

## THE WEEKLY

APRIL 8, 2025

#### **CHURCH CALENDAR**

#### Wednesday, April 9

1:00 PM - Bible Study - MC3

#### Thursday, April 10

11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room 6:00 PM - Finance Team - Bradford Room

7:00 PM - Choir Practice - Sanctuary

#### Saturday, April 12

8:00 AM - Men's Breakfast - Bradford Room

8:00 AM - Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary

#### Sunday, April 13

8:00 AM - Choir Breakfast - Chalice Hall

8:30 AM - Worship Service

10:45 AM - Worship Service - Palm Procession

4:00 PM - Combined Youth Group

#### Tuesday, April 15

9:45 AM - DWM Naomi Circle - Bradford Room

#### **ORDER YOUR TULIPS AND LILIES**



Help us decorate the sanctuary for Easter by ordering a tulip or a lily. These flowers can be designated in someone's memory or honor, or you can purchase one just because you like flowers! The flowers will be available to take home after the Easter Sunday worship services. To order a flower (cost is \$15), click this link or call the church office.

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST & EASTER EGG HUNT

On Saturday, April 19, the youth invite you to a delicious pancake breakfast in the gym, beginning at 10:00 AM, followed by crafts for the children. Then, at 10:45 AM, we will line up by age groups and head outside to collect Easter Eggs! You won't want to miss this special event! Invite your friends and come join us!

# Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday Fauré's Requiem

#### **HOLY WEEK AND EASTER**

Thursday, April 17

Maundy Thursday service
7:00 PM Sanctuary

Friday, April 18
Good Friday service
12:00 PM Central Christian Church

Saturday, April 19
Easter Egg Hunt and
Pancake Breakfast
10:00 AM breakfast, 10:45 AM Egg hunt, Gym

Easter Sunday, April 20 9:00 AM and 10:45 AM Easter worship services (no Sunday School on Easter)

Sunday, April 27
Baptism Sunday
9:30 AM breakfast, 10:45 AM
worship service
NO 8:30 AM service this day

#### HELP OUR MEMBERS ATTEND CHURCH

A couple of our Heart to Heart members would like to come to church, and we are looking for people who might be willing to bring them to church once a month or so. These lovely people live in the area off Man O' War between Tates Creek and Nicholasville Road. Please contact Kelly Hale, 859-559-3695 if you would be willing to be part of a team who could provide transportation.

#### **Joys and Concerns**

#### **MEMBERS**: the Sovkoplas family

<u>FAMILY</u>: Elizabeth Blevins (aunt of Michelle Ison), Iris Brandon (aunt of Jeanne Jouett), the family of Kevin Cobb (brother of Patti Bridges), Zack Ison (brother of Stewart Ison), Bailey Miles (niece of Kyle & Dana Adamson), Lou Padilla (nephew of Monte LaFrana), Charles Saunier (grandson of Annetta Carter), the family of Jan Taylor (niece of Minva Hodgins)

<u>FRIENDS</u>: Joshua Bush & Annessa Dunaway (of Crestwood), Gay Cecil (of Joy Leet-Mullins), Phil Dare (of Dabney Parker), Susan Griffith (of Joanne Brown), John Gross (of Karen Coultas), David Johnson (of Libby Wachtel), Chris Miniard (of Brianna Browning), Mary June Moseley (of Libby Wachtel), Arlen Stoltzfus (of Crestwood)

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST: Tyler Coultas (son of Karen Coultas), the Cristi family (of Crestwood), Frank Dickey, David Farmer (friend of Kimberly Sparks), Jo Fulkerson, Laurie Hart (granddaughter of Susan & Kendall Hart), Jordan & Ginny Sue Hemphill (brother & sister-in-law of Monte LaFrana), John Royse, Tony Shartle, Henrietta Shores (granddaughter of Mary Beth Shores), Nathaniel Sligh (nephew of Kimberly Sparks), Jim Wallace (father of Scott Wallace), Carter Yates (nephew of Stephanie & Josh Moore)

ARMED FORCES: Alex Back (son of Andrea Back), Anar Aliyev (of Crestwood), Karlis Bowman (nephew of Debbie Gardner), Tristan Bowman (nephew of Debbie Gardner), Daniel Day (grandson of John & Carol Royse & son of Tracy Day), Bud DeLacey (nephew of Matt & Michelle DeLacey), Connor Hankins (nephew of Lauren York), Matt Holman (son of Gaye Holman), Zoe McIntyre (granddaughter of John Sims), Ashlyn Marra-Sigler & Daniel Sigler (daughter-in-law & son of Pam & David Sigler)

<u>HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS</u>: Carlene Adams, Karen Billings, Janice Boyd, Dick Featherston, Bonnie Flanery, Sylvia Griffin, Buzz Mattingly, John Sims, John & Carolyn Thomas, Lucy Wheeler

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

#### TYLER CHILDERS PARKING AT CRESTWOOD!



On Saturday, April 19, we will offer \$20 parking at Crestwood for the Tyler Childers concert at Kroger Field. Parking begins at 5:30 PM. Help our youth raise money for the mission fund by spreading the word and letting

everyone know to park with us that evening! Thank you!

