursday, July 8**

- 11:00 AM Thursday Bible Study - Bradford Room

**Sunday, July 11**

- 8:30 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 9:30 AM Choir Practice
- 10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary

## FALLEN HEROES SERMON SERIES

**JULY  
11**

**FALLEN HEROES  
SERMON SERIES**

**DANIEL**

**REV. TRISH STANDIFUR**

We've been told since we were little tykes attending Sunday School that the Bible is full of heroes: Moses, Jacob, David, Noah. And yet, each of these characters has a dark side that we didn't learn about when we were young. For our Summer Sermon Series, we're going to look at biblical heroes who are actually flawed human beings who sinned, disobeyed God, and ran away from their call. And yet, God worked through them to share love, grace, and the good news. Join us as we learn more about these fallen heroes and how their story can inspire us on our journey.

July 18 David

July 25 Ruth

August 1 Esther

## Joys and Concerns

**MEMBERS:** Billie Johnson and family, Berkeley Hollingsworth, Joan Stafford and family, the family of Winn Turney

**FAMILY:** **Marriage of Derrick Brown and Melanie Paret** (son of Joanne Brown), **Derrie Edge** (sister-in-law of Chrystal Schoeder), **Geri Faris** (sister of Sandi Smith), **\*Jamie Griffith** (cousin of Tara Wilkinson), **Mike Mancik** (Brother of Eva Dennis), **Family of Richard Mullikin Jr.** (Cousin of Carolyn Clark), **Kinley Nielsen** (Granddaughter of Pat Nielsen), **Charlie Tran** (Grandson of Monte LaFrana)

**FRIENDS:** **Joan Adams** (of Georgia Meece), **Rick Bastin** (of Mitchell Smith), **\*Will and Hannah Ballentine** (of Kate Joy), **\*Nathan and Kira Clanton** (of Kate Joy), **Family of Jane Clay** (of Crestwood), **Aileen Dalton** (of Christie Oliver), **Carol Detjen** (of Rick and Cathy Tittmann), **\*Zephaniah May** (of Crestwood), **The Family of David Schelle** (of Tony Shartle), **Gary Taylor** (of Kathy Stone), **Lisa Tedder** (of Georgia Meece)

**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.***

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### **WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

#### **Wednesdays @ 1:00 PM**

Dan Pence, an experienced teacher and elder of Crestwood, leads this study focusing on the gifts of the Holy Spirit. This is an in-person experience. Vaccines are required to participate. The class meets in the Bradford room in the Mission Center. If you are interested, please contact the church office to sign up.

### **THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY**

#### **Thursdays @ 11:00 AM**

We will continue the study of the Minor Prophets in person. We gather at 11:00 AM for fellowship and study from 11:30-12:30. All are welcome. Masks will only be required for those not vaccinated.

### **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

#### **Sundays @ 9:30 AM in the Bradford Room**

What a joy to return to in-person Sunday School. We are enjoying being together as we continue to discuss Mass Incarceration, the Justice System, and faithful responses to the challenges we face. This Sunday July 4 and next Sunday July 11, Dianna Queen will be with us to discuss Restorative Justice.

### **BLESSING BOX**

Every day people come to Crestwood's Blessing Box. Every day our efforts keep someone from going hungry. Every day we bear witness that the church cares for people. Now that we are coming back to the sanctuary for worship, plan to bring something for the blessing box as you come. There will be tubs at both entrances labeled for your donation. When you're shopping, pick up extra canned fruit, vegetables, and pasta sauce. Grab extra bagged and boxed food and paper products. Bring them to church and know that we are being Jesus to those in need.



## SUMMER OF SERVICE

By now you've seen and heard about our Summer of Service, so let's spread some love and offer some

help. This will be a great way to make summer better for all. Grab a SOS brochure and a "bingo" card ([click here](#)) either here or at the church and find a way that God can use you to help another. Check off your efforts on the card and at the end of the summer those with "bingo" filled in will be in the running to choose an organization to receive a gift from Crestwood through Local Outreach. When you volunteer snap a pick and send it to the church office. If you have any questions please contact Kelly Hale at [ikghale88@gmail.com](mailto:ikghale88@gmail.com) or the church office and we will help you in anyway that we can.

