October 9, 2022

8:30 & 10:45 AM

HOLY GROUND

Clara Wallace

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 O Worship the King arr. Charity Putnam 10:45 We Walk by Faith arr. Lynn Trapp We invite you to use this time for quiet prayer and preparation for worship.

Connecting with God

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Our souls cry out to you, O Lord.

People: We long to hear You speak to us.

Leader: Our hearts are filled with questions.

People: Our minds struggle with doubt.

Leader: We turn to You, Lord, for assurance.

People: Draw near to us and give us peace.

Leader: For You are our God... **People: ...and we are your people.**

*HYMN 112 Holy Ground (sing twice)

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE (10:45)

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Psalm 150
In the pew Bibles, on page 583 of the First 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 (10:45) How Can I Keep from Singing arr. Maureen Howell

Proclaiming God's Word

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Habakkuk 1:14; 2:1-4

In the pew Bibles, on pages 871-872 of the First Testament

SERMON Un-Certain Sermon Series Rev. Kory Wilcoxson

"Living with Questions"

HYMN 393 One Bread, One Body ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

Responding to God's Word

INVITATION TO OFFERING

BRINGING FORTH OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

8:30 My Faith Looks Up to Thee arr. Matt Schinske 10:45 Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word arr. David Cherwien

*PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

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

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Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FROM SCRIPTURE

SHARING OF THE BREAD & CUP

8:30 And Then There Is My God arr. Jason W. Krug
10:45 O Bread of Life from Heaven arr. Raymond Haan
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 546 Amazing Grace! NEW BRITAIN

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE (10:45) Gaelic Blessing John Rutter

POSTLUDE

8:30 And Can It Be That I Should Gain arr. Lloyd Larson 10:45 Lift High the Cross arr. Paul Manz

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CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

Tuesday, October 11, 2022 Park United Methodist Church 645 E. High St, Lexington, KY (park in back, come up the ramp – the chapel will be on the left)

Gleanings Housing - Laura Slaughter, Founder & Exec. Director 9:30 a.m. Fellowship, 10:00 a.m. Program

Join women from churches all around Lexington who Agree to differ, Resolve to love, are United to serve In Christ's Name - ALL are invited!

Crestwood DWM is a participating organization with Church Women United. *Contact Pat Waggener at 859-266-6313 or patwaggener@twc.com

FALL FAMILY MISSION PROJECT

On Wednesday October 12, CMT will offer a pizza dinner and family night of pumpkin decorating! Each family will adopt a pumpkin to decorate together and deliver to congregational members in need of extra love and care. Pumpkins are tagged with names and addresses. All supplies will be onsite with mini pumpkins available for the children to decorate and take home. Come join the fun!

WE NEED CANDY DONATIONS!

If you can provide a bag of individually wrapped candy to be given out at the Halloween Bash during the trick-or-treating, please bring it to church and leave it in the blue barrel just inside the glass breezeway. Thank you!

CRESTWOOD UNIVERSITY - IOIN US WEEKLY!

Join us Sundays at 3:30 PM to study the book <u>Disciples: Who We Are And What Holds Us Together</u> by Michael Kinnamon and Jan Linn. This class will be a great opportunity for anyone who wants to learn more about the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). Each will get a copy of the book. We will meet for study and discussion. All are welcome!

LOOKING FOR LITURGISTS

Our worship service is enriched when we have a variety of voices participating. That's why we'd love to have you serve as a liturgist! Our liturgists lead the Call to Worship and read the first scripture reading (no big names involved!). It's an easy way to serve! Call the Church Office at 859-266-0459 or message us through email: office@crestwoodchristian.org.

^{*}Please stand as you are able.

Joys and Concerns

<u>MEMBERS</u>: the birth of Jackson Asher Joy (parents: Kate & Caleb), Jackie Lindsey, Fran McKinney, Jeanna Ott, Sandra Thompson

FAMILY: Suzanne Barton (daughter-in-law of Betty Barton), Lori & Troy Bruhs (daughter & son-in-law of Sally Turney), Virginia Sue Hemphill (sister-in-law of Monte LaFrana), Mark Johnson (brother-in-law of Jane Johnson), Wilma Larkins (mother of Jeanne Jouett), Viola Marquette (sister of Rose Willis), Jim Wallace (of Steph & Scott Wallace), Glynne Ward (cousin of Jeanne Jouett)

<u>FRIENDS</u>: Pat Hayden (of the Hutchersons), Cathy Hunt (of Jane Johnson), Tammy Garrett (of Crestwood), the Lemmon family (of Jackie Robinson), Marianne (of Crestwood), Thelma Witt (of Jeanette Knowles)

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)

<u>HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS</u>: 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 victims and loved ones impacted by gun violence, 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

Common Unity Sermon Series "We're All in this Together" Rev. Kory Wilcoxson

Today's Worship Leaders

Elder 8:30 Libby Wachtel 10:45 Dabney Parker

<u>Liturgists</u> 10:45 Dabney Parker

WHAT'S COMING UP AT CRESTWOOD October 9, 2022

Sunday, October 9

8:30 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Choir Practice
10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary
3:30 PM Crestwood University - Bradford Room

Monday, October 10

7:00 PM Property Team - Bradford Room 7:00 PM Endowment Committee - MC2

Wednesday, October 12

1:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study - Bradford Room6:00 PM Family Mission Project (Pumpkin decorating and pizza dinner) - Chalice Hall

Thursday, October 13

6:00 PM Finance Team - Zoom
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Sunday, October 16

Worship Service - Sanctuary 8:30 AM 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:00 AM Choir Practice 10:45 AM Worship Service - Sanctuary Elders Meeting - Chalice Hall Noon 3:30 PM Crestwood University - Bradford Room 4:00 PM Chi Rho Youth Group Meeting 5:00 PM CYF Youth Group Meeting

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 Amber Combs, Childcare Director Tara Monzon, PDO Director

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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.