

changing - caring - connecting

COMMUNITY christian church

OUR MISSION

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

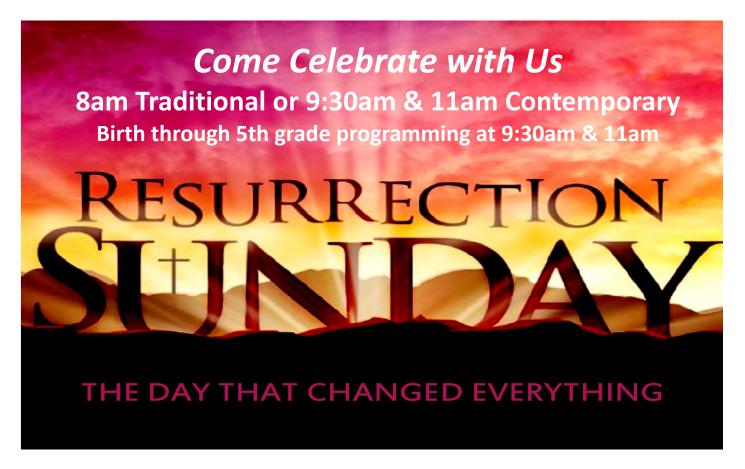
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Sat, April 7 10am-Noon Led by Dan Asche

If you call Community Christian your church family, or if you have questions about 3C and have never taken this introduction class, we want to invite you to be a part of this 2-hour session. This is a great time to discover who we are as a church body and how we hope to *change*, *care and connect* people in a Christ-centered community. Childcare available.

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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

July 15-20th



Second Payment due May 20th







Call the office for

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SMALL Growing. Together.

HS Small Group Sunday Nights 6:30-8:00pm MS Small Group Wednesdays 6:30-7:45pm



Junior High Camp June 17th-22nd

Junior High Discipleship July 8th-14th

Junior High Girls June 24th -29th

Junior High Extreme July 15th -20th

Red River Wilderness July 29th-August 3rd

Be Creative June 17th-22nd

Tennessee Extreme June 29-July 2nd (10th grade up to 20 years old)





Children's Director. **Nicole Pelvit**

Wednesday Night Kids! 6:30-7:45pm Invite a friend, worship together and finish the week strong! *light snack provided



Birth-5th grade classes 9:30 and 11am Sundays

Kids Kove News

March flew by with our interactive and meaningful Holy Week lessons each Sunday, Easter performance practice and learning the books of the Bible with Wednesday Night Kids. I am looking forward to finishing the school year strong and gearing up for summer fun!

Wednesday Night Kids— The last night for our weekly Wednesday children's program will be May 9th.

Mother's Day and Infant Dedication—We will have an infant dedication during the 11:00 service on Mother's Day. If you are interested in having your child dedicated please email me at 3cchildren@gmail.com. Additionally, we will be celebrating ALL moms that day with family activities and a fun photo booth!

Kids' Reachout Roudup— Mark your calendars for a week of fun filled evenings learning about Jesus! <u>July 23-27 6-8pm!</u> Ages 3 years -5th grade. Keep your eyes peeled for volunteer opportunities.

As you've probably noticed, we have added a full door between the Connecting Place and the Kids Kove hallway. We also moved the preschool classroom to the back room. This will allow us to further secure Kids Kove by only having one entrance/exit through the check in area. This added security measure, as well as vigilantly checking every family's sticker, will help ensure the safety of every child in our care. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.



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



Upcoming Events

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

Women's Ministry

<u>Wed</u>: Ladies Bible Study [fh]

10am-Noon Contact: Becky Conover

Apr 1: \$13 Due
Area Christian Women's Fellowship
Apr 19 [Southern Hills] 6:30pm
Details on east entrance bulletin board.
Contact: Jean Kelly

<u>Apr 2 & 16</u>: Piecemakers [quilting/fh] 6-8pm Contact: Carol Lawson

Apr 3 & 17: No Strings Attached [crocheting/cp] 7pm Contact: Teri Martin/Pam Price

<u>Apr 16</u>: JULIETS [just us ladies eating together intentionally]

TBD, 6:30pm Contact: Kim Torok

Men's Ministry

<u>Tues Nights</u>: Iron Sharpens Iron [Rm 211] 7pm Come connect with other men, study God's word and put it into practical, everyday life situations. <u>Becoming a Man of Prayer</u>, Greg Garrett Leading Contact: John Fultz/Steve Guenther/Scott Wedemeyer

Apr 5: ROMEOs [retired old men eating out]
Feed Mill/Felicity, Meet at church 11:30am
Contact: Bill Graham



3C shirts available through the office. Drop your \$7, along with your name and size, in an envelope through the Connection Counter. If you paid for a 3x and did not receive it please contact Connie. It is being held for you.

