July 6, 2025 8:30 & 10:45 AM

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) Holy, Holy, Holy arr. Mark Hayes

(10:45) These Are the Holy Ten Commandments Marcel Dupré

Connecting with God

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Like Pharaoh, our hearts can be hardened to God.

People: Lord, help us to open ourselves to your love.

Leader: Like Moses, we can doubt our gifts and abilities.

People: Lord, help us to trust in your provision.

Leader: Like the Israelites, we can forget God is with us.

People: Lord, help us remember your promises to us.

Leader: We are called to be ourselves and more than ourselves.

People: God, help us each day to be more like Jesus Christ.

*HYMN 725 God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand NATIONAL HYMN

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE (10:45) Scarlett Hobbs

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Matthew 5:17-20

In the pew Bibles, on page 4 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 He Will Hold Me Fast Matthew Merker

Katherine Steckler, soprano

Proclaiming God's Word

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Exodus 20:1-21

In the pew Bibles, on page 66 of the First Testament

MO BLESSINGS, MO PROBLEMS SERMON SERIES

God's Top 10 List Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

HYMN 557 Just a Closer Walk with Thee CLOSER WALK

**Please stand as you are able.*

Responding to God's Word

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY

(8:30) Rock of Ages arr. Craig Curry

(10:45) Allegretto Hermann Schroeder

*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.

OR

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) Break Thou the Bread of Life arr. Cindy Berry

(10:45) Wherefore, O Father We Thy Humble Servants arr. Peter Pindar Stearns

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 543 Blessed Assurance ASSURANCE

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

(10:45) Amen McNeil Robinson II

POSTLUDE

(8:30) Built on a Rock arr. Gilbert Martin

(10:45) These Are the Holy Ten Commandments J.S. Bach

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FIRST SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP

Please join us for First Sunday Fellowship today! Refreshments will be served in the narthex following both worship services. Please make plans to stay a few minutes after worship to connect with your Crestwood family.

JOIN US FOR AN ADVENTURE IN GEORGETOWN!

Seniors, Retirees. and OTHERS (SRO) will be rolling along to the Toyota Manufacturing plant in Georgetown on Tuesday, July 8. We'll meet at Crestwood at 10:30 AM, enjoy lunch at The Porch, then head to Toyota for the tour. We should return to church by 3:30 PM. The only cost is your lunch and a donation for gas. Everyone is invited! Please contact Jeanette Knowles at jeanettevalerie@gmail.com if you are interested in taking this trip.

HELP US MAKE THIS HOUSE A HOME!

Please consider volunteering to build our Habitat for Humanity house during the final phase! Our Habitat for Humanity Interfaith Build House is coming along nicely! Here are the dates for volunteers:

July 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25

Work starts at 8:30 AM and ends at 3:30 PM. Work part of the day if you like! The address is 634 Maple Ave. Please bring a refillable water bottle. A lunch may be provided, but please bring a lunch in case it is not. Contact Jordan Amis at jordana@lexhabitat.org to tell him you are coming, or just show up! Volunteer jobs will include wiping down walls, painting, spackling, caulking, installing baseboards, vinyl siding, window seals, blinds, cleaning, landscaping, etc. Hope you can come and help!

CAMPERS LOVE MAIL!

Drop a note or card of encouragement to our Crestwood campers this summer! Mail should be addressed as follows:

Camper's Name, Week of Camp
(i.e. Chi Rho 2 Camp)
Camp Wakon Da-Ho
7900 East KY 70
Yosemite, KY 42566

This week the following youth will be at camp:

Charlie Brandt
Clara Deerhake
Lauren Deerhake
Tucker Hall
Desmond Lakin
Maelee Thompson
Jacob Moore
Jadon Moore
Katelin Moore
Clara Wallace

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: Fran Allen, Jeanne Jouett, Kinley Nielsen

FAMILY: Gary Adamson (father of Kyle Adamson), **Tyler Coultas** (son of Karen Coultas), **Ron Marcum** (brother of Betty Barton)

FRIENDS: The Bryant family (of Bill McDonald), **the family of Brenda Chambers** (of Saralyn Kingsolver), **Tybi Finnegan** (of Steph Wallace), **Will Gildersleeve** (of Joanne Brown), **Susan Griffith** (of Joanne Brown), **Mayme Wallace** (of Libby Wachtel)

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST: the Cristi family (of Crestwood), **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), **Charles Saunier** (grandson of Annetta Carter), **Tony Shartle, Henrietta Shores** (granddaughter of Mary Beth Shores), **Nathaniel Sligh** (nephew of Kimberly Sparks), **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), **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)

HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS: 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.

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

Moses Sermon Series

All That Glitters ...

Exodus 32:1-14

Steph Wallace

Today's Worship Leaders

Elders
8:30 Tara Wilkinson
10:45 Rick Jouett

Liturgist
8:30 Katherine Steckler
10:45 Frank Spragens

What's Coming Up at Crestwood
July 6, 2025

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 6
8:30 AM - Worship Service
9:30 AM - Sunday School
9:30 AM - Choir Practice
10:45 AM - Worship Service
12:00 PM - Shalom Social Justice - Bradford Room

Monday, July 7
7:00 PM - Endowment Committee - Bradford Room
7:00 PM - Local Outreach - MC 3

Tuesday, July 8
2:00 PM - Property Team - Bradford Room

Wednesday, July 9
1:00 PM - Bible Study - Library

Thursday, July 10
9:30 AM - Stephen Ministry - Chapel
11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room
6:00 PM - Finance Team - Bradford Room

Sunday, July 13
8:30 AM - Worship Service
9:30 AM - Sunday School
9:30 AM - Choir Practice
10:45 AM - Worship Service

Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson, Senior Minister
Steph Wallace, Associate Minister
Missy Wallace, Children's Minister
Rev. Kelly Hale, Minister of Pastoral Care
Jennifer Heersche, Office Administrator

Jim Cristi, Facilities Manager
Frank Spragens, Music Director
Cindy Abernathy, Pianist
Jane Johnson, Organist

Crestwood Christian Church

Mo Blessings, Mo Problems

Sermon Series

God's Top 10 List

Exodus 20:1-21

Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

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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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