

Crescent Hill
Baptist Church

September 2019

Life Together

WORSHIP

September 1 - Holy Communion - "A Jesus Party" - Luke 14:1, 7-14
- Jason Crosby Preaching

September 8 - "The Good Soil" - Luke 8:4-15 - Rick and Ellen
Burnette preaching

September 15 - "A Relentless God" - Luke 15:1-10 - Jason Crosby
preaching

September 22 - "A Balm in Gilead" - Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 - Jason
Crosby preaching

September 29 - "Money Matters" - Luke 16:19-31 - Jason Crosby
preaching

WEDNESDAYS

September 4 - The Biblical Roots of Labor Day

September 11 - On the 18th anniversary of the attacks on the
World Trade Center and Pentagon, Rev. Steve Renner (Third
Lutheran), Rev. Candyce Loescher (St. Mark's Episcopal), and Jason
Crosby will discuss what a Christian balance between security and
liberty, protection and compassion looks like.

September 18 - Vespers Service

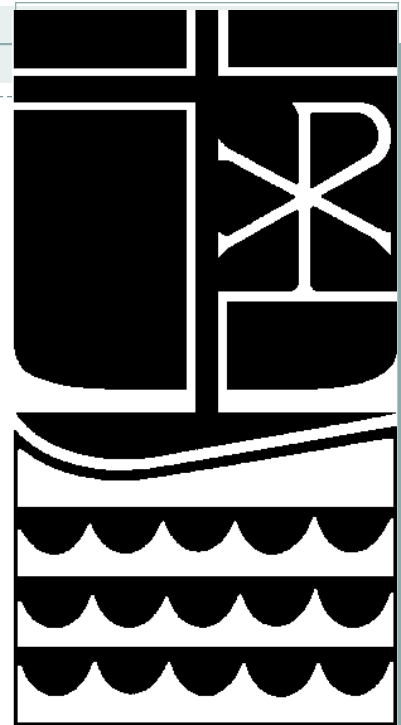
September 25 - TBD

FALL BIBLE STUDY CLASS

Paul: The Apostle and His Epistles; taught by Dr. Glenn Hinson

Wednesdays beginning **September 18** through **December 4**; 10:30
AM-12:00 noon in the Church Parlor

The class will entail a study and interpretation of the life, mission-
ary endeavors, theology and spirituality of the Apostle Paul based
on his letters and numerous other early Christian sources. Please
call the church office to sign up for the class.



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THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Many thanks to all those who made helped renovate eight restrooms at the church this summer. A special word of thanks to Bob Hieb and Tom Scott, Jr. who volunteered a great deal of their time and labor. A reminder - the bulk of the funds used to cover the cost of the project came from our Capital Improvement Endowment. When making estate plans, please remember that CHBC endowments pay dividends for years and years.

CHURCH PHOTO

It has been 8 years since we last gathered for a churchwide photo, and there have been so many significant changes to the church in that time. Following worship on **September 8**, we will gather *in the sanctuary* so that we can commemorate who we are in 2019.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

The next quarterly Men's Breakfast has been scheduled for **Saturday, September 14** beginning at 9:00 AM in Fellowship Hall. Rev. Bill Holmes, MD, retired neurologist and chaplain, will be the speaker. Suggested donation for breakfast is \$5.00 per person. Call the church office to make your reservation.

NEW MEMBER LUNCHEON

There will be a luncheon for new members from the past year in Fellowship Hall after worship on **Sunday, September 22**. Members of the staff and selected teams will be there to provide information and answer questions. If you are interested in helping with the lunch, contact Janet Cole.

MISSIONS RESPONSE TEAM NEWS

MISSIONS SUNDAY

On **Sunday, September 8**, our worship service will feature a special missions focus. We will be joined by visiting guests Rick Burnette, Domestic Disaster Response Manager at CBF; Ellen Burnette, Executive Director of Cultivate Abundance; and Ellen Sechrest,

Manager of Global Missions Engagement for CBF. Following worship, there will be a **churchwide luncheon**, provided by some of our Karen members, with sharing from our CBF global partners. Everyone is invited, so please make plans to join us for this special time of food & fellowship!