<u>PrimeTimer's Ministry</u> [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.

> <u>Apr 20</u>: Covedale Theatre [Oklahoma] For those with tickets - Leave 4:45pm

Mission's Ministry

Soup Kitchen 1st & 3rd Wed Contact: Ken Day



June 23-29

Mission Trip to Memphis TN

Mark your calendar now and plan to join this group this summer. More details to follow.

Contact: Steve Torok

Recreation Ministry

<u>Apr 8</u>: 3C Riders [Blue Licks Battlefield State Resort Park] 12:45pm Eat at Hidden Waters Restaurant Ride Coordinator: Steve Miller

Apr 28: 3C Riders [Iron Pony Motorsports] 10am
Rain or Shine Ride Coordinator: Dan Hayes





Pick up a full 2018 schedule in the east foyer bookrack. Also, you can follow up on our website to see the summaries of each book we are reading.

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.



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

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Church, Bethel OH

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Important 3C Dates

to work out a time that works best for you.

1: Sunrise Service [Baptist] 7am

2 & 16: Elders [Rm 207] 7pm

4 & 18: Soup Kitchen

5: ROMEOs [Feed Mill/Felicity] Leave 11:30am/east lot

7: Community 101 [Rm 207] 10am-Noon

8: Prayer Warriors [Rm 207] 5pm

16: JULIETs [TBD] 6:30pm

20: PrimeTimers [50+] [Covedale Theatre] 4:45pm



Dan Asche

Many thanks to Mark (he is such a talented guy) and all the others who served and gave of themselves to make the Sunday evening concert happen. If you missed it, I'm sorry. It was a wonderful concert by many of our local musicians from the various churches. Then the cookies, pies, bars and cake were much appreciated. Thanks to all the ladies who ran the kitchen and kept the tables filled. It was a good night to start off Holy Week.

Our Egg Hunt was either a Snow Out or a Rain Out depending on what time you looked out the window last weekend. So Nicole and company will try it again this Saturday at 2pm. Thanks to all of you who supplied the candy. Thanks to all of our people who came and stuffed eggs. We all know Easter is about Jesus and His Resurrection from the dead. However, you have to admit, it's a treat to watch the kids find the eggs. Parents take the hint – let the kids collect the eggs!

Easter and spring time remind us that our c-group season will be winding down within the next month or so. One of the changes this year was the addition Kyle made for our RightNow Media. I know many of the groups have used various Bible Studies from the library of studies RNM has available. This site is available to all of you for FREE with an access code. If you missed the one Kyle emailed to you, please let him know.

Our church needs more groups. Perhaps over the next few months you could pray about starting a group at your house, or a local restaurant, or maybe at the church building. Groups provide the relationships and the opportunities to grow as a Christ follower. Something to think and pray about.

One of the tensions our leaders live with, at almost every meeting, is how to adapt an old building into all the changes going on in our world today. We know our building has its drawbacks. That is why the leaders back in 2004 asked you to support them as they moved forward to buy the property west of town for relocation in the days to come. I know that was a long time ago. You probably had no idea it would take this long to sell the north 30 acres of property. It has been listed for \$290,000. Soon a new realtor will be selected and we continue to pray for the land to sell. We owe in the area of \$340,000 on the loan for all 50 acres.

I know when I first came in April of 2008 I had no idea how difficult it would be to keep our present building, not just in good repair, but to keep it safe for our people and guests, as well. We were told by a church growth guru that you need a coffee/connecting area or a fellowship type space on the main entry. So, the offices went to the old parsonage and the Connecting Place came about.

Over the years we have had to undertake repairs and various projects we would rather have skipped. The man behind the curtain for making it happen is Paul Morford with his assistant Alan Faulkner. The hallway safety door to protect our children was much needed. Alan's paint team of John Longbottom, Brad Sayles, and Melvin Eckert cleaned up our connection area. Thanks guys.

Happy Easter, see you all on Sunday.