

CHURCH CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 4

7:00 PM Endowment Committee - Bradford

Wednesday, October 5

1:00 PM Bible Study - Bradford

Thursday, October 6

9:30 AM Stephen Ministers - Lollis Chapel

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

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

Monday, October 10

7:00 PM Property Team - Bradford

7:00 PM Endowment Committee - MC2



UPCOMING SERMON SERIES

This Sunday we'll finish up our "Un-Certain" sermon series as we talk about what it means to authentically live out our faith in the midst of life's challenges.. We hope this series has helped you navigate those times in life when you have more questions than answers.

Starting Oct. 16, we'll start a new sermon series called "Common Unity." The Bible makes it clear that we are called to be in relationship with each other, but the pandemic has forever changed our understanding of what it means to be community today. We'll be looking at stories in scripture that help us know how to be the body of Christ in our fractured world, honoring our call to love God by connecting with others. Join us as we learn how to live out our "common unity" as followers of Jesus.

OCTOBER 9

Rev. Kory Wilcoxson

"Living with Questions"



STEWARDSHIP

INVESTING IN HOPE

From where does your hope come? This fall during our "Investing in Hope" Stewardship campaign, we want consider how Crestwood has supported our congregation, community, and world over the last two years. We also want to focus on what our commitment will mean in 2023. This is the time of year we pledge our gifts that allow the leaders of Crestwood to plan for operating costs, programming, and ministry for the following year. It is a crucial part of the life of the church. We are thankful we can once again begin to hope for what our future will look like. We know that Crestwood Christian Church will continue to fulfill the mission of connecting us to God and to each other.

Please let us know if you have not received a pledge card. We ask that you prayerfully consider your pledge and the important role each of us play in our future. Consider how your gifts will help Crestwood "Invest in Hope" and then join us in worship on Oct. 9 as we celebrate all the gifts God has given us.

For more information about Stewardship, why we give, and ways to give, go to our website and click on "Give" at the right side of the home page:

www.crestwoodchristian.org

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Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: 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), **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)

FRIENDS: **Pat Hayden** (of the Hutchersons), **Cathy Hunt** (of Jane Johnson), **Marianne** (of Crestwood), **Thelma Witt** (of Jeannette Knowles)

ARMED FORCES: **Anar Aliyev** (of Crestwood), **Paul Baird** (grandson-in-law of Minva Hodgins), **Karl Bowman** (nephew of Debbie Bowman Gardner), **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 & 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.

THE NEST FOOD BOXES

Every autumn, our Youth Ministry collects food and money to supply food boxes for The Nest - and this year we have a goal of filling 400 boxes! The cost is about \$8000 - \$20 per box.

How can you help? The best and easiest way is to donate money that we will use to purchase food for the boxes. In the past we have asked for food donations or money - however, this year we will be ordering all the food from Aldi, so monetary donations are the only way to help (please disregard the food list for The Nest in the Crest).

We will always take food donations for our Blessing Box, and soon we will be collecting food donations for Glendover Elementary's Holiday Food Drive. For The Nest, you can give \$20 to cover the cost of one box, or donate however much you can to help us meet this goal and show our compassion this holiday season for our brothers and sisters in need. Please label your donation "Food Boxes" so we know your gift is meant to be used towards our food box goal.

Thank you so much for helping make this wish a reality - 400 people right here in Lexington will be blessed through this project with a box full of food to feed their families at Christmas!

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!

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

Tuesday, October 11, 2022
(Location to be determined)

Gleanings - Laura Slaughter, Founder & Executive Director

9:30 a.m. Fellowship, 10:00 a.m. Program

Zoom may also be available

*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*



CROP WALK 2022

A group of Crestwood youth and adults participated in the Lexington Crop Walk on Oct. 2 to raise money for God's Pantry.

(LEFT)

GLEAN VOLUNTEERS

We joined Glean KY to gather 810 pounds of apples! Save the date for November 18!

(BELOW)



Join us for the 2022 Closing Day Service at the

**Cane Ridge Meeting House
Monday, October 31, 2022
10:00 am**

An Offering Will be Received



(photo ca. 1933)

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