HUNGER WALK

Sunday, September 22; 2:15 PM

Waterfront Park Harbor Lawn

The Hunger Walk is presented by Kroger and organized by Dare to Care and Interfaith Paths to Peace. Over 2,000 people make a public commitment that everyone will have access to the food they need to be healthy. It is a family-friendly event centered on a 2-mile walk, with entertainment, a kid's zone, and food trucks.

Proceeds benefit Dare to Care Food Bank.

The Social Justice Team and Missions Response Team invite you to join us in this year's Hunger Walk. We would like to have a team from CHBC to walk together as a group. You can sign up to donate or walk at the Louisville Hunger Walk website, and register to join the team **Crescent Hill Baptist Church**. If you have any questions, please see Josh Bair.

"FACES OF CHBC" DISPLAY AND SCAVENGER HUNT

The first round of pictures for our display, "Faces of CHBC" is up and ready to view. If you would like to sponsor one of the photos, there is still time; though act fast because only a few are left! Each sponsorship costs \$20; and if you're interested in sponsoring one, please contact Brittani Bair. When you pledge to sponsor a photo, you can choose to remain anonymous or be acknowledged, You may also

sponsor a photo in memory or honor of someone. You will not be able to choose which photo you get to sponsor.

Additionally, we've created our own scavenger hunt for the "Faces of CHBC" display. The question sheets can be found in Birchwood Lobby. When completed, please return to Brittani Bair's box in the church office. Each month, those that have successfully completed the scavenger hunt will be mentioned in the next *Life Together*.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND CALENDAR

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|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2 Bruce Landis | 12 Rebekah McAuliffe | 22 Bonnie Lyons |
| 3 Paige Hoyer (15) | Htee Shein | 23 Matt Dyer |
| 4 Anne LaMaster | Diane Taylor | 24 Lora Lee Diehl |
| Jackson Htoo (6) | 13 Tony Hammons | Jackie Williams |
| 5 Stacy Arnett | 14 Rhonda Gilliland | 25 Nate Creech (21) |
| Sam Blythe | Matthew Mahanes (12) | Eh Kaw Lah John (15) |
| 6 Stephen Holt | Lah Say Wah (18) | Tom Scott, Jr. |
| Julia McCall | 15 Ross Allen | Eh Ywa |
| 7 Melanie Claypool | 16 Tom Scott, Sr. | 26 Chuck Leach |
| Arnold Hook | 17 Bob Smith | 27 Sarah Conder |
| Htoo Lwe Say (20) | Martha Von Bokern | John Pffingston |
| 8 Tim Baker | 18 Sharon White | Hsa Hei K Baw Wah (4) |
| Steve Horner | 19 Hsar Kee Lar | Tha Wah (20) |
| 9 Angela Goff (18) | 20 Jessica Kettle | Paul Zimmerman |
| Leslie Picken | William Nay Thar (5) | 28 Ba Blu Moo (5) |
| 10 Betsey Weisser | Peter Soe (11) | 29 Lisa Goff |
| Hai Moo (13) | 21 Dianne Gritton | Hero Klo |
| 11 Aye Cho | 22 John Rowan Claypool | 30 Winston Holt (13) |
| 12 Tom Doyon | Suzy Crowe | Mark Payton |

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2  LABOR DAY	3	4	5	6	7
8 Encourager Church Day 12:00 PM Missions Lunch 12:00 PM Worship Team	9 10:00 AM Art Spirit Group	10	11 7:15 PM Church Council	12	13	14 9:00 AM Men's Breakfast 11:00 AM Women's Gathering
15 12:00 PM Missions Response Team 12:00 PM Personnel Team 12:00 PM Social Justice Team 12:30 PM Celebrate Life Lunch	16	17	18 10:30 AM Hinson Class 7:00 PM Finance Team	19	20 7:00 PM Social Justice Movie	21
22 12:00 PM New Member Lunch 2:15 PM Hunger Walk	23	24	25 10:30 AM Hinson Class	26 7:00 PM Reading Group	27	28
29 1:00 PM Youngish Adult Lunch 3:00 PM A Prayer for Compassion	30 12:00 PM Game Day	1	2 10:30 AM Hinson Class	3	4	5 Youth Fall Retreat

SOCIAL JUSTICE MOVIE

September's movie will be the 2018 release, *The Wife*, starring Glenn Close and Jonathan Pryce as the Joan and Joe Castleman, who remain complements after nearly 40 years of marriage. Where Joe is casual, Joan is elegant. Where Joe is vain, Joan is self-effacing. And where Joe enjoys his very public role as the great American novelist, Joan pours her considerable intellect, grace, charm and diplomacy into the private role of a great man's wife. As Joe is about to be awarded the Nobel Prize for his acclaimed and prolific body of work, Joan starts to think about the shared compromises, secrets and betrayals.

