

CHURCH CALENDAR

Tuesday, January 20

6:15 PM - DWM Deborah Circle - Bradford Room

Wednesday, January 21

10:00 AM - DWM Dorcas Circle - Bradford Room

1:00 PM - Bible Study - Library

6:00 PM - Ministry Council - Bradford Room

7:00 PM - Administrative Board - Bradford Room

Thursday, January 22

11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room

6:00 PM - Personnel Committee - Bradford Room

7:00 PM - Choir Practice

Friday, January 23

11:30 AM - FUNCH - Chalice Hall

Sunday, January 25

8:30 AM - Worship Service

9:30 AM - Sunday School

9:40 AM - Wake Up With Wallace - Panera Bread

10:00 AM - Choir Practice

10:45 AM - Worship Service

4:00 PM - Chi Rho Youth Group

5:00 PM - CYF Youth Group

NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY

It's time to update our church directory and we need your help! We want to have information that is as up-to-date as possible for all members of our church family. There are a couple of ways to update your information. First, a paper copy of the directory will be available in the narthex. Please stop by before or after worship to update it. Second, if you'd like to review your entry electronically, email the church office and we'll send you a PDF to review. Thanks for your help on keeping our church family connected!



Sunday, January 25

Heaven: Beyond Harps and Halos

John 6:35-40

Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

FUNCH = FUN + LUNCH AND YOU ARE INVITED!

Come be a part of the wonderful conversation, delicious food, and laughter! We enjoy fellowship time over a pot-luck lunch, then play BINGO for prizes! Please plan to join us on Friday, Jan. 23 at 11:30 AM in Chalice Hall for our next FUNCH gathering! ALL ARE WELCOME!



LOVE THY NEIGHBOR: IT'S IN YOUR BLOOD

Share some love by helping to meet the constant demand for donated blood. Between now and Valentine's Day, please consider giving blood at your local Kentucky Blood Center location. Handouts with more information are available in the narthex.



AFTER LIFE SERMON SERIES

Is there a heaven? What about hell? And what really happens when we die? These are the most common questions people ask their pastor, so let's talk about them on Sunday morning! Starting Jan. 25, Kory will be preaching a sermon series called "After Life," looking at these questions from a historical, theological, and practical angle. Ultimately, there are no answers to these questions, but that shouldn't stop us from asking them. Our prayer is that in asking the questions together, God will open our eyes to a deeper understanding.



Jan. 25 - Heaven: Beyond Harps and Halos

Feb. 1 - H-E-Double Hockey Sticks

Feb. 8 - What Happens When We Die?

NEXT CREST IS FEBRUARY 1

Crest articles are due by Sunday, January 25.

Send articles to: office@crestwoodchristian.org

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: Stephanie Moore

FAMILY: Family of Gary Adamson (father of Kyle Adamson), Phyllis Burdette (mother of Kim Powell), Michele Mitchell (daughter of Wayne and Eva Dennis), Mollie Ross (cousin of Bill Bacon), LeRoy Wease (nephew of James Pelfrey)

FRIENDS: Don Belles (of Michelle DeLacey), Roy and Lena Campbell (of Saralyn Kingsolver), family of Philip Dare (of Crestwood), family of Tricia Dean (of Brenda Crank), David Flynn (of Jill and Rick Sawyer), Matthew Johnson (of James Pelfrey), Greg Prewitt (of Jim & Libby Sharpe), family of John Price (of Matt and Megan Bacon), family of Patty Rai Smith (of Crestwood), David Staten (of Crestwood), Shannon Willow (of James Pelfrey), Mary Zarba (of Libby Wachtel)

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST: The Cristi family (of Crestwood), Tybi Finnegan (of Steph Wallace), Jo Fulkerson, Laurie Hart (granddaughter of Susan & Kendall Hart), Jordan & Ginny Sue Hemphill (brother & sister-in-law of Monte LaFrana), Denise Murray, Sally (of Ann Kingsolver), Tony Shartle, Henrietta Shores (granddaughter of Mary Beth Shores), Nathaniel Sligh (nephew of Kimberly Sparks), Carter Yates (nephew of Stephanie & Josh Moore)

ARMED FORCES: Anar Aliyev (of Crestwood), Alex Back (son of Andrea Back), Karlis Bowman (nephew of Debbie Gardner), Tristan Bowman (nephew of Debbie Gardner), Jacob Browning (son of Holly Nutter), 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, 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 and oppression across the globe, the peace of God to rule in the hearts of our local and national leaders, those affected by recent natural disasters, and for God's spirit of reconciliation to bring healing during these difficult times.

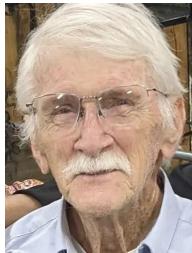
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ORNAMENTS!

If you brought in an ornament to decorate our family Christmas tree in the narthex, you may pick it up outside the church office. We loved having so many people participate and hope to make this an annual tradition!



PHIL DARE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Phil Dare's funeral service will be held on Thursday, Jan. 22 at 2:00 PM at Midway Christian Church. There will be no visitation. Phil was also the Dean and Librarian for Lexington Theological Seminary. We offer our deepest sympathies to his wife, Nancy, and their family as they grieve his loss.



CHILDREN'S BOOK DONATIONS

Do you have any out-grown children's books that you would donate to our Blessing Book Box? When parents pick up food from the Blessing Food Box, they are able to take a book for their child. We know that it is important for children to have their own books at home, but books are not in the budget for families struggling to make ends meet. There is a marked container for donations on the Giving Lane, with a box underneath. We are looking for books for pre-school through early elementary ages. "Quality" books (Seuss, etc.) are especially needed, but they also like activity books and crayons from Dollar Tree. This is an activity of the Bradford-Seekers Sunday School class who have already emptied the shelves of their children and grandchildren! Thank you.



LET'S MAKE A SOUPER DIFFERENCE

Whether you're rooting for a team or the commercials, we can all be winners as we serve the least of these in the community. Join us on Sunday, Feb. 8, as we collect food for our annual Souper Bowl of Caring. This year the food collected will go to Crestwood's Blessing Box. Along with soup, we are always in need of canned fruits and vegetables, canned tuna, and Chef Boyardee pasta. Donations can be brought to the narthex on Sunday morning or throughout the week. Thanks for your support as we cheer on our community!

