

April 24, 2022

8:30 & 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 fill out the Connection Card on the back of the pew in front of you or contact the church office for more information.

PRELUDE

8:30 All Things Bright & Beautiful arr. Sandra Eithun
10:45 Welcome, Happy Morning arr. Wilbur Held
We invite you to use this time for quiet prayer and preparation for worship.

Connecting with God

*CALL TO WORSHIP (WRITTEN BY THE PASTOR'S CLASS)

Leader: God is...all-loving, all-knowing, forgiving.

People: God is...our creator, powerful, and kind.

Leader: Jesus is...the son of God, the Messiah.

People: Jesus is...our savior, helper, and teacher.

Leader: The church is...the house of God where we worship.

People: The church is...our home and our family.

Leader: A Christian is... a person devoted to God, a light that shines with love.

People: A Christian is...faithful, hopeful, an example of Jesus' love and forgiveness.

*HYMN 365 Wash, O God, Your Sons & Daughters BEACH SPRING

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE (10:45) Hadley White

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Romans 6:1-15
In the pew Bibles, on page 156 of the Second Testament

CHILDREN'S TIME (10:45)

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
8:30 At the River Aaron Copeland
Jim Abernathy, baritone
10:45 At the River Aaron Copeland
Doug Hutcherson, baritone

Proclaiming God's Word

READING FROM SCRIPTURE (8:30) Matthew 3:13-17
In the pew Bibles, on page 3 of the Second Testament

**Please stand as you are able.*

SERMON (8:30) Remember Your Baptism Rev. Kory Wilcoxson

PRESENTATION OF BAPTISMAL CANDIDATES & BAPTISMS (10:45)

HYMN 375 In Water We Grow STANLEY BEACH

Responding to God's Word

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY
8:30 Borning Cry arr. Mark Albrecht
10:45 Christ Lay in the Bonds of Death
Georg Philipp Telemann

*PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below; Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; OR Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FROM SCRIPTURE

SHARING OF THE BREAD & CUP
8:30 On Jordan's Stormy Banks arr. Lyndell Leatherman
10:45 Borning Cry arr. David Christiansen
Please eat the bread when you receive your communion cup, then wait and drink the juice after the Elder's prayer. Please let the deacon know if you would prefer a gluten-free option. We encourage you to recycle your communion cup after the service.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Putting Faith into Action

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP
If you are interested in joining the church, please come forward during the closing hymn.

*HYMN 75 I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry WATERLIFE

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE
8:30 Lead On, O King Eternal arr. Cindy Berry
10:45 Christ Lay in the Bonds of Death J.S. Bach

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BAPTISM SUNDAY TODAY

Please join us in celebrating this year's Pastor's class! Let us all continue to pray for and cheer on each of our baptism candidates.

Carter Adams
Will Adamson
Avery Brancato
Lyla Furnish
Charlie Graham (May 15 baptism)
Noah Graham (May 15 baptism)
Blair Hill
Joey Kingsolver
Desmond Lakin
Paxton Lehman
Jacob Moore
Jadon Moore
Addie Rister
Alice Williams

SRO TRIP

TUESDAY, APRIL 26: FINDLAY MARKET IN CINCINNATI

Experience the sights, sounds and smells of Ohio's oldest continuously operated public market. Located in Cincinnati's historic Over-the-Rhine neighborhood, the market has been in operation since 1855 & offers a diverse selection of delicious food, handmade goods, entertainment, dining, a biergarten & more. Interested in joining? Please let Trish know by tomorrow.

DWM APRIL SERVICE PROJECT: STEP BY STEP

Step By Step is a holistic program working to empower and embolden young single mothers ages 12 to 24. They offer support, mentoring, goal-setting, crisis intervention, while helping them to improve their lives, their families, and their communities through healing, encouragement, faith and education.