The movie will be shown on **Friday, September 20** at 7:00 PM in the Church Parlor. All are invited to view the film and remain for discussion following.

CELEBRATE LIFE GROUP

Celebrate Life group will meet for lunch at The Bristol, 1321 Bardstown Road between 12:30PM & 1:00PM. We have reserved 30 seats. Please respond ASAP if you would like to join us.

A PRAYER FOR COMPASSION

A New Film Looks at Animals, Food, and Faith

7.2 billion people on planet earth identify as religious. Add to that the many "spiritual, but not religious" folks and that's a lot of men and women, almost all of them eating God's other creatures.

Filmmaker Thomas Wade Jackson, winner of a Student Academy Award for his short film, *Slow Dancin' Down the Aisles of the QuikCheck*, took note of this. He himself had gone vegan after learning in a progressive Protestant church about a loving God, tolerance for all people, and the oneness of all life. But even the people teaching him these principles were eating bacon and eggs at Sunday brunch. This led Thomas to set out on a quest across America, to the UN Climate Conference in Marrakech, and through the Indian subcontinent asking the question, "How can people on a spiritual or religious path expand their circle of

compassion to embrace all life, regardless of species, while making choices in alignment with this value?"

The result is the new feature-length documentary, *A Prayer for Compassion*. Featuring representatives from almost every spiritual tradition, this film calls on people of faith and spiritual seekers of every stripe to come together to bring about a world in which "The wolf will live with the lamb...the calf and the lion and the yearling together; and a little child will lead them..." (Isaiah 11:6).

A showing of *A Prayer for Compassion* will be held on **Sunday, September 29** from 3:00-5:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. It will include a question and answer session with filmmaker Thomas Wade Jackson.

For free tickets go to <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/a-prayer-for-compassion-movie-screening-tickets-70067538895>

READING GROUP

Thursday, September 26 will be our annual Book Sharing Night. Everyone is invited to join the group and:

Share a couple of books that you enjoyed reading this past year and would recommend to others.

Share a couple of books that would be a good discussion candidate for the group.

Books for discussion should be 200-300 pages and must be in paperback.

Children, Family, and Community Ministries

Regular Weekly Activities

Sundays, 9:30-10:30 AM – Sunday School for all ages

Sundays, 5:00-6:30 PM – Divorce Recovery Childcare (room 104)

Wednesdays, 6:00-7:00 PM – Children's Activities

Young-ish Adults Lunch and Conversation

The young-ish adults will gather for lunch on September 29 following the worship service. Look for an email for more information. Let Andrea Woolley know if you can make it at andrea@chbcky.org. \$5.00 per person to cover food and childcare costs.

Divorce Recovery Childcare Volunteers Needed

The Divorce Recovery Support Groups have been meeting at CHBC for decades. It is an important community ministry that meets every Sunday. While the Divorce Recovery Groups operate largely independently, CHBC provides childcare every Sunday evening from 5:00-6:30PM. We have a few dedicated volunteers that tirelessly volunteer to provide this community ministry. However, we desperately need to increase our number of volunteers in this ministry. We are trying to get 15 volunteers to commit to one Sunday every three months. If you are able to commit to serving just one Sunday every three months, or just four times a year. Please let Andrea know ASAP. You can call her 502-896-4425 (office), email her at andrea@chbcky.org, or text at 502-295-0285 (cell).



Getting to Know You

Each month we will be highlighting a family or individual member as a way to get to know each other. **We are looking for volunteers who would like to be highlighted in Life Together.** The process is simple:
1. contact Andrea@chbcky.org if you are willing to be highlighted (or say yes when she asks you), 2. Fill out a short questionnaire, and 3