## S O S !

<b>send a card to cheer</b>	<b>serve or provide a meal</b>	<b>bring Blessing Box food</b>	<b>call one who may be lonely</b>
<b>learn more about one of the SOS options</b>	<b>donate to a charity</b>	<b>volunteer somewhere you have not been</b>	<b>do something that challenges you</b>
<b>gather friends &amp; volunteer together</b>	<b>help with VBS</b>	<b>help a "neighbor"</b>	<b>give cold water to those in the heat</b>
<b>pray for those on prayer list</b>	<b>make/take "treats"</b>	<b>you choose!</b>	<b>tell someone your faith story</b>

## DISCIPLES VIRTUAL GATHERING Saturday, August 7

In lieu of a General Assembly this year, our denomination is hosting a one-day online gathering featuring bible lectures, educational workshops, and worship service, with invited speakers and presenters focusing on our theme that "Nothing can separate us from the love of God" (Romans 8). The preacher for the worship service will be Rev. Dr. Teri Hord Owens, the General Minister and President of the Disciples of Christ. More information and registration can be found here:

<https://disciplesconnect2021.vfairs.com/>

Let's join together with our brothers and sisters across the country and the world as we affirm our covenant as Disciples.

## CALLING ALL MASTER ICE CREAM MAKERS

For our all church ice cream event we would love to have some of our own members make some sweet treats! If one of your hidden talents is making delicious homemade ice cream then contact Trish ([trish@crestwoodchristian.org](mailto:trish@crestwoodchristian.org)) for more information!



## PARENT'S DAY OUT FALL REGISTRATION

Crestwood Christian Parent's Day Out is now accepting fall registrations for the 2021/2022 school year!

Please click [HERE](#) for more Information and to enroll your child.

## PUZZLE EXCHANGE



Now Located in the  
Administrative Wing  
SHARE OR BORROW A PUZZLE!

# HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HOUSE



Volunteers are needed to build our Habitat for Humanity House!

This year's Habitat for Humanity house will be located at 1152 Anderson Street. This will be the 38th house in Lexington that the Disciple Churches have helped sponsor. A family for the house will soon be chosen.

We will be allowed to have 10 daily volunteers during the first phase (6/15/21 - 7/17/21) and 6 daily volunteers during the final Phase (08/13/21 on).

Vaccinated individuals will be required to show vaccination card on the build site to be cleared to volunteer. Once cleared, no mask will be required.

Individuals who aren't vaccinated can still volunteer. Masks will be required on unvaccinated individuals.

## **Work days during the first phase:      Work hours:**

7/9, 7/10  
7/16, 7/17

Weekdays 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM  
Saturdays 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Due to Covid you will need to provide your own lunch. Due to the limit on volunteers, you will need to email Glenn Means, Lexington Habitat Coordinator, at [glennm@lexhabitat.org](mailto:glennm@lexhabitat.org) and tell him which days you can work. He will confirm if that is okay. We will be the first house to be allowed volunteers this year. Adjustments will probably be made as we go along, so please be patient. We are excited about this year's project and hope you will volunteer!

## **MEET THE FAMILY**

For Gerald & Martha, having a quality, affordable home of their own is freedom. Becoming Lexington Habitat homeowners means they will be free from the financial instability of renting, free to decorate and make decisions about their own space, and free to host loved ones.

Where they currently live with their four children, Danielle (7), Mercy (9), Patience (12), and Geraldine (15) is overcrowded. This family looks forward to having adequate space – and to having a backyard where they can play! All of the children enjoy outside games and Patience especially loves soccer. When they aren't playing outside, they enjoy reading, music and attending church.

