FEBRUARY 11, 2024

8:30 & 10:45 AM

<u>Gathering</u>

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 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise arr. Cindy Berry
10:45 Morning Has Broken arr. Richard Proulx
We invite you to use this time for quiet prayer and preparation for worship.

Connecting with God

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: This morning we come together as one family...

All: ...united as the body of Christ.

Leader: We come together as imperfect people, seeking to follow Jesus.

All: We know that Christ's mercy is greater than our flaws.

Leader: Jesus, teach us.

All: Guide us as your disciples.

Leader: Make us bold proclaimers of your love to all the world. **All:** We praise your name as the example of grace and love for all.

*HYMN 5 O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE (10:45)

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Colossians 3:12-15
In the pew Bibles, on page 201 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 "Thou, O Jehovah, Abideth Forever" Aaron Copland

Proclaiming God's Word

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Luke 19:1-10

In the pew Bibles, on pages 82 of the Second Testament

BACK TO SUNDAY SCHOOL SERMON SERIES

SERMON Zacchaeus Steph Wallace

*HYMN 464 God of Grace and God of Glory (v. 1, 3, 5) CWM RHONDDA

Responding to God's Word

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Meghan Talley, Nathaniel Mission

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY

8:30 I Want Jesus to Walk with Me arr. Cindy Berry 10:45 Interlude Noel Rawsthorne

*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.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
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 Create in Me a Heart of Love Tracey McKibben 10:45 Reflections on "Morning Has Broken" Franklin Ashdown 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 530 I've God Peace Like a River PEACE LIKE A RIVER

*BENEDICTION

AZMON

Lily Reams

RESPONSE (10:45) "The Lord Bless and Keep You" John Rutter

POSTLUDE

8:30 The Church's One Foundation arr. Jason Krug 10:45 Postlude in F Charles Callahan

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LEARN ABOUT AFFORDABLE HOUSING

On Monday, February 12, at 7:00 PM, the Local Outreach Committee is hosting a discussion on affordable housing led by Johan Graham. Everyone is invited to join us in Bradford Room.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

This year's Ash Wednesday service will be hosted by East Second Street Christian Church on Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 6:30 PM. Kory will be providing the sermon and the East Second Street choir will bring the music. Please join us for this meaningful service as we begin the season of Lent with our brothers and sisters.



NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS STARTS FEB. 18

We're excited to offer a new Sunday School class for the season of Lent! This class is open to all parents of children and youth who are looking for connection and an opportunity to go deeper in their faith. We'll be following the study called, "Have a Beautiful, Terrible Lent." This is an honest and real reflection on what it means to follow Jesus through the ups and downs of our days. It also allows for discussion about life as it really is—not just the Instagram-worthy parts but the difficult and the painful too. We will meet for devotion, discussion, fellowship, and prayer every Sunday at 9:40 AM in MC3 in the Mission Center. The class will be led by Amy Treneff and Amy Wheeler.

LENT 2024 SERMON SERIES

Peter is one of the most enigmatic characters in all the Bible. In some moments, he's an exemplar of faith, praised by Jesus for his courage. In others, he's wishy-washy, condemned by Jesus for his doubt. So, will the real Peter please stand up? For our Lenten sermon series, we're going to look more closely at Peter, the disciple who called Jesus "the Christ" but also denied even knowing him. Join us on this journey as we learn about Peter, the "Flawed Yet Faithful" disciple.

Feb. 18 - A Fish Story - Luke 5:1-11

Feb. 25 - Stepping Out on Faith - Matthew 14:22-33

March 3 - From Solid to Satan - Matthew 16:13-23

March 10 - Go Transfigure! - Matthew 17:1-13

March 17 - Saving Soles and Souls - John 13:1-20

March 24 - Jesus Who? - Matthew 26:69-75

March 31 - Easter Sunday

Jovs and Concerns

MEMBERS: Joe Clark, Terry Fisher, Jo Fulkerson, John Royse, Adam Sovkoplas, Buddy & Lucy Wheeler

<u>FAMILY</u>: Cindy Ebersold (sister of Susie Psimer), Laurie Hart (granddaughter of Susan and Kendall Hart), the family of Marianna Jones (grandmother of Hannah Jones), Scott Rush (brother of Anne Rush), Jim Wallace (father of Scott Wallace), the family of Tom Wilcoxson (father of Kory Wilcoxson), Troy Williams (brother of Joey Williams)

<u>FRIENDS</u>: the family of Donna Barr (of Crestwood), Judy Craft (of Becky Ernst), the family of Bill Fortune (of Libby Wachtel), the family of Tom Harlan (of Crestwood), Robert Lindsey (of Eileen Lindsey), Flora Lee Phillips (of Martha Seithers), the family of Emily Barr Richards (of the McDonalds),

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)

<u>HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS</u>: 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 and loved ones impacted by violence, inmates of the Fayette County Detention Center & their families, for an end to the war in Ukraine, Israel, and Gaza, 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
Flawed Yet Faithful
sermon series
A Fish Story
Luke 5:1-11
Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

Today's Worship Leaders

Elder 8:30 Natalee Feese 10:45 Wayne Shaver

<u>Liturgist</u> 8:30 Clara Wallace 10:45 Jeanette Knowles

WHAT'S COMING UP AT CRESTWOOD February 11, 2024

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, February 11

8:30 AM - Worship Service

9:30 AM - Sunday School

10:00 AM - Choir Practice

10:45 AM - Worship Service

NO REGULAR YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

Monday, February 12

7:00 PM - Local Outreach - Bradford Room

Tuesday, February 13

2:00 PM - Property Team - Bradford Room

Wednesday, February 14

1:00 PM - Bible Study - Library

2:00 PM - Safety & Security Committee - Bradford Room

6:30 PM - Ash Wednesday Service - East 2nd St. Christian Church

Thursday, February 15

11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room

6:00 PM - Finance Team - Bradford Room

7:00 PM - Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Sunday, February 18

8:30 AM - Worship Service

9:30 AM - Sunday School

10:00 AM - Choir Practice

10:45 AM - Worship Service

12:00 PM - Elders Meeting - Chalice Hall

NO REGULAR YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson, Senior Minister Steph Wallace, Student Associate Minister Missy Wallace, Children's Minister Rev. Kelly Hale, Interim Minister of Pastoral Care Mary Van Kesteren, Office Administrator Jim Cristi, Facilities Manager Frank Spragens, Music Director Cindy Abernathy, Pianist Jane Johnson, Organist Amber Combs, Childcare Director Tara Monzon, PDO Director





Back to Sunday School sermon series

Zacchaeus

Luke 19:1-10

Steph Wallace

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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.

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