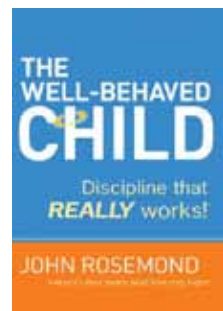


Hot Off the Press! 2/28/15

What's Going on at 3Cs?



WELL BEHAVED KIDS

HEROES & HOTCAKES

CHOCOLATE

3C's will be providing a FREE parenting class based on John Rosemond's Book: "Parenting By the Book."

Saturday, March 5, 2016
9:30-11:00 AM
\$10 per person (Cash or check only, payable to 3C's)

We will be selling World's Finest Chocolate Bars for \$1.00. There is Caramel, Almond, Milk Chocolate, Crisp and Dark Chocolate available.

This is a fantastic class! The class will take place on Thursday Evenings 7:00-8:30, starting March 10th. The class will run 6 weeks.

Come meet an enchanting Princess & a Spider Hero while enjoying a pancake breakfast.

They will be sold at 3c's, Front desk or Michelle Hemsath's office during the week.

There is childcare available: \$4 per child or \$6 per family per evening.

Themed attire encouraged, but not required. Music, Photos and "Meet & Greet". Bring your camera!

Reservation is required for child care, call Mary Clare Peck at 871-2309.

Reservation & Full Payment required.

Please call 853-8489 or email 3Cnuserschool@gmail.com to register and /or purchase candy bars.

Hot Off the Press online: www.chpc.org

4th SUNDAY of LENT

Activity for Small Groups & families with children

Lent is the 40 days prior to Easter that the Church focuses on learning about the life of Jesus Christ and preparing for Holy Week.



YOU WILL NEED: 7 candles and candle holders and a map of Israel. WHAT TO DO: Begin by lighting all 7 candles. Week 1, darken one. Week 2, darken one more, etc. Recite the meaning of each candle as it is extinguished. Listed in chronological order, each candle identifies: (a) A PLACE in Jesus' life; (2) A KEY EVENT in His life; and (3) A 'BETRAYAL' He experienced in connection with that event.

SAY: **This week we darken the 7th candle: EGYPT — Peril.** After Christ's birth in Bethlehem, the first step on His journey was to **flee to Egypt to escape death** at the hands of King Herod.

Then, the 6th candle: NAZARETH — Baptism. Jesus was baptized and went out to be tempted in the wilderness for 40 days. He returned to His home, Nazareth, and was **rejected by His own people.**

Then, the 5th Candle: GALILEE — Discipling. Jesus' life and teaching attracted many. Four fishermen from Galilee were his first disciples — ordinary men who would cause him disappointments and trials.

Today, we darken the 4th Candle: SAMARIA — Teaching. Meeting the woman at the well in Samaria was only one of the times when Jesus taught the 'truth of God' with authority. Yet people hardened their hearts, distorted His words and denied His teachings.

ACTIVITY: Find Samaria on the map. What is north of it? What is south of it? Why would Jesus travel *through* Samaria?

READ: John 4:1-15. DISCUSS: Parents explain what is going on in terms children understand. What time of day was it? Why was the woman alone and drawing water at that time of day.

READ: John 4:16-29, 39-41.

DISCUSS: What made the woman believe Jesus? Why did others believe the woman? What made the others believe Jesus? In what way was the woman like the first disciples? If you were the woman at the well, what would Jesus be saying to you? Who would He reach out to love through you?

Adult Spiritual Formation Classes Feb. 14 - Mar. 13

The classes below meet Sunday Morning at 10:10am unless otherwise noted.

Christianity in the House of Islam

Meets in the Ministry Center Basement Club Room
Led by Mary Belle Chapman at 10:10am.
No class size limit.

The Cross and the Old Testament

Meets in the Ministry Center Basement Room A/B
Led by Drew Smith at 10:10am.
No class size limit.

Parables of Jesus

Meets in the Ministry Center Basement Room C
Led by Fran Kelley at 10:10am.
Class size limited to 15.

The Book of Daniel

Meets in the Ministry Center Basement Room D
Led by Scott Rice at 10:10am.
Class size limited to 15.

Caregiving for Loved Ones

Meets in the Ministry Center Basement Room E
Led by Tim Sillaman at 10:10am on Sundays
Group size limited to 15.

Love Languages

Meets in the White House
Led by Jeanne Schneider at 10:10am.
Class size limited to 15.

Parents of Elementary Age Children

Meets in the Parent Lounge
2nd Floor of the Ministry Center
Led by Andrew Wells at 10:10am.