Wish list on Amazon: This month we are donating books for their Step Into Reading literacy program. Step Into Reading wish list is on Amazon.com: <https://a.co/j9HVj3>

\$10 Gift cards: They can also use gift cards to Walmart, Target, and Kroger in \$10 increments. These are for the monthly incentives they send when moms complete the Step Into Reading activity with their kids each month.

Please place all 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 "Step By Step" on the memo line. Please send to the DWM Treasurer Carol Rogers.

Anyone is welcome to donate. For further information on this service project, please contact Kathy Stone at 368-8327.

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: Joe Clark, Charlotte Shaver

FAMILY: **Johnny Carmichael** (stepson of Boyd Schriefer), **Glenn Davis** (brother of Julie McDonald), **Roger DeLacey** (father-in-law of Michelle DeLacey), **Mark Johnson** (brother-in-law of Jane Johnson), **Jack & Wilma Larkins** (parents of Jeanne Jouett), **Amy Tate** (daughter of Don Waggener), **Jim Wallace** (of Steph and Scott Wallace), **Anisa Willis** (daughter-in-law of Rose Willis)

FRIENDS: **Shaikayla Carroll and her family** (of Tara Wilkinson), **Art Curtis** (of Bettye Burns), **John & Liz Hamblin** (of Crestwood), **Mike McCarty** (of Steph Wallace), **Grayson Rulon** (of Wayne & Sheri Shaver), **Valerie Saavedra** (of Steph and Scott Wallace), **Carrie Whitt** (of James Pelfrey), **Mariann** (of Jill & Rick Sawyer)

ARMED FORCES: **Anar Aliyev** (of Crestwood), **Paul Baird** (grandson-in-law of Minva Hodgins), **Matt Holman** (son of Gaye Holman), **Daniel Day** (grandson of John and Carol Royse and son of Tracy Day), **Bud DeLacey** (nephew of Matt and Michelle DeLacey), **Zoe McIntyre** (granddaughter of John Sims), **Daniel Sigler** (son of David and Pam Sigler), **Dalcus Sparks** (nephew of Andrea Back)

HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS: Jean Aspley, Karen Billings, Lucy Booker, Margaret Buchanan, Joe Clark, Faye Cooper, Carolyn Floyd, Betty Shanklin, John Sims, John and Carolyn Thomas, Mary Janice Towles

OUR WORLD COMMUNITY: We pray for the inmates of the Fayette County Detention Center and their families, for an end to the war in Ukraine, 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.

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

"Whole"

John 21:1-19

Rev. Trish Standifur

Today's Worship Leaders

Elder

8:30 Rick Fern

10:45 Bob Shanklin

WHAT'S COMING UP AT CRESTWOOD April 24, 2022

Sunday, April 24

8:30 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
9:30 AM Wake Up with Wallace - Donut Days Southland
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Chancel Choir
10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
Noon Elders Lunch
3:00 PM Combined Youth Groups

Monday, April 25

6:30 PM Crestwood Book Club - Youth Rooms

Tuesday, April 26

9:00 AM SRO Trip to Findlay Market
Noon Hungry for God - Zoom

Wednesday, April 27

1:00 PM Bible Study - Bradford Room

Thursday, April 28

11:00 AM Bible Study - Chalice Hall
7:00 PM Chancel Choir - Choir Room/Sanctuary

Friday, April 29

11:30 AM Fun + Lunch = FUNCH - Chalice Hall

Sunday, May 1

8:30 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Chancel Choir
10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
12:15 AM DWM Board Meeting - Zoom
3:00 PM Combined Youth Group
4:00 PM Kids on a Mission & KOM Jr - Children's Wing

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Kory Wilcoxson, Senior Minister
Rev. Trish Standifur, Associate Minister
Steph Wallace, Student Associate Minister
Missy Wallace, Children's Minister
Jennifer Smith, Office Administrator
Jim Cristi, Facilities Manager

Frank Spragens, Music Director
Cindy Abernathy, Pianist
Jane Johnson, Organist
Tara Monzon, PDO Director
Amber Combs, Childcare Center Director

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BAPTISM SUNDAY

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*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.*