Hot Off the Press! 10/4/15

New CHPC Members

Be sure to welcome these new members to our congregation!



Luke Verhager



Tom & Rosa Brinkman also pictured: Madison Brinkman (daughter) Izayyah Montgomery (grandson)

Staff Support Team... Working to provide rest and renewal

The Staff Support Team works hard to encourage and help the staff at CHPC so that they can excel at the work God has prepared for them. We also develop policies and plans to maximize staff development. Praying without ceasing for God's will to be done and God's name to be glorified in our work.

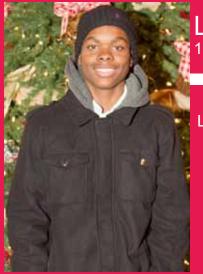
We have been working on a Sabbath plan for our staff. We know that God calls us to rest from our labors. Social research demonstrates the benefits of rest for all workers. In addition, the work of ministry never ends and can lead to burn-out. So, we have encouraged our staff to use the full complement of their vacations. In addition, we are adding a seven year Sabbath schedule for all full-time salaried employees. After seven years of employment, Pastors and Ministry Directors (currently we have 3 Directors - Youth & Service; Care, Counseling & Connecting, and Children & their Families) will receive a paid 6 week sabbatical. All other full-time salaried staff will receive an additional two weeks of vacation in their 7th year.

Jeanne Schneider has been employed at CHPC for 8 years as the Director of Care, Counseling & Connecting. She will be the first to enjoy this Sabbath rest starting on Oct. 18 and returning on Nov. 30. Jeanne has developed excellent teams of CHPC'ers to carry out the ministry while she is out of the office. Counseling interns will continue caring for the acute needs that arise. In addition, Pastors Drew and Dennis will be available for any other concerns. Let us be in prayer for Jeanne that God blesses her with rest and renewal of mind, body and soul during this time.

The Staff Support Team will arrange and organize the sabbaticals so that they don't overlap. We are working now with Pastor Drew to schedule his sabbatical for 2017 when he plans to finish his doctoral studies and dissertation.

Welcome Back Brian Donaldson

The Staff Support Team gladly announces that Brian Donaldson has returned from his two month leave of absence having made great strides toward health. Brian will be working with the music ministry for the next three months on a reduced level as a "Worship Coach" to the Lead Worshippers and musicians. Brian will give guidance and assistance by helping choose and arrange music for our worship services. He will work closely with all involved to provide creative, technical and administrative assistance to the worship services. You will not see him up front this fall but you will experience his influence and expertise throughout the worship ministry. We are grateful to God for Brian's healing. Please continue to pray for Brian that God would continue to restore and renew him for ministry.



LONNIE

17 YEARS OLD

Lonnie would like to be a part of a small forever family that

small forever family that enjoys being active, going on outings and working.

Lonnie is an athletic young man whose dream is to become a professional basketball player. You will catch him on the court shooting hoops and playing a game with his friends after school and on the weekends. Lonnie is proud of his athletic abilities and of how hard he has worked to make himself a better player. His current position of choice is point guard. In addition to basketball, Lonnie also plays running back on his football team. This sweet young man keeps up with all his favorite teams on Sports Center and ESPN.

This responsible teen also has many other interests. Lonnie does well in school and his favorite subject is math. He is great at helping out around the house and always keeps his room clean and organized. Lonnie enjoys participating in soap box derby races, playing video games, going to the movies and listening to hip hop and rap music.

To get to know Lonnie better, call Sonya Lary at Hamilton County JFS 513-946-1099



4. sunday

8:00am Morning Prayer 9:00am Worship Service 10:10am Foundation Hour

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 Children's Classes

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High SchoolMeet Pastor Dennis

Prayer

11:15am Worship Service
1:30pm Adult Children of Alcoholics

4:00pm CRASH

5. monday

m Community Prayer Walk AHG Troop Meeting m Karate

House of Joy Great Hall Fellowship Hall

Prayer Room

Barnabas Ctr

BC 205-206

Sanctuary

Fellowship Hall

Fireside Room

BC 205 & 206

MC Conf. Room

Sanctuary

BC 204

6. tuesday

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9:30am Tuesday AM Bible Study 6:30pm Super Choir

Parlor Fellowship Hall

7. wednesday

6:00pm FX Night Fellowship Hall
6:30pm ACA Meeeting BC 203
7:00pm Bi-Polar Support Group
Worship Team Rehearsal
Kindling Prayer Group White House

8. thursday

8:30am Prayer - Church/Community Prayer Room
10:00am Knitting Group Atrium
3:00pm Farm Market Parking Lot
6:30pm Karate Fellowship Hall
7:00pm ACA BC 203
Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary
7:30pm Alanon BC 201-202

9. friday

10. saturday

12:00pm Fencing Demonstration 2:00pm Praise Dancers Fellowship Hall BC Lobby

"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 Jason M. / Elizabeth D. 11:15am Andrew D. / Toby K. Next week's helpers are: 10:00am Sarah L. / Jared L. / Aiden M.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Young Adults Brunch If you've graduated from High School and aren't too far into your 30s yet, please join us for brunch. We'll discuss options and ideas for community this fall. Gather in the atrium after the second service today and carpool to the Knueven's. Contact Chris: christopherknueven@yahoo.com, 513-207-2603 for more info. It's FREE FOOD- what's stopping you??!

College Care Packages will be assembled on Sunday, October 11. If you would like to contribute home-made cookies/ brownies/candy/granola bars/nuts, please drop off during the week to the front desk or bring on Sunday morning. Please contact Jeanne Schneider with guestions at ischneider@chpc.org or 513-541-5676, x1160. Also, parents of college students this is the last call for updated college addresses.

Everyone is invited to join the World Mission Team on Sunday, October 18, to greet and hear Emily and Andy Eatough with Wycliffe Bible Translators. We will also pray for current needs of our global workers and refugees. Lunch is at 12:45 pm (main dish provided, bring salad or dessert if possible), speakers begin at 1:30 pm. Join us for either or both activities in the dining room at Belwood Apartments on the corner of Larch and Belmont. For information or to RSVP call Mary Sue at 513-541-7829.

Two ways to bless UC international students:

1) Become a Friendship Partner through International Friendships, Inc. (IFI) -- over 60 international students are waiting!! Get to know one another throughout the year by sharing your interests, cultures and values. IFI suggests that partners keep in touch once a week and get together once a month. Singles, couples, and families are all needed. Apply online: http://cincy.ifiusa.org/ fp-application/ 2) **Provide food** once a quarter for an international student Bible study meeting.

Contact Pat Durst p.durst@ificincy.org or 513-324-1268.

More Ushers Needed Would you like to be more connected with the Church and meet new people? Serve as a ministry partner in the Welcoming Ministries. Ushers hand out bulletins, take up the collection, ring the bell and light the candles. For more information call David Freas day or night at 513-910-7068.

50th Birthday! Jeff Lane, son of Karen Lane (former director of Feast of Love), will turn 50 on Oct 23rd. He has been in prison for several years & since Karen has moved to Heaven, CHPC is now Jeff's only family. You are invited to bless him with a card or note for his birthday. PLease send to: Jeff Lane 297-556, Lo. C. I., PO Box 69, London, OH 43140. It may take 5 or more days for the mail to get through. Singing cards are not allowed. Questions? Call Mariena Koize @ 513-681-3088. Thank you for extending care in this way."

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

FX Night is this Wednesday 10/7, 6-7:30pm in the Fellowship Hall! This month our skits and games will be led by 4th-6th graders from MEGABLAST! 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.

MEGABLAST for 4th-6th graders will meet on Tuesday, October 13th, 6:30-8pm in the BLAST Zone (Great Hall). We'll have games, pizza, small groups, and split into groups to plan for the November FX Night!

The October Theme in BLAST (K-3) and MEGABLAST (4-6) is Individuality: "discovering who you are meant to be so you can make a difference," and our memory verse is 1 Timothy 4:12a: "Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young. Set an example for the believers in what you say and in how you live." Please pray this month that our children would learn to find their identity in Christ and use their gifts to make a difference in our world. For more information on what kids are learning as well as ideas on how to engage with them on this subject, check out the Parent Cue on chpc.org/forms.

Parents of elementary age kids group/class We will meet during the Foundation Hour in the parent lounge of the ministry center (take the elevator in the atrium to floor 2). This group is focused on knowing one another more, and helping each other become the best parents

SPECIAL EVENTS

Mama Lucy Gacheru is in the US The Hope Community Board invites you to join us for a Gathering with Lucy from Hope Community (Kenya). It will be held on Thursday, October 15 at 7pm at Christ Emmanuel Christian Fellowship, located in Walnut Hills - 2324 May St., Cincinnati, 45206 (near Eden Park). In addition to hearing from Lucy, we will hear from the CHPC team that visited Hope Community this summer.

SPECIAL SERVICE

Next Sunday October 11 at 10am We will be having a Unified Service at 10am followed by a Congregational **Meeting** for the election of new church officers. Congregational Lunch immediately following the Congregational Meeting. Roasted chicken, rolls, and beverages will be provided. Please bring a dish to share for 8-12 people. Requests are as follows: If your last name starts with the letters...

- A I Green Salads, Fruit or Veggies
- J R Desserts
- S Z Casseroles, Chips or Cheese

FLOWERS GIVEN THIS MORNING

To the glory of God and in loving memory of David Peacock. Today would have been his 58th birthday. Still missed by his family.

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

CHPC Community

Ruth Smith Ron Shryock Maggie Smith Dave Smith Gloria Smith Doug Smith Jenny Smith Rachel Smith

Staff Drew Smith - Pastor

Officers/Leadership Dianna North - Deacon

Home Bound/Health Center Betty Henderson

Ministries Whiz Kids

Global Workers

In the Military

Adam Steveley Chris Jaeger USMC **US Army** Kirk Kalmbacher Cary Jaeger ÚSMC **US Coast Guard** Zach Scharf Nyjoel Baker **Army National Guard US Air Force** Danny Holian Will Connor **US Navy Pilot US Army** Joey Nieberding Peter & Amanda Leugers

College/Career Students

US Army

Tori Hemsath Jordan Kiefer-Burress

US Navy

Condolences

Christian love and sympathy to the family of Irma Harris. Condolences may be sent to: Mr. & Mrs. John Junker 8822 Carrousel Park Circle, Cincinnati, OH 45251

Christian love and sympathy to Bruce Patterson on the death of his mother, Mildred on Sept. 29. Condolences may be sent to: Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Patterson 8239 Jeanne's Creek Lane, West Chester, OH 45069

Christian love and sympathy to Janet Kling on the death of her mother-in-law, Marjorie Kling. Condolences may be sent to: Mr & Mrs. Bill Kling 5550 Anna Marie Lane, Cincinnati, OH 45247



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October 4, 2015 **GRACE**

Scandalous.... Grace 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

Oct. 11 GRACE - Beginning... Grace Unified Service at 10am **Followed By Congregational Meeting** GRACE - Selfie... Grace Oct. 18

GRACE - Unstoppable... Grace Oct. 25

Today's Order of Worship

Prelude Call To Worship / Opening Prayer Songs of Praise Dismiss Children Scripture & Sermon **Healing Stations** Communion **Pastoral Prayer** Offering Announcements Charge and Blessing Postlude

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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