Worship: The Series Continues

Meets in the Barnabas Center - Room 204
Led by William (Bill) Custer at 9:00am on Sunday

Life and Teachings of Jesus

Led by William (Bill) Custer at 7:00-8:30pm.
Meets in the Barnabas Center - Room 204
Wednesday evenings for 5 weeks, Feb. 17 - Mar. 16

"LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION" POLICY

When parking, remember to keep your valuables and all parcels out of sight safely locked in your trunk. Thieves can even see through dark tinted glass. Don't tempt!

Children & Youth Helpers in Worship

Children ages Kindergarten through third grade are invited to a Children's Worship service each week. Start off with your families in both the 9am and 11:15am service, then listen for the announcement dismissing the kids to their special service. Just before the sermon, children will be dismissed to their special study and worship time.

This week's helpers are:
9:00am Waverly P.
11:15am Lucas F. / Nate S.
Martin Family will greet

Next week's helpers are:
9:00am Andrew D.
11:15am Aidan M. / Sarah L.
Michelle Dyson will greet

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Accepting Recommendations for 2017 Church Officers Now! The Congregational Nominating Committee (CNC) is now accepting recommendations from the congregation for next year's officers until March 6th. Please pick up a form at the front desk, where completed forms may also be turned in the box provided. You may also turn in your recommendations to any Deacon, in the offering plate, via mail to the church, attn. Nominating Committee, or by emailing nominations@chpc.org. Please prayerfully consider who you might recommend (including yourself), as we need your suggestions to move forward in our process of seeking the people God has planned for our future church leadership. We thank you!

3C's Nursery School and Kindergarten now Enrolling. Taking children 2 1/2 - K. Call 853-8489 or email 3cnurseryschool@gmail.com for more information, or stop by our Open House today from 1:00-3:00pm.

Kindling Prayer Group All are invited to participate in prayer group focusing on the need of CHPC and community. Meets first Wednesday of each month. Join us on Wednesday, March 2 at 7 PM in the White House (Care and Counseling Center). Questions: Contact Jeanne Schneider jschneider@chpc.org or 541-5676, x1160

Do You Want Your Child To Go To College? Leadership scholars host a free seven week Parent Academy that teaches you how to help your child succeed in school and go to college. Spring Session starts Tuesday, March 8th. For more information or to sign-up call 513-861-5323 or visit www.leadershipscholars.org/sign-up. Meals, transportation and childcare are provided.

Global Workers in March In the midst of the season of Lent and the sermon series on the Cross of Christ, we are hopefully more attuned to the needs and sufferings around us. In March our congregation will focus on understanding the needs of refugees. The daily experiences of several of our global workers who strive to meet the profound needs of thousands fleeing war and terror in the Middle East will inform and challenge us. Stay tuned for more ways to learn and be involved.

Do you want to receive congregation prayer requests? Join the E – Prayer Chain by signing up on the home page at chpc.org. Enter your email address in the box right under the opening paragraph.

Lost & Found It's that time again! If you have lost anything at CHPC in the past few months, please check the lost & found at the front desk. Any items not claimed by Feb 29th will be donated or discarded.

IGNITE 33 What is Authentic Manhood? Come explore with us. Starting April 13th at 7pm. For details contact Brian Kershner – kershner_b@yahoo.com or Joe Brooks – brojoe777@gmail.com

Great Deal! Lenten Dinners Every Friday at St. Clare Church (the gym across the parking lot). 5-7:30PM. Fried Cod or Shrimp, Baked Tilapia all with choice of 2 sides and bread; kid's meals and pizza. Desserts, beer and other beverages to purchase. [\$3 to \$8]

Easter Flowers If you would like to make a gift toward flowers for your loved ones or for Easter Sunday, please contact *Sam Routzon* at Ext. 1125 or email her at sroutzon@chpc.org The deadline to order Easter Flowers is Monday, March 21. Suggested donation is \$50.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

The February BLAST (K-6) Theme is Cooperation: "working together to do more than you can do alone," and our memory verse is Ecclesiastes 4:9: "Two people are better than one. They can help each other in everything they do." Please pray this month that our children would learn to use their diverse gifts and experiences to work together to point others to Jesus. Resources for both parents and kids are available on the BLAST page of the CYF website: <http://chpcyf.weebly.com/blast.html>.

FX Night is this Wednesday, March 2nd, 6-7:30pm in the Fellowship Hall! FX Night is a great place to invite new families or to meet families who are new to our church community and form relationships with them.

