

CHURCH CALENDAR

Wednesday, January 3

1:00 PM - Bible Study - Bradford Room

Thursday, January 4

9:30 AM - Stephen Ministers - Chapel

11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room

7:00 PM - Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Sunday, January 7

8:30 AM - Worship Service

9:30 AM - Sunday School

10:00 AM - Choir Practice

10:45 AM - Worship Service

4:00 PM - Chi Rho Youth Group

5:00 PM - CYF Youth Group

Tuesday, January 9

10:00 AM - SRO trip to Danville

2:00 PM - Property Meeting - Bradford Room

SRO TO DANVILLE
January 9, 2024

Danville, here we come again! We will be visiting the GLASS National Art Museum and other exhibits in the Art Center of the Bluegrass. We will enjoy lunch at the "Murrini," which is located in the Art Center. Murrini seamlessly blends the flavors of art and cuisine. This artsy restaurant features small plates, sandwiches, salads, charcuterie, sweets, wine, and other specialty beverages.

Leave Crestwood Mission Center parking lot at 10:00 AM; return about 3:00 PM. **COST:** Van gas donation. Lunch on your own with prices between \$12-\$20 plus tip. Museum is free thanks to a generous donor.



Sunday, January 7
Back to Sunday School
Sermon Series
Moses Parts the Red Sea
Exodus 14:10-31
Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

THE 34TH ANNUAL
DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
COMMUNITY WORSHIP
January 14, 2024, 6:00 PM
Central Christian Church (DOC)
219 East Short Street, Lexington, KY 40507

You are invited to join a service to celebrate and remember the important legacy, ministry, and words of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on Sunday, January 14, 2024. Central Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) will host the 34th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Worship Service on Sunday, January 14, at 6:00 PM.



This year's preacher is Rev. Dr. Winterbourne LaPucelle Harrison-Jones, pastor of the historic Witherspoon Presbyterian Church in Indianapolis. Music is being led by Lutisha Coleman-Morton and Marion Rogers.



This service also will be livestreamed on Central Christian Church's Facebook and YouTube pages. A reception will follow the service. We hope you will attend and help spread the word!

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Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: Joe Clark, Terry Fisher, Jo Fulkerson, John Royse, Sandra Thompson

FAMILY: **Laurel Cardinale** (great-niece of Joanne Brown), **Dan Carey** (cousin of Fran Allen), **Bob Chapman** (brother of Pat Nielsen), **Stewart Crutchfield** (son-in-law of Betty Barton), **Cindy Ebersold** (sister of Pat Nielsen), **Emily Barr Richards** (of the McDonalds), **Henrietta Shores** (granddaughter of Mary Beth Shores), **Jim Wallace** (father of Scott Wallace), **The Family of Dorothy Wray** (mother of Sonny Wray)

FRIENDS: **The Family of JoAnn Ellington** (of Fran Allen), **Kent Grannis** (of Doug Wilkinson), **Noelle Parsons** (of Crestwood), **Valerie Sims** (of Crestwood)

ARMED FORCES: **Alex Back** (son of Andrea Back), **Anar Aliyev** (of Crestwood), **Karlis 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), **Ashlyn Marra-Sigler & Daniel Sigler** (daughter-in law & son of David and Pam Sigler)

HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS: Karen Billings, Margaret Buchanan, Joe Clark, Dick Featherston, Sylvia Griffin, Jacqueline Lindsey, Buzz Mattingly, Betty Shanklin, John Sims, John & Carolyn Thomas, Buddy & Lucy Wheeler

OUR WORLD COMMUNITY: We pray for the victims & loved ones impacted by violence, inmates of the Fayette County Detention Center & their families, for an end to the war in Ukraine, for the peace of God to rule in the hearts of our local & national leaders, for those affected by COVID & natural disasters, & for God's spirit of reconciliation to bring healing during these difficult times.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

If you can provide food for the Youth Group to take to Lexington Rescue Mission on January 10, please sign up here:

[LRM Meal Signup](#)

We will leave Crestwood at 4:30 PM, and return by 6:30pm. If you sign up to provide dinner/dessert, please drop it off at church between 4:15-4:30 PM that afternoon, so we can take it to the Mission Center with us. Thank you for helping us serve those facing hunger this winter!

OUR GUIDING STAR WORDS

If you were not here this past Sunday, the sermon was all about trusting God to guide us into the new year through the gift of our relationship with Jesus, and each person chose a Star Word after service. To hear the sermon, click [HERE](#) (the sermon starts at the 22:00 mark). If you did not receive a star last Sunday, the basket will be available this Sunday in the narthex for you to choose a star. If you would like to have us mail you a star, please email steph@crestwoodchristian.org.



NEW CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

The Church Office will be closed from Dec. 25-Jan. 1 for the Christmas and New Year holidays. Starting Jan. 2, the new office hours will be Monday-Friday, 10:00 AM-4:00 PM.

ARE YOU GIFTED IN USHING?

We're looking for people to serve as Ushers for our Sunday morning worship services. All that is required is the ability to smile and hand out bulletins. If you think you meet those criteria, let Kory know you are interested. Help us extend Christ's hospitality on Sunday morning!

2024 SERMON SERIES

Starting in the new year, we'll be going "Back to Sunday School" to look at some of our most beloved stories from the Bible through grown-up eyes. We learned these as children, but how will we hear them differently as adults? Join us as we take a new look at these familiar stories.

Jan. 7 - Moses Parts the Red Sea

Jan. 14 - David and Goliath

Jan. 21 - Jesus Walks on Water

Jan. 28 - KY Region's Men's Chorus leads worship

Feb. 4 - Daniel in the Lion's Den



**THANK GOD FOR A
WONDERFUL
ADVENT SEASON AT
CRESTWOOD!**

