



changing - caring - connecting
COMMUNITY
christian church

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

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Because we are concerned for your safety please do not feel obligated to attend or serve at any ministry activity if you feel uncomfortable driving. Our campus will be closed whenever Bethel Tate Schools and evening activities are cancelled due to inclement weather or a Level 2/3 snow emergency is declared for Clermont County. Weekend worship services will be held unless a Level 3 snow emergency is in effect for Clermont County.



Christmas Toy Collection
Choose a tag from the tree in the east foyer. Purchase a \$10 gift and place your unwrapped gift under the tree between Nov 18 – Dec 9



December 8 [Fri] 9:30am

Join us for a fun filled morning of breakfast, a craft, story, and of course, a visit with Santa! This is a FREE event, however pre-registration is required. Birth-5th graders and their families [older siblings welcome]. Register by phone at 734-2232, through your Connection Card, on our FB page, or email 3cchildren@gmail.com.
Contact: Nicole Pelvit



Sun, Dec 23 & 30
9:30am & 11am No 8am Service
Christmas Eve
Candlelight Worship, 4pm



Dec 16
Plan Now!
Wear your best ugly sweater and join the fun.



\$8,000 goal will build a church in Africa and help with repairs and maintenance on our campus.

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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

Middle School & High School Gatherings:

December 2nd—Trip to Skyzone, \$19

December 9th - Student Ministry Christmas Party
6:00- 8:00pm Student Center

December 30th - New Year's Eve Party 7:00-11:00pm

January 6th - Tubing Trip to Perfect North Slopes

January 9th - Middle School Small Group begins

January 13th - High School Small Group begins

February 1-2nd Junior High Believe
Conference in Louisville, KY

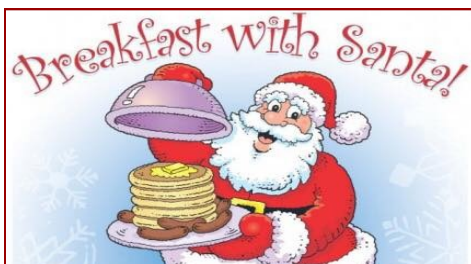


Children's Director
Nicole Pelvit

Kids Kove News

K-5th: We are learning about Christmas this month and how God prepared for many, many years for our rescue through the birth of His Son.

***Looking ahead:** Please practice Away In A Manger and Silent Night with your kids! Ages 2 years-5th grade will be singing. We will be singing at the 9:30am & 11:00am services on December 23rd AND our Christmas Eve service, 4pm.



Breakfast with Santa is on December 8th at 9:30am. This is a FREE community event so bring your friends! Pre-registration is required. Please email me at 3cchildren@gmail.com. Ages birth-5th grade and their families (siblings welcome).



Wednesday Night Kids were able to send ELEVEN Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes overseas this year! They also donated four boxes of baby supplies to a local pregnancy care center. THANK YOU for your generous donations and teaching your children about giving!

Sundays: We have several open volunteer positions in all classrooms. Please prayerfully consider giving one hour each month of your time to Kids Kove and build into our youngest generation of believers.

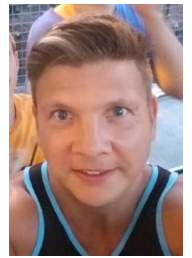
Praying for special memories to be made with your families this Christmas season! ~ Nicole



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



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



Connie Cravens

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.

Community Service

Dec 2: Christmas Cantata, Methodist Church, 6pm

Women's Ministry

Wed, Dec 5, 12, 19 :

Ladies Bible Study [fh] 10am-Noon
Angels Contact: Becky Conover

Dec 4 & 18: No Strings Attached [crocheting/cp] 7pm
Contact: Teri Martin/Pam Price

Dec 7: Cookie/Sock Exchange [cp] 7-9pm

Bring prepared recipes for 2 of your favorite cookies or candy recipes plus a Christmas sock stuffed with inexpensive goodies. Don't forget containers to take home your treats. Also, bring a snack to share. Participation in the cookie exchange is not required in order to attend.