FUELING THE CHURCH

Want to get involved? Feel the need to help out? Are you being called to serve? Help Fuel the Church! Starting this week we will have a list of ministry partner opportunities in the community bulletin board on Mainstreet (hallway between atrium and fireside room). Some of these opportunities require more commitment/skill, others may be a one-time task. There is something there for everyone! This information is also listed on the web at chpc.org/get-involved/partner-in-ministry

JOINING THE CHPC FAMILY

If you are interested in becoming a member at CHPC, our next New Covenant Partner Orientation Classes are: Sundays April 3, 10, 17, 24 at 10:10am. To sign up or if you have questions contact: Michelle at 541-5676 Ext. 1123 or mhemsath@chpc.org or Pastor Dennis at Ext. 1122 or dhall@chpc.org

Prayer Page

"... without ceasing I remember you always in my prayers," Romans 1:9

CHPC Community

Chris Evans	Mark Evans
Susan Faul	Bob Faul
Jennifer Fay	Mark Fay
Terry Fischer	Greg Fischer

Staff

Shannon Caton - 3Cs Director

Officers/Leadership

Margretta Davis - Deacon

Home Bound/Health Center

Pat Robinson

Ministries

Feast of Love - Sleeping Sound

Global Workers

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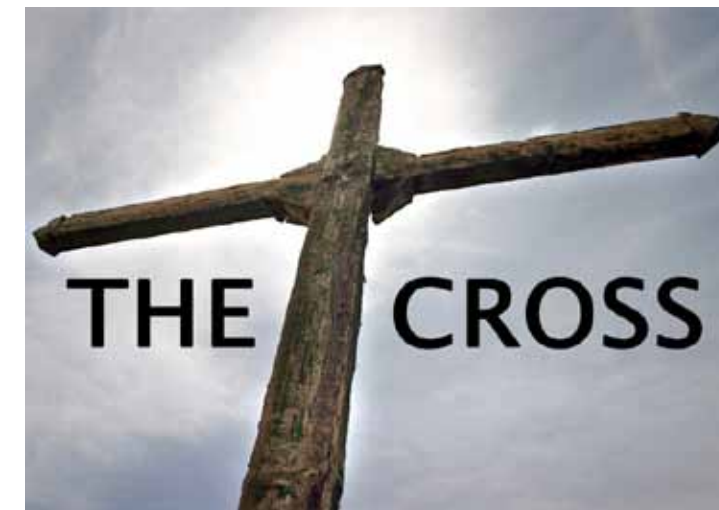
Adam Steveley US Army	Chris Jaeger USMC
Cary Jaeger USMC	Kirk Kalmbacher US Coast Guard
Zach Scharf Army National Guard	Nyjoel Baker US Air Force
Danny Holian US Navy Pilot	Will Connor US Army
Joey Nieberding US Army	Peter & Amanda Leugers US Navy
Gus Carpenter US Marines	LC Deiters Andrew South Korea

College/Career Students

Jordan Kiefer-Burrsee Julie Klusmeier

Condolences

Christian love and sympathy to Steve Wellen on the death of his wife, Vicki Wellen (former 3 C's teacher). Condolences may be sent to: Mr. Steve Wellen
3072 Limestone Circle
Cincinnati, Ohio 45239



February 28, 2016

The Cross
Reconciled

Preaching: Rev. Drew Smith

Welcome to College Hill Presbyterian Church

Thank you for worshiping with us today. Single, married, with children or not, there are many opportunities for knowing Christ, worshiping, personal growth and discipleship, service and ministry within the church and beyond the walls.

Visitors - Stop by the welcome table or the desk in the Atrium to find out more about College Hill Presbyterian. Return and become part of this dynamic Church Family.

Upcoming Services

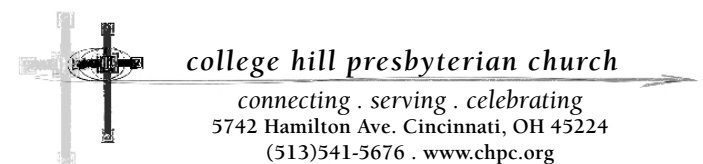
March 6	The Cross - Unifies
March 13	The Cross - All Peace
March 20	Palm Sunday - One Service at 10am
March 27	Easter Sunday - Three Services 7am - 9am - 11:15am

Today's Order of Worship

Prelude
Call to Worship / Opening Prayer
Songs of Praise
Time of Confession & Forgiveness
Passing the Peace
Dismiss Children
Song of Response
Scripture & Sermon
Pastoral Prayer
Offering / Closing Song
Announcements
Charge and Blessing

Available Help

Ushers have copies of the song lyrics for the 9am service. Ushers can also provide help with wheelchairs and equipment for hearing assistance. Handicapped accessible restrooms are located off the exit hallway to the right side of the main platform. This exit also leads to handicapped parking spaces.



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