

June 21, 2026

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) Great Is Thy Faithfulness arr. Tom Fettke
(10:45) Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring J.S. Bach

Connecting with God

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous people!
People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.
Leader: Our souls are waiting for You, O Lord.
People: You are our help and our shield.

Leader: In You we find our deepest joy.

People: We put our trust in Your Holy name.

Leader: Let Your love be upon us, O Lord...

People: ...as we place all of our hope in You.

*HYMN 17 O Worship the King LYONS
(v. 1, 2, 5)

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 12:9-21 Second Testament, pg 162

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
Ada R. Habershon and Robert Harkness
Katherine Steckler, soprano

Proclaiming God's Word

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 2:42-47 Second Testament, pg. 120

SERMON The Church in Action Sermon Series
We're All in This Together
Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

HYMN 495 Weave WEAVE
(sing twice)

*Please stand as you are able.

Responding to God's Word

INVITATION TO OFFERING

We pass the plates as a reminder of the importance of expressing our generous thanks to God. We are grateful for all the ways people give, including online (see QR code in this bulletin) or the website (crestwoodchristian.org/give).

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY

(8:30) 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus arr. Marianne Kim
(10:45) Reverie Noel Rawsthorne

*PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; OR Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FROM SCRIPTURE

SHARING OF THE BREAD & CUP

(8:30) Shall We Gather at the River? arr. C.E. Walz
(10:45) Where Charity and Love Prevail arr. Charles Callahan
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 490 Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant THE SERVANT SONG

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE Amen

POSTLUDE

(8:30) Come, Thou Almighty King arr. Donna Krueger
(10:45) Psalm XIX Beneditto Marcello

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If you would like to support the ministries of Crestwood, please scan the QR code to the right to go to our secure "Give" page. Thank you for your generosity and support of God's work at Crestwood!



REGISTER FOR VBS



Child registration

You can now register your child(ren) or register to volunteer for Vacation Bible School, which will be held July 20-23, by scanning the QR codes shown here. *NEW FOR 2026* Fall 2026 sixth graders may register as a volunteer or participant (pick one).



Volunteer registration

OPEN AND AFFIRMING TASK FORCE WOULD LIKE YOUR INPUT

In August 2025, our congregation adopted a Faithful Plan, which included a focus on "Intentional Inclusivity." To live that out, a task force was created to explore the possibility of Crestwood becoming an Open and Affirming congregation. This designation is for congregations that formally, publicly covenant to welcome and include LGBTQ+ individuals into all aspects of church life, including leadership and service.

To begin this process, the task force would like to get your thoughts on this issue to better guide us in educating the congregation and knowing how to move forward. Please take a moment to fill out this brief survey by scanning the QR code. We look forward to hearing from you!



CAMPERS LOVE MAIL!

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

Camper's Name, Week of Camp (i.e. Camp 101B)
Camp Wakon Da-Ho
7900 East KY 70, Yosemite, KY 42566

The following youth will be at Junior Camp June 22-26:

Virginia Anderson
Samantha Lewis
Audrey Van Duersen

The following youth will be at Camp CYF 2 June 29-July 4:

Gabe Owens
Carter Wallace
Rachel Wilkinson

The following youth will be at Camp 101A June 26-28:

Mitchell Prather
Chloe Stout
Grace Wright
Lilly Wright



Please plan to join us in the celebration of The Dedication of Chalice Hall

in honor of
Rev. Dr. David Blondell
Sunday, June 28
12:00 PM

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING JUNE 28

There will be a congregational meeting after the 10:45 AM service on June 28 to vote on the slate of leaders for the 2026-27 church year. All church members are encouraged to attend.

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: Birth of Margaret Louise Browning (daughter of Delaney & Ben Browning), Sylvia Griffin, Ben Webster

FAMILY: Phyllis Burdette (mother of Kim Powell), Rosalie Bush-Ryall (mother of Ben Thompson), Anna Grace Day (cousin of Libby Wachtel), Emily Haise (sister of Ben Thompson), Kim Heersche (sister-in-law of Jennifer Heersche), Sandy Keith (daughter of Joanne Whiteker), Gordon Randall (of Kory Wilcoxson), Marty Wallingford (uncle of Lyndi Van Duersen)

FRIENDS: Verna Fairchild (of Libby Wachtel), Ladonna Gregory (of Kimberly Sparks), Family of Ann Smith (of Crestwood), Lee Weber (of Jill & Rick Sawyer)

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST: Suzy Campbell (of Libby Wachtel), Steve Combs (cousin of Libby Wachtel), the Cristi family (of Crestwood), Frank Dickey (of Crestwood), Jo Fulkerson, Jordan & Ginny Sue Hemphill (brother & sister-in-law of Monte LaFrana), Tari Moore (mother of Judy Moore), Linda Poths (of Phoebe Wiley), 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), Bud DeLacey (nephew of Matt & Michelle DeLacey), Connor Hankins (nephew of Lauren York), 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, Buzz Mattingly, Earl Pfanstiel, 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 natural disasters, and for God's spirit of reconciliation to bring healing during these

Today's Leaders	
<p><u>Deacons</u> 8:30 Bill Bacon, Rick Fern 10:45 Kevin & Sammi Barry, Carl & Sarah Pickering</p>	<p><u>Liturgists</u> 10:45 Dabney Parker</p>
<p><u>Elders</u> 8:30 Libby Wachtel 10:45 Tara Wilkinson</p>	<p><u>Greeters</u> 10:45 Pat Waggener</p>

Our Mission
Connecting people to God and each other by welcoming and accepting everyone; helping them grow in their faith; and empowering them to serve God by serving others.

Next Sunday
The Church in Action
Sermon Series
The Stoning of Stephen
Acts 5:27-32
Rev. Kelly Hale

WHAT'S COMING UP AT CRESTWOOD
June 21, 2026

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sunday, June 21**
8:30 AM - Worship Service
9:30 AM - Sunday School
9:30 AM - Choir Practice
10:45 AM - Worship Service
Youth departing for St. Louis mission trip
- Monday, June 22**
6:30 PM - Book Club - MC 8
- Wednesday, June 24**
1:00 PM - Bible Study - Library
- Thursday, June 25**
11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room
- Friday, June 26**
11:30 AM - FUNCH - Chalice Hall
- Sunday, June 28**
8:30 AM - Worship Service
9:30 AM - Sunday School
9:30 AM - Choir Practice
10:45 AM - Worship Service (Congregational meeting to follow)
12:00 PM - Chalice Hall Dedication
12:15 PM - Elders Lunch - Bradford Room

PRAY FOR OUR MISSION TRIP PARTICIPANTS

Please be in prayer for our youth and adults who are headed to St. Louis for the summer mission trip:

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| Avery Brancato | Maddie Thompson |
| Nora Brancato | Maelee Thompson |
| Charlie Brandt | Carter Wallace |
| Clara Deerhake | Clara Wallace |
| Lauren Deerhake | Rachel Wilkinson |
| Catie Clay Jefferson | Alice Williams |
| Jacob Moore | Katy Brandt (adult) |
| Jadon Moore | Doug Wilkinson (adult) |
| Katelyn Moore | Kory Wilcoxson (adult) |

CHURCH STAFF

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| Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson
Senior Minister | Jennifer Heersche
Office Administrator | Frank Spragens
Music Director |
| Pastor Missy Wallace
Children's Minister | Jim Cristi
Facilities Manager | Cindy Abernathy
Pianist |
| Rev. Kelly Hale
Minister of Pastoral Care | | Jane Johnson
Organist |



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We're All in This Together
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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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