

January 12, 2020

10:45 AM

Gathering

WELCOME

If you are visiting with us or would like to share a prayer concern with the ministers, please fill out a Connection Card on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate.

PRELUDE The New Commonwealth Ralph Vaughan Williams

We invite you to use this time for quiet prayer and preparation for worship.

Connecting with God

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O God, You search us and know us.
People: You know when we sit and when we rise.
Leader: You perceive our thoughts from afar.
People: You are familiar with all our ways.
Leader: We praise You as our Creator...
People: ...because we are fearfully and wonderfully made.
Leader: We give glory to the Holy One!
People: Let us worship the Lord our God!

*HYMN 286 This Is the Day THE LORD’S DAY
(sing twice)

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE Charlie Graham

READING FROM SCRIPTURE Isaiah 2:1-4
In the pew Bibles, on page 631 of the First Testament

CHILDREN’S TIME
After Children’s Time, two-year-olds through grade two may leave for Children’s Worship & Wonder. After worship, parents may pick up their children in the Children’s Wing.

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 Come Dwell in Solomon’s Walls Z. Randall Stroope

Proclaiming God’s Word

READING FROM SCRIPTURE John 17:6-11
In the pew Bibles, on page 111 of the Second Testament

SERMON We Are the Disciples Sermon Series Rev. Kory Wilcoxson
Wholeness

HYMN 491 As Grain on Scattered HillsideS MERLE’S TUNE

Responding to God’s Word

INVITATION TO OFFERING

**Please stand as you are able.*

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY Andante Cantabile W. A. Mozart

*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; Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. **OR** Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE One Bread, One Body

One bread, one body, one Lord of all, one cup of blessing which we bless.
And we, though many throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FROM SCRIPTURE

SHARING OF THE BREAD & CUP Maureen Howell
Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

All followers of Christ are welcome at the Lord’s Table. When the bread is passed, take either a wafer or piece of loaf and eat it. Hold the cup to drink in unison following the Prayer of Thanksgiving. If you would like a gluten-free wafer, please notify a Deacon.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Putting Faith into Action

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP
Those desiring to make their confession of faith or to place their membership in this church are invited to come forward as we sing the closing hymn.

HYMN 688 When, in Awe of God’s Creation HYFRYDOL

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE Amen

POSTLUDE Jig Fugue Dietrich Buxtehude

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JANUARY SERMON SERIES: “We Are the Disciples...”

"We are the Disciples..." So begins the identity statement of our denomination, the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). But ARE we? What does our identity statement say about us? For the January sermon series, we'll be exploring key words in this statement to help us better understand what it means to be a Disciple of Christ in our world today. Join us as we explore more deeply our identity as the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

JANUARY SUNDAY SCHOOL: *The History of the Disciples of Christ*

During these next few weeks we will focus on the history of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). We will look at how this frontier movement for unity became who we are today. We will explore our roots and encourage each other to find our place for living as Disciples today.

AGING WELL: UNDERSTANDING SENIOR LIVING OPTIONS ~ TODAY @ 4:00 PM

A director of a local assisted living and memory care home will join us this afternoon to share all options for senior living from independent to skilled care. She will provide information and discuss ways to make the best decisions. This is a decision that will affect most of us either for ourselves or loved ones. We'll meet at 4:00 PM in the Bradford Room. All are welcome!

ATTENTION PARENTS ~ TODAY

The Children’s Ministry Team will meet today in the Art Room immediately following the 10:45 AM service. Everyone is invited. Nursery staff will be on hand to provide child care. Please allow about an hour for the meeting.

SANDWICH MAKING FOR HOPE MOBILE

Wednesday, January 15, 11:15 AM

All are welcome to come and make sandwiches and pack lunches to be handed out by the Hope Mobile. (The Hope Mobile parks in a different church parking lot every day to hand out lunches, do medical assessments, and address needs.) Come to Chalice Hall at 11:15 AM on January 15 and bring a pack of lunch meat and a loaf of bread if you can. Join us!

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED - All are invited!

Tuesday, January 14; 9:30 AM Fellowship; 10:00 AM Celebration begins

Eastside Branch Library Conference Room, 3000 Blake James Drive, Lexington Program/Celebration: RayAnn White, Kentucky Refuge for Women

DISCIPLES WOMEN’S MINISTRIES

CIRCLE MEETINGS

Dorcas Circle - Wed., Jan. 15, 10:00 AM, Bradford Room

Andy Bales is presenting our program, “I am with you always: Lessons on discipleship.”

Mary Martha Circle - Mon., Jan. 20, 6:45 PM, Bradford Room* (January location)

Pat Nielsen is our hostess and study leader.

Naomi Circle - Tues., Jan. 21, 9:45 AM, Bradford Room

Joanne Whiteker and Monte LaFrana will be our hostesses.

JANUARY SERVICE PROJECT: GREENHOUSE17

Safe shelter and counseling for women and children harmed by intimate partner abuse. Items needed: beds in a bag (twin size), twin sheets, twin size blankets, waterproof twin size mattress pads, pillows and pillowcases, bath towels, and diapers and bottles. They can use any baby items. Please place items in the Giving Lane (located in the hallway leading to the Administration Wing). For more information, please contact Kathy Stone at 368-8327.

WOMEN’S SALAD LUNCHEON

Sunday, February 2, 12:15 PM, Chalice Hall

All women of Crestwood are invited to attend our annual gathering on Sunday, February 2, at 12:15 PM in Chalice Hall. Tanya Torp, Executive Director of Step By Step, will be our guest speaker. Please bring a salad or a dessert to share; beverages will be provided. Please RSVP to Andy Bales via email: arsb@usa.net.

