

Welcome!


ALL WHO COME TO WORSHIP GOD ARE ALWAYS WELCOME HERE.

This is Christ's Church and together we are seeking to love the world as the Beloved did. We also seek to be as embracing as Jesus was. Therefore, everyone is invited into full membership and ministry regardless of age, sexual orientation, race, ethnic origin, or worldly condition.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER REQUESTS

For the entire MAPC Congregation to stay healthy, positive and strong. We will get through this and come out on the other side more connected than ever.

Judy Lindbad; Teegan Ernst; Sandee Ernst; Margaret Standriff; John Wegener; Michael Harper; Pat Lefeld; Gwen Ramgobin; Brian Tansey; Seth Currier; Jan Gallagher; Bill Porter; Bill Rogers; Anita Taylor; Jonathan Ross and family (Pat Timm's nephew); DJ Chalk (Dave's son); Peter E. Tuff (Pete's dad); Caz (Dave Chalk's grandson); George Rhodes (Judy Rhodes father) for healing and comfort facing declining health; Jerry Edens. Mary Carol Melton for their grandson; John Thomas Melton who has been diagnosed with cancer. Prayers for Ruth Ann Van Loon and her family. Her mother, Mary Jane Van Loon, passed away last Saturday. Prayers for Lisa Foster and Sequoia Powers-Griffin as they recover from Total Knee Replacement surgery. Ann Beegle's brother Mark Beegle, who had emergency gallbladder surgery in Albuquerque. And also for her 87-year-old mother-in-law, Virginia Hawrylycz, who is having some health issues. Prayers for Mary Ann Ignatius brother Bucky Ignatius. Prayers for the family of Mary Pennycuff who has died. Prayers for Debbie Ramey as she recovers from hip surgery. Prayers for Jackie Gruer and her family after her mother, Gloria Gruer, peacefully passed away August 20. Gloria was 95 years old.



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BULLETIN BOARD



Thought for the Week

Every sunrise hold more promise, and every sunset hold more peace.

– Anonymous

SUNDAY SERVICES

You can catch our livestream on Facebook (this is where you will get the best video quality, especially for music, and you don't need to have a Facebook account) or on the Zoom Worship and Coffee Hour Room. If you or someone you know would prefer to connect by

phone, please let Pastor Stacey know and she'll provide a call-in number. YouTube also provides a great quality video!

REMOTE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY TO HELP OUR KIDS THIS SCHOOL YEAR!

Christ Emanuel Christian Fellowship (CECF) reached out to the principals at Frederick Douglass Elementary and Withrow Jr./Sr High School, asking how we might help when school resumes this fall (see the conversation

here: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=288384142494572>).

Both principals outlined ways they would like community members to connect with students remotely. Douglass kids will need help navigating technology and making sure they know which assignments to complete when. Withrow students and families will benefit from someone to check in regularly, asking about how they are keeping up and connecting them to school and community resources. Both principals emphasized the need for consistency! Information and training will be provided from each school

If you are interested, please contact Cassie from CECF (Cwardlawo1@yahoo.com), giving your name, which school you are interested in, and your email address. Cassie will make sure you are included in the next steps of setting up this program.

REMOTE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY TO HELP OUR KIDS THIS SCHOOL YEAR!

As many of you know, Cincinnati Public Schools has moved to virtual instruction for the first six weeks of the academic year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. At Heartfelt Tidbits, we recognize the unique challenges that online instruction may bring families, as well as educational faculty and staff. With this in mind, we are excited to announce the launch of our Virtual Buddy Program! They are looking for volunteers to check-in weekly with students' grades K-8 for the academic year, and serve as mentors and tutors as they navigate this challenging time. The check-ins will be conducted virtually and will help provide the students with support and guidance, as well as help bridge any gaps that will help the transition back to in-person instruction. How can you, or someone you know, participate? If you are interested in serving as a Virtual Buddy or would like more information, please email Lizzy Dobbins (lizzy@heartfelttidbits.org).

Any support is welcome and will make a difference in the lives of students and families.

ALERT! NOVEMBER 6TH IS NEW THE DATE WE WILL DISCUSS THE WEIGHT OF INK

Topic for October 2nd... We will enjoy Poetry By Zoom. The setting isn't as beautiful as the Burdick's backyard but it will be fun. So, find, write, discuss a poem written about our current experiences with the pandemic or political atmosphere. We will also discuss the Black National Anthem email sent to you recently. Contact Nan or Bill with any questions.

RECYCLING OPPORTUNITY

Keep Cincinnati Beautiful is hosting a ONE STOP DROP on October 3. You can bring the following hard to recycle items: Toothbrushes, Toothpaste Tubes, dental floss containers, plastic tubes and jars for hair and skin care products, used pens and markers, empty prescription bottles, six pack plastic holders, cell phones, chargers and small electronics, Styrofoam coolers and packaging. Do NOT bring plastic food storage containers, lightbulbs or batteries. You can bring these items to the church social hall between now and October 2nd and we will deliver them to the ONE STOP DROP. Or, you can bring them to the church parking lot on October 3 between 9:00 and 11:00 AM. Bill Stiver is providing this service to help reduce the auto line at the DROP. Or, you can go to the ONE STOP DROP at Roberts Academy, 11702 Grand Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45214 on October 3 from 12 Noon to 3:00 PM. WE SUPPORT REUSE AND RECYCLING. WE HOPE YOU WILL TOO. The Earth Care Team

PARTICIPATE IN A COVID-19 VACCINE RESEARCH STUDY

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center is conducting COVID-19 clinical research vaccine studies and is seeking adult volunteer participants – 18 to 85 years old. Participating in a research study is one way to perform a community service helping to find new treatments by moving science forward and benefiting patients. You cannot contract COVID-19 from these research studies. If you would like to be added to the interest list for these studies you can call 513-636-7699 or email gambleprogram@cchmc.org.

September Birthdays

1	Michael Harper	19	Martin Collins
2	Robert Guaderrama		Mark Ernst
	Stacey Midge	20	Quinn Ernst
5	Mikaela Elliott	22	Susan Thomas
	Linda Ford	23	Adeline Conner
	Seneca Steinert		Teegan Ernst
7	Jane Hopewell	25	Tom Wetzel
12	Stuart Bick	26	Randy Bailey
15	Stephanie Marston	27	Bo Miller
16	Paul Gibby	30	Gina Armstrong
	Jean Snyder		
17	Brian Tansey		

September Anniversaries

- 11- Ray & Madelynn Matlock
- 12 – Bill Stiver & Kathy Downey
- 14 – Sara & Dan Bick
- 27- Sequoia & Sandy Powers - Griffn

MAPC CALENDAR
September 20- September 27

Date	Time	Group/Purpose	Room
Sunday September 20	11:00 AM	Worship	Zoom/FB Live/YouTube
	12:30 PM	Coffee Hour	Zoom/FB Live/YouTube
Tuesday September 22	9:30 AM	Clergy Bible Study	Zoom
	12:00 PM	Brown Bag Bible Study	Zoom
Wednesday September 23	7:00 PM	Session	Zoom
Sunday September 20	11:00 AM	Worship	Zoom/FB Live/YouTube
	12:30 PM	Coffee Hour	Zoom/FB Live/YouTube