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Vacation Bible School registration is now open, and we are in the process of recruiting volunteers to serve the children of our community. VBS is a highlight for Crestwood kids and visiting guests. For some it may be their first time entering a church environment. Our goal is to help families feel welcomed as we extend Christ's hospitality and connect kids with the message of God's unconditional love. It takes a village to bring VBS to life and we hope you will prayerfully consider joining us. Please sign up below and reach out with any questions you may have to Missy Wallace at missy@crestwoodchristian.org.

# PASTOR'S CLASS YOUTH COLLECTING BOOKS FOR CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

HELLO Crestwood! We are Ella and Briggs Hall and are members of the Pastor's Class. Our mentor is Dabney Parker. We are collecting books for the new Children's Library in the



Children's Wing. Please consider dropping books off in the bin that will be located in that hallway. The collecting will go through Sunday, April 13. Books – new or gently used – for ages 3-12 years old are welcomed! SO...please consider donating some books to the cause! Thanks for your help! Ella and Briggs

#### ALL-CHURCH POTLUCK BAPTISM BREAKFAST

Please join us for our all-church potluck baptism breakfast at 9:30 AM on Sunday, April 27. There will no Sunday school or first service that day. Come celebrate our kids as they take the next steps on their spiritual journey. Sign-up <a href="here">here</a> to bring a potluck dish or to volunteer.

#### **CHURCH WOMEN UNITED**

#### CIRCLE MEETINGS

#### Tuesday, April 8, 2025

#### April Bible Study:

The Power of Grace (Luke 2:39-40)

**Naomi Circle** 

Minva Hodgins will lead the Bible study, and Steph Wallace

**Dorcas Circle** 

Wednesday, April 16, 9:45 AM in the Bradford Room

Tuesday, April 15, 9:45 AM in the Bradford Room



#### Southern Hills UM Church 2356 Harrodsburg Rd., Lexington

9:30 AM fellowship
10:00 AM program Join women

from churches all around Lexington who:

<u>Agree</u> to differ, <u>Resolve</u> to love, and <u>Unite</u> to serve

In Christ's Name - <u>ALL are invited!</u>
Crestwood DWM is a participating organization with
Church Women United.
\*Contact Pat Waggener at 859-266-6313

### Julia Circle

Monday, April 21, 6:45 PM in the Bradford Room Steph Wallace will present our Bible study program, and Annetta Carter will be our hostess.

Joan Stafford will present our Bible study program.

Crestwood DWM invites all women to visit one or more of our Circles during September through May.

#### DONATIONS NEEDED FOR THE NEST

Place items in the giving lane under the DWM sign.

DIAPERS in all sizes for babies and toddlers

#### STAYING SAFE DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER



As spring approaches, it is likely there will be a number of weather concerns. Do you know what to do in the event of a severe weather warning? The Safety & Security Team wants to inform you of some actions you should know if a warning is issued.

will be our hostess.

We have identified the shelter-in-place safe areas around the church campus to be occupied should a weather alert be issued. These areas have been indicated by a shelter-in-place sign and we encourage you to look for them and be familiar with their locations, should the need arise.

A shelter-in-place location is an area or room identified by local authorities as a relatively safe location in which to assemble attendees until the danger has passed.

These areas include:

- · The Sanctuary
- in front on either side of the baptistry
  - · The Children's Wing
- the inner hallway, kitchen and restrooms
  - · The Narthex restrooms
  - · The Administration Wing
- the hallway leading into the Administration wing and the restrooms
  - · The Mission Center
- the restrooms and hallways around the Mission Center gym (except near the entrance door)
  - · Any interior room without windows

The main part of the Sanctuary, the Mission Center gym, Chalice Hall, the open areas in the Administration wing and the Children's wing, and any hallway with windows are NOT safe areas for shelter-in-place and must be avoided.

Please look for these posted signs and be prepared to go when necessary. Thank you.

Crestwood Safety & Security Team

