

CHURCH CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 15

9:45 AM - DWM Naomi Circle - Bradford Room
6:30 PM - Strategic Planning - MC3

Wednesday, October 16

10:00 AM - DWM Dorcas Circle - Chalice Hall
1:00 PM - Bible Study - Library
7:00 PM - Ministry Council - Bradford Room

Thursday, October 17

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

Sunday, October 20

8:30 AM - Worship Service
9:30 AM - Sunday School
10:00 AM - Choir Practice
10:45 AM - Worship Service
12:00 PM - Churchwide Tailgate Potluck - Gym
12:30 PM - Pumpkin Painting - Chalice Hall
4:00 PM - Love in Action - Bradford Room

Monday, October 21

6:00 PM - The Bible/Ballot Book Study - Chapel
6:45 PM - DWM Julia Circle - Bradford Room

PUMPKINS ON THE PORCH PROJECT

On Sunday, October 20, along with the churchwide tailgate potluck, we will have our annual pumpkin painting! Pumpkin decorating will begin at 12:30 PM in Chalice Hall. Please help us spread autumn cheer to our church members by painting pumpkins and helping us deliver them by dropping them off on people's porches or at their front door. Names and addresses will be provided, and we encourage each family to take 2 or 3 pumpkins in their own ZIP code or home neighborhood to drop off after the event. Mini pumpkins will be on hand for children to decorate and take home to keep.



Sunday, October 20

Election Sermon Series
What Does the Bible Say
about...Justice
Isaiah 58
Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

TAILGATE WITH US ON OCTOBER 20!



Join us Sunday, October 20, after the second service for a churchwide potluck. Bring a dish of your choosing and enjoy good fellowship. Lunch will be served in the gym. No RSVP is required.

LOVE IN ACTION SPEAKER SERIES

The Shalom Social Justice Team is excited to announce the start of a new speaker series called "Love in Action." This periodic event will feature community experts speaking on a variety of issues that affect our community. Our goal is to be good listeners so that we can be part of the solution to these challenges.

On Sunday, October 20, at 4:00 PM in Chalice Hall, we'll welcome Tiffany Brown. Ms. Brown is the Equity and Implementation Officer for the city of Lexington. Here's her description of our time together. "We'll explore how policies and practices throughout Lexington's history have shaped racial inequalities that persist today. We'll examine the legacy of redlining, exclusionary zoning, and urban renewal, which resulted in segregated neighborhoods and limited access to housing and economic opportunities for marginalized communities. By understanding the historical context of disinvestment, gentrification, and the role of local government, we'll uncover how these structural barriers have impacted racial disparities in wealth, education, and health outcomes. Together, we will analyze ways to foster equity and create lasting, systemic change." Everyone is invited to attend this important event!

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: Tracy Lovan, John Royse

FAMILY: Janice Byers (mother of Beth Cooper), the family of Barry Newton (father of Laura Prather), the family of Dr. Robert E. Robbins (brother of Sylvia Griffin)

FRIENDS: Diane Atchison (of Bill and Patti Bridges), Cristi family (of Crestwood), Judy Collins (of Fran Allen), Jeff and Chris Dotson and family (of Natalee Feese), Dunn family (of Jeanne Jouett), Melody Fiely (of Karen Trommer), Greg Garland (of Scott & Steph Wallace), Don Ralph (of Libby Wachtel)

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST: Joe Clark, Tyler Coultas (son of Karen Coultas), Frank Dickey, David Farmer (friend of Kimberly Sparks), Jo Fulkerson, Laurie Hart (granddaughter of Susan and Kendall Hart), Jordan & Ginny Sue Hemphill (brother & sister-in-law of Monte LaFrana), Henrietta Shores (granddaughter of Mary Beth Shores), Donnie Wakefield, Jim Wallace (father of Scott Wallace)

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), Matt Holman (son of Gaye Holman), Zoe McIntyre (granddaughter of John Sims), Ashlyn Marra-Sigler and Daniel Sigler (daughter-in-law and son of Pam and 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 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.

CIRCLE MEETINGS

October Bible Study:

May Justice Roll

(Proverbs 31:8-9, Amos 5:20-27, Luke 4:18-19, Deuteronomy 16:20, Psalms 41:1)

Naomi Circle

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

Jeanne Jouett will lead the Bible study and Elaine Lollis will be our hostess.

Dorcas Circle

Wednesday, October 16, 10:00 AM in Chalice Hall

Gayle Hutcherson will present our Bible study program.

Julia Circle

Monday, October 21, 6:45 PM in the Bradford Room

Fran McKinney will lead the Bible study, and our hostess will be Fran Allen.

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

CANE RIDGE CLOSING DAY SERVICE



You are invited to the 2024 Closing Day Service at the Cane Ridge Meeting House on Thursday, October 31, at 10:00 AM. This is a special time of worship in one of our most sacred places, so we hope you can attend!

SIGN UP FOR THE CHILI/SOUP COOK OFF AT THE ANNUAL HALLOWEEN BASH! SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 4:00-6:00 PM



We need your best chili and soup—bring your crock pots and let our youth judge which is the tastiest! A trophy will be awarded to the winner!

If you can sign up to bring other dishes (like kid-friendly food, other than chili) please sign up too!

[Click here](#) to sign up.

We hope you will plan to join us for this wonderful fall celebration and fellowship event!

PICKLEBALL, ANYONE?

If you are a Pickleball player interested in playing with a team in a local church league, please contact Nan Riekert at Twin Pines Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) for more information about forming a team or joining an existing team. Nan's number is 859-536-5056.