Contact: Sherry Aufdenkamp/Marilyn Harvey/Dana Wedemeyer

Dec 17: JULIETS [just us ladies intentionally eating together]

McAlister's Deli/Beechmont, 6:30pm

Contact: Kim Torok

Men's Ministry

Tues, Dec 4, 11, 18:

Iron Sharpens Iron [men's study group]

RightNow Media - Titus [Rm 207] 6:30pm

Contact: Steve Guenther

Dec 6: ROMEOS [retired old men eating out]

LaRosa's/Mt Orab Meet at church 11:30am

Contact: Bill Graham

Mission's Ministry

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

Recreation Ministry

3C Riders: Contact: Steve Miller

Dec 1: Down Home Christmas Parade [weather permitting]
Regardless of Weather - Dinner at Front Street Café, 7pm

Dec 7: Christmas Party [Asche's] 6:30pm

Email Kay the side dish you plan to bring.

Community 301

Discover Your



S - Spiritual Gifts H - Heart A - Abilities P - Personality E - Experiences

Begin the new year discovering your SHAPE. Let Connie know and she will be happy to work out a time that works best for you.

Christmas Card Drop

If you wish to share a Christmas card with someone in the 3C family, drop your greeting cards in the appropriate baskets [according to last name] provided at the back of the Worship Center by Dec 23.

Check out our [3C Ministry Catalog](#) 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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envelope [check the DIG box - no need to write
OUT • IN • DEEP two separate checks] or use **Givelify**.



Week of Jan 6: C-Groups Resume - Don't belong to a group. Contact Kyle Dickerson or register on your Connection Card
Jan 9: Kids & Teens Programming Resumes
Wed Night Kids/Middle School Small Group, 6:30-7:45pm
Jan 23-Feb 4: Mission Trip To Egypt

Important 3C Dates

- 1:** 3C Riders [Down Home Christmas Parade/Weather Permitting] & Dinner at Front Street Café, 7pm
- 3 & 17:** Elders [Rm 207] 7pm
- 5 & 19:** Soup Kitchen
- 6:** ROMEOs [LaRosa's/Mt Orab] 11:30am
- 7:** 3C Riders [Christmas Party @ Asche's] 6:30pm
- 7:** Cookie/Sock Exchange [cp] 7-9pm
- 8:** Breakfast with Santa [fh] 9:30am
- 9:** Prayer Warriors [Rm 207] 5pm
- 16:** Ugly Christmas Sweater Day
- 17:** JULIETS [McAlistar's Deli/Beechmont] 6:30pm
- 23 & 30:** Two Services, 9:30 & 11am [no 8am service]
- 24 & 25:** Office Closed



Dan Asche

As you might expect we have a lot of church and family activities centering around Christ and Christmas this December. I trust you will take advantage of the 25 Day Christmas Devotional we have made available in hard copy in the east foyer bookrack, Connection Counter, on our website and FaceBook page, and the YouVerson Bible app as well.

You have heard about our Christmas offering goal of \$8,000 that will be divided between our mission team and some physical needs around the campus. Shonnie will be with us in worship on Sunday the 16th, so you will hear first-hand of the ministry she has given her life to in Liberia.

Kathy Rose each year has a Christmas Card table in the back of the Worship Center so you might exchange Christmas Cards with those in our church family if you so desire. Please check the table for cards you might receive.

Christmas Eve in 2017 we gave a special gift to our local pizza guy – I hope you remember that moment? So, for this year do bring a few singles with you for another opportunity to share with someone this Christmas Eve as we gather at 4pm, Mon, Dec 24.

We are going to try (note try) to find the ugliest Christmas sweater in all 3 services on Dec 16. We will have a nice gift for the 3 winners of the Ugly Christmas Sweater of 2018.

On a more serious note, if you would like to join our elders in a day of fasting for wisdom and discernment as we plan for our future days in reaching people for Christ, we will fast on Monday, January 7th. The elders will be fasting the first Monday of the month in 2019. If you wish to join them you can check the Connection Card in your bulletin.

Do pray for our elders and staff as they meet for our annual retreat which will be held on Feb 22 & 23. Dr. David Roadcup will be leading our retreat as we begin to put together a next step, 3-year plan for our church family.

Merry Christmas to you and your family from Kay, Dean & myself.

2019 – May it be a great year for you and our church family at Community!

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