FOOD INSECURITY MEETING

Thursday, January 23, 7:00 PM

Last fall, Kory preached two sermons on the food insecurity in Lexington. As a result of those sermons, we're going to convene a meeting of all people interested in working on this issue to make a difference for our brothers and sisters in Lexington. We'll meet on Thursday, January 23, at 7:00 PM in the Bradford Room. Join us if you'd like to talk about helping make sure all God's children have enough to eat!

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: *Fran Allen, Julia Blondell, Cal Grayson, the family of Dot Hellard, Debbie LaBoone, Joyce Leininger, Traci Letcher, Georgia Meece, *Steve Seithers and family, Scott Wallace and family

FAMILY: **Rosemary Arnett** (sister of Greg Brown), **Steve Clements** (cousin of Joe Clark), **Jamie Griffith** (cousin of Tara Wilkinson), **Susan Richardson** (sister of Sice Shanklin), ***the family of Jeanne Southard** (cousin of Joe Clark), **Bill Summerlin** (son of Sylvia Griffin)

FRIENDS: **Ken Clark** (of Betty Barton), **the family of Marianne Humphries** (of Mike and Andy Bales), **Jeffie Kemplin** (of Jason and Mary Taylor), **Chelsea Rust** (of Amy Wheeler), ***Jane Tucker** (of Kathy Stone), ***the family of Janice Wasson** (of Tom and Billie Arnold)

ARMED FORCES: **Anar Aliyev** (of Crestwood), **Paul Baird** (grandson-in-law of Minva Hodgins), **Blake and Jill Chambers and family** (grandson of Joe and Karen Billings), **Travis Cramer** (son of Rick and Cathy Tittmann), **Bud DeLacey** (nephew of Matt and Michelle DeLacey), **Scott Eldridge** (of Pamela Wainscott), **Andrew Lynn** (grandson of Joe and Karen Billings), **Patrick Ritter** (great-nephew of Betty Tester), **David Schloesser** (of Matt Staggs), **Rocky Shapla** (friend of Jane Johnson), **Zoe Sims** (granddaughter of John Sims), **Dalcus Sparks** (nephew of Andrea Back), **Justin Witt** (nephew of Jack Witt)

HEART-TO-HEART MEMBERS: Jean Aspley, Dottie Bransom, Margaret Buchanan, Billie Casey, Carolyn Floyd, Carl and Jean Ham, Nettie Sue Hughbanks, John Sims, Ruby Thornton, Jean Walters, Jerry Wells

OUR WORLD COMMUNITY: We pray for the inmates of the Fayette County Detention Center and their families, and for God's presence and peace in areas of turmoil and suffering around the world.

**Names added this week. Names are included on the prayer list for one month.*

If a name has been removed that you would like added back on, please contact the church office.

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

We Are the Disciples Sermon Series

Table

Rev. Trish Standifur

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Today's Worship Leaders

Elders

8:30 AM John Royse
10:45 AM Tom & Billie Arnold

Liturgists

8:30 AM Jeff Franklin
10:45 AM Susie Psimer

WHAT'S COMING UP AT CRESTWOOD

January 12, 2020

Sunday, January 12

8:30 AM Worship
9:20 AM Breakfast with Brian
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:45 AM Worship
12:15 PM DWM Board - Mission Center 3
12:15 PM Children's Ministry Team - Children's Wing
4:00 PM Aging Well: Understanding Senior Living Options - Bradford Room
4:00 PM Kids on a Mission - Children's Wing
4:00 PM Youth Group

Monday, January 13

7:00 PM Property Team - Church Library

Tuesday, January 14

9:30 AM Church Women United - Eastside Library

Wednesday, January 15

10:00 AM Dorcas DWM - Bradford Room
10:00 AM Sermon Talkback - Mission Center 3
11:15 AM Sandwich Making for HopeMobile - Chalice Hall
7:00 PM Administrative Board - Chalice Hall

Thursday, January 16

11:15 AM Bible Study - Bradford Room
7:00 PM Chancel Choir - Choir Room

Friday, January 17

6:30 PM Fayette County Detention Center Worship & Communion Service

Sunday, January 19

8:30 AM Worship
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:45 AM Worship
Noon Elders Lunch - Chalice Hall
6:00 PM MLK Service - Central Christian Church

Monday, January 20

Church Office Closed
6:45 PM Mary Martha DWM - Bradford Room

Tuesday, January 21

9:45 AM Naomi DWM - Bradford Room
7:00 PM World Outreach - Bradford Room
8:00 PM Men's Bible Study - Choir Room

Wednesday, January 22

10:00 AM Sermon Talkback - Mission Center 3
7:00 PM Personnel Team - Bradford Room

Thursday, January 23

11:15 AM Bible Study - Bradford Room
7:00 PM Food Insecurity Meeting - Bradford Room
7:00 PM Chancel Choir - Choir Room

Friday, January 24

5:00 PM Room in the Inn

Our Church Staff

Kory Wilcoxson, Senior Minister Trish Standifur, Associate Minister Brian Miller, Associate Minister Peggy King, Children's Coordinator Maureen Howell, Office Administrator & Pianist Frank Spragens, Music Director	Rhiannon Jackson, Children's Music Director Jane Johnson, Organist Elizabeth Napier, Interim Childcare Director Tara Monzon, Parent's Day Out Director Lynn West, Facilities Manager
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THE DISCIPLES

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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.