

Sunday Morning Worship – 9:00am
Sunday School – 10:20

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Moving Toward Normal

There is no doubt that our church has been changed by the Corona Virus pandemic. What was “normal” in the past may never return as we rethink the safety of our activities and practices. Some believe the offering basket is a permanent fixture in the foyer with the thought we will no longer be passing the offering plate. We will need to rethink communion. There was a time when folks drank from a common cup that was passed through the congregation. At some point in time, we began passing trays with individual cups. Today, we have hermetically sealed bread and juice cups that are set out to limit the spread of germs. Will our greeting include “hugs & howdy” or will we continue to just wave at folks across the room? We are in uncharted territory. Be patient as we take steps in moving toward a new “normal.”



At the March Board meeting, it was agreed we would restore the church calendar with events and activities. Sunday School, Youth Group, and Men’s Breakfast will reboot in March. April will feature our Maundy Thursday Remembrance and Easter Sunrise Service with breakfast.

People have strong opinions about what we should and shouldn’t be doing with the virus still lurking about. Let’s remember to respect one another’s opinion. The Apostle Paul wrote to the church at Ephesus and it applies to us: *“Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.”* (Ephesians 4:3)

Sunday School Resumes

The Sunday School buzzer will ring at 10:20 AM on Sunday, March 21 to call our Adult and Youth Classes together.

Why Sunday School? This is our opportunity to gather in small groups to dig a little deeper into God’s Word. The format allows for discussion and questions; making the Bible all the more practical and applicable to our lives.

Nursery.....	Volunteers
Younger Elementary.....	Lori Curry
Upper Elementary	Terry Prasun
Jr/Sr High	Jeff Maxey
Adults	Pat Fahey



We are recruiting volunteers to staff the Sunday School and Worship Nursery. This is a rotating position which will enlist your help once every five weeks, hopefully. Willing? See Lori Curry.

“The Life of Christ”

We will be restarting Sunday School with just one adult class. Pat will be guiding us through the Gospel of Mark. More classes to come.



Easter at Windsor Christian

The fear of disease and death has permeated our world for months because of Covid, but the reality of death has always concerned mankind. It was Job who asked the question: *“If a man dies, will he live again?”* (Job 14:14)

The celebration of Easter stirs a confidence that our Savior, having resurrected from the grave, lives. Because He lives, we can be assured there is life beyond the grave for all who place their faith in Jesus.

Maundy Thursday

A solemn reminder of Christ’s betrayal and the price He would pay for our redemption. Thursday, April 1 at 7:00 PM

Sunrise Service

Our Worship Team is offering a unique service to begin our Easter morning. We hope you’ll leap from your beds and join us at 7AM.

Sunrise Breakfast

We have yet to work out all the details for our Easter Breakfast. We know it will be a simple selection of homemade baked goods or a full breakfast spread. Details to follow.



Saturday, March 27
8:00 AM

Attendance at our monthly **Men's Breakfast** always amazed us. We were averaging around 30 men from five to six different congregations. There was always great food and conversation. In order to properly plan, we are asking participants to RSVP with a text to Pat (217.294.3957) or calling the church office.



YG restarts March 28. Dinner will be served at 5:30 PM with a lesson and activity to follow. Don't forget to invite a friend. YG is always better with a crowd.

If you're over 60 with no intention of slowing down, we count you as a Speeder and invite you to join us for one of our monthly luncheons. On Tuesday, April 13 we're not going far. Pat & Janet Fahey are preparing lunch for us. YUM! More details to follow.



Loving Our Community Like Jesus

To help break the Covid monotony, WCC will be hosting two Easter Egg Hunts. On Easter morning, we will have a hunt in Windsor City Park at 10:30 for children pre-school through 5th grade.

A **Teen Twilight Egg Hunt** will be held at Windsor City Park on Saturday, April 3 at 7:15. Special marked eggs will allow "hunters" to snag some of the \$200 in prize money. This hunt is reserved for 6th - 12th grade students from Windsor and Stew-Stras schools.



Windsor High School is sponsoring a **Red Cross Blood Drive** in our Fellowship Hall on Monday, March 22 from Noon to 5PM. The Red Cross is asking all donors to reserve a time by signing up online at redcrossblood.org. Be sure to bring your ID.



- Well, now that we've replaced the Worship Center roof, the Fellowship Hall roof has become a problem and needs to be recoated. Initial estimates are in the \$14,000 to \$39,000 range.
- We appreciate **Kim McQueen** and **Faye Bennett** for hosting our Coffee Break Fellowship.
- A shout out to **Mike Forster** for shoveling the snow from our sidewalks on Sunday morning.
- A chair rail has been mounted to protect the back wall of the worship center. . . thanks to **Tom Ingram & Joe Johnson**.
- Thank you, **Terry Prasun**, for all the decorations in the foyer and Fellowship Hall.



March

- 5- Bailey Leasher
- 6- Lucy Curry
- 7- Debbie Beals
- 8- Nancy Fontaine
- 22- Janean Carter
- 22- Dylan Curry
- 28- Chad Smith
- 29- Marie Sinkler
- 12- Mark & Becky Curry
- 20- Joe & Eileen Curry



April

- 2- Jeff Maxey
- 5- Jim Dona
- 5- Marilyn Montgomery
- 9- Robbie McDaniel
- 10- Brad Phegley
- 11- Amanda McDaniel
- 13- Carolan Hennigh
- 13- Karisa Rhodes
- 14- Amy Maxey
- 18- Dave Curry
- 20- Rosie Jackson
- 22- Greg Bennett
- 23- Joe Fontaine
- 27- Isaiah Spivey



Anniversaries

- 1- Chuck & Karla Prince
- 24- Larry & Debbie Beals

Prayer Needs

Only the individual or family members may add someone to our list. A name remains only four weeks, but may be reposted with a call to the office.

Jim Johnson, Chuck & Karla Prince, Annabelle Griffin, Tom Forster (Mike's brother), Penny McQueen Riley, Debbie Meadows, Don Hoffman, Joyce Courtois (Lucy Curry's sister), Donna Reed (friend of Cindy McQueen), Norma Dolan, Rebecca Dove (friend of Ashley Rincker), Melissa Lemay, Hannah Lemay, Jim Johnson's great-great granddaughter, April Hartman, Joel VanVoorhis, Leroy Burgess, Victoria Splittorff, Bill Walker, Tom Russell, Tateyana Russell, Darlene Splittorff, Pam Lynch, Madisyn Frank

Dealing with Cancer Kim Lumpp (Vera's son), Lois Walker, Ronda Heath, Kyla Doedtmann, Kimberlie Elkins (Lesa McDaniel's mother), Judy Smith, Eric Frahm, Crystal Black, Derek Cruitt, Jamie Kirkham, Rodney Maxwell.

In The Service: Travis Fox, Cpt. Josh Sinkler, Blake Wallace, Sgt. Caleb VanVoorhis

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