

OUR MISSION

changing, caring and connecting people in a Christ-centered community

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May 14
Photo Booth
in our

east foyer

Stop by the east foyer and use your phone to capture moments with mom.







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Traditional Worship [8:00am]

ABF/Sunday School [9:30am]

Contemporary Worship [9:30am & 11:00am]

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-4pm Closed Noon-1pm

8th Grade-12th Grade Trip to Florida

THEVEILL

June 25th - July 1st 2nd payment due June 4th



Follow Community Christian Student Ministry on Facebook for updates and details on other upcoming trips and events!



FIVE GUYS

May 7th, 6:00-8:00pm







Volunteer by calling Lori

or signing up on your

connection card.





Birth-5 years old 9:30am & 11am



Hero Worship K- 5th grade

9:30am & 11am

— kitchen

- —teaching a talent
- ---nursery for workers children
- ---registration
- ---setting up
- —-tearing down
- —-teaching the Bible lesson



May 30-June 2

Bringing Out the Best in YOU

Register beginning May 3



We have many ministry opportunities available. Take some time to pray about where God can use you to help people in *changing, connecting and caring* at Community. Contact Connie Cravens. She would love to help you discover your piece in the 3C puzzle.



Mark Owen



Register for events on your Connection Card.
Pay at the Connection Counter or through your
offering envelope. Please have correct change.
Make checks payable to 3C unless otherwise noted.

Connie Cravens Men's Ministry

May 4: ROMEOs [Retired Old Men Eating Out/Golden Corral]

11:30am Contact: Bill Graham

Tues Nights: Iron Sharpens Iron [sc] 7pm
3rd Tues/local restaurant
Come connect with other men, study God's
word and put it into practical, everyday life
situations. This is a study/fellowship/support
group all wrapped in one. We are using
Mark - Follow Me, a study guide by James Hoover.
Contact: John Fultz/Steve Guenther/Scott Wedemeyer

Women's Ministry

Mon: Piecemakers [quilting/fh] 6-8pm Contact: Carol Lawson

Wed: Ladies Bible Study [fh] 10am-Noon

Contact: Becky Conover

May 2 & 16: No Strings Attached [crocheting/cp] 7pm

Contact: Teri Martin/PamPrice

May 5: PJ Movie Night [fh] 7:30pm
To Joey, with Love
Popcorn/Drinks provided
Bring favorite snack to share.
Contact: Sherry Aufdenkamp

<u>May 15</u>: JULIETs [just us ladies intentionally eating together] Red Zone/6:30pm Contact: Kim Torok

Upcoming Events

PrimeTimer's Ministry [age 50+] Contact: Mabel Gelter
It is important if you sign up for any event and are unable
to make it please let Mabel know. If you didn't sign up
in time and want to attend, give her a call.

May 13: Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall [Georgetown Fairgrounds]
Plus lunch and stop at an Amish store. Leave 9:30am.
Cost: Donations requested at memorial/lunch/shopping/gas
May 14: Balance Due Senior Saints in the Smokies/June 5-9
Contact: Connie Cravens

Mission's Ministry

Soup Kitchen 1st & 3rd Wed Contact: Ken Day Drivers Needed On A Rotating Basis/Near 8th & State Use your own vehicle or church 15 passenger van.



Contact: Becky Conover/Steve Torok

Recreation Ministry

May 6: 3C Riders [Tri-State Ride/Scott Szeghi] 8:30am
May 29: 3C Riders [Moyer Winery/Ron Dunn] Noon
Check out the 2017 ride schedule on our website.
July 22: Adult Canoe/Kayak Trip [age 18 & up]
Contact: Steve Guenther



Check out our <u>3C Ministry Catalog</u> on our website [located at the bottom of the ministries page]. If you do not have access to a computer, pick up a copy from our bookrack in the east foyer. Take the next step and discover a place to serve.



See the bulletin, newsletter and calendar at: communitychristian.cc

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Use Givelify to conveniently give and track church giving from your Smartphone or through our website. Contact: Carol Lawson



If you were unable to participate in our Victory Sunday there are Intention Cards in the east foyer out • IN • DEEP book rack. Just fill out the card and drop it in the Connection Counter slot. Give through your offering envelope [check "other" and write DIG - no need to write two separate checks] or Givelify.



Important 3C Dates

3 & 17: Soup Kitchen

 $\textbf{4:} \ ROMEOs \ [Retired \ Old \ Men \ Eating \ Out/Golden \ Corral] \ \textbf{11:30am;}$

National Day of Prayer [Baptist] 7pm

5: Ladies PJ Movie Night [fh] 7:30

6: Designing Your Legacy [fh] 10am;

3C Riders [Tri-State Ride] 8:30am

8: Mission Team [Conover] 7pm

13: PrimeTimers [50+] [memorial wall/lunch] 9:30am

14: Family Dedication

15: JULIETS [Red Zone] 6:30pm

18: Finance Team [Rm 209] 7pm

20: North Side Property Clean Up, 9am-Noon

22: Elders [Rm 209] 7pm

29: Office Closed; 3C Riders [Moyer Winery] Noon

30-June 2: MAD Camp [Age 3-5th] 9am-1pm

May brings us two of our favorite holidays. Mother's Day is a good day to celebrate but also a hard day for many of our people who continue to miss the mom who gave them so much guidance during the years of her life. Then, Memorial Day helps us remember to be thankful and show gratitude to those who have served our country, to fight for the freedom we enjoy today. Thanks to our veterans around 3C.

If you remember, it was May 2016 that we were involved with DIG. Hardly seems possible that nearly a year has passed since we gathered at camp and made commitments to help pay down the debt on the west property. Thanks to the many of you who have continued to be so faithful in paying down the mortgage on the property.

Dan Asche That loan now stands near \$425,000 thanks to your giving over a \$100,000 in this past year. Also, thanks to those of you who felt like you couldn't make a financial commitment but you give to DIG and pray for the success of our church family in reducing our debt. I hope you will be with us on Sunday, June 4, as we celebrate **One Year of DIG** with some cake and punch between worship times in the Connecting Place. That same day we will be recognizing our high school graduates during the 11am worship service.

A few families have joined us over the past year and this may seem like new information to you. It's all part of a relocation plan the elders led the church back in 2005. Fifty acres were purchased with the intent of building a new campus on 22 acres on the south side of State Route 125 just west of Bethel. While the remaining 28 acres were to be sold. That plan still is a part of our over-arching vision. The south side will one day give us ball and soccer fields, a facility that, we think, will at first be a Family Life Center allowing us to be able to worship and use during the week as a gym/sports facility. That is simply a plan/vision our elders thought about and prayed over; it's a good vision.

In a recent Finance Team meeting they approved funds of \$3,000 to install a culvert on the new property, allowing us access off Crane Schoolhouse Road to a very small gravel parking lot where you can drive in, sit on a wooden bench near a cross, and spend a few minutes in prayer. I hope you will also dream a little – not so much about a building or facilities, but about people. Reaching people with the message of Christ is still our main priority at Community.

To those of you who are ready to walk an aisle and finally get that diploma – congratulations. Big days are worth celebrating and remembering. You have worked hard to achieve a significant mile stone in your life. May God bless you as your career path begins or as you move on to another level in your education.

Psalms will be our topic of study during the months of June and July. Then in August we will be talking about Our Team.