

CHURCH CALENDAR

Tuesday, December 10

11:30 AM - SRO Lunch - Parlour, 2099 Harrodsburg Rd.
2:00 PM - Property Team - Bradford Room
7:30 PM - Kentuckians Chorus Concert - Sanctuary

Wednesday, December 11

1:00 PM - Bible Study - MC3

Thursday, December 12

11:00 AM - Bible Study - Bradford Room
6:00 PM - Finance Team - Bradford Room
7:00 PM - Choir Practice - Choir Room

Saturday, December 14

8:00 AM - Men's Breakfast - Bradford Room

Sunday, December 15

8:30 AM - Worship Service
9:30 AM - Sunday School
10:00 AM - Choir Practice
10:45 AM - Worship Service
12:00 PM - Elders' Lunch - Bradford Room
4:30 PM - Children & Youth Pageant - Sanctuary
5:00 PM - All-Church Christmas Dinner - Gym

SRO LUNCH TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10
ALL ADULTS ARE WELCOME!

TODAY at 11:30 AM we will be meeting at Parlour Restaurant (2099 Harrodsburg Rd., Lexington, 40504) to enjoy a delicious lunch and a time of wonderful fellowship together! Parlour is a new restaurant that comes highly recommended by a very discerning connoisseur we all know - Kory! While we enjoy lunch together, we will discuss future SRO lunches and trips. Please plan to join us!

THE KENTUCKIANS CHORUS CONCERT
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 7:30 PM

TODAY The Kentuckians Chorus will provide us a free preview of their Christmas show! Join us for great music and some laughs. This is their "Thank You" for our letting them use our space for rehearsals.



Sunday, December 15

In the Beginning
Sermon Series
Matthew and Luke -
Who's Right?
Rev. Dr. Kory Wilcoxson

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
THIS SUNDAY

All members of Crestwood are encouraged to stay a few minutes after the 10:45 AM worship service (or come back to church, if you attend the 8:30 AM service) for a congregational meeting to approve the 2025 budget. You can see the budget and read more about it by [clicking this link](#). The meeting shouldn't take long, but your participation is important. Thank you!

CHILDREN AND YOUTH
CHRISTMAS PLAY

Sunday, December 15, 4:30 PM

Join us for our children and youth Christmas play, 'Parking Lot Pageant', in the sanctuary. Our church Christmas dinner will immediately follow the program.

ALL-CHURCH CHRISTMAS DINNER

Sunday, December 15, 5:00 PM

All are invited as we join together for a church family dinner and singing led by our children. Please plan to be a part of this meal as we connect and celebrate.

POINSETTIA ORDERS
Payments due December 15

Each plant costs \$10. Call the office to place an order (859-266-0459) or [place your order online](#). The Poinsettias will be placed in the sanctuary by December 22. If you are purchasing a plant, you are welcome to take it home after the Christmas Eve services.

Joys and Concerns

MEMBERS: the family of Joe Clark, Joan Stafford

FAMILY: Benita Baughn (family of Michelle DeLacey), the family of Sandra Deerhake (mother of Amanda Deerhake), Jim Ernst (husband of Becky Ernst), the family of Jane Collins Gummel (sister of Susan Schell), Judy Walden (mother of Connie Guilfoil), Linda Yates (mother of Stephanie Moore)

FRIENDS: the Cristi family (of Crestwood), Mary Duff (of Dana Adamson), the Furlong family (of Patsy Anderson), the family of Jim Turner (of Fran Allen), Mary Van Kesteren (of Crestwood)

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST: Tyler Coultas (son of Karen Coultas), Frank Dickey, 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), Lisa Jern (cousin of Libby Wachtel), Henrietta Shores (granddaughter of Mary Beth Shores), Nathaniel Sligh (nephew of Kimberly Sparks), 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 & 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 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.

DECEMBER SPOTLIGHT ON SERVICE: GREENHOUSE17

GreenHouse17 can accept only NEW supplies and not previously owned items, as their policy dictates due to Covid protocols. NEW items needed are as follows:

- Adult and children's toothbrushes
- Sanitary pads and tampons
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Body wash and soap
- Hair brushes and combs
- Textured hair care products such as hair oil, deep conditioners, wide tooth combs
- Lotion
- Adult and children's underwear
- Pull-up diapers, all sizes
- Cleaning supplies
- Paper towels
- Toilet paper
- NEW Twin size bedding, especially "beds in a bag" that include comforters
- Gift cards to Walmart, Kroger, and Target

Donations may be brought to the Giving Lane located in the hallway that leads to the Administrative Wing or to any of the December DWM meetings.

DWM CIRCLE MEETINGS

Julia Circle - earlier date & time

Monday, December 9, 6:30 PM @ Gretz house

CHRISTMAS POTLUCK - please bring a side dish to share!

PLEASE RSVP to Sara Gretz, sara3696@outlook.com or 859-227-3684

Naomi Circle - time & location change

Tuesday, December 17, 11:00 AM

@ Joseph Beth Booksellers

Christmas luncheon

Dorcus Circle

Wednesday, December 18, 10:00 AM in Chalice Hall

Katherine Steckler will provide Christmas Music.

DECEMBER MEN'S BREAKFAST

Our December Men's Breakfast will be on Saturday, December 14, in the Bradford Room. All men of Crestwood are invited to join us! A tasty breakfast and good conversation will be provided. Please RSVP to Kory if you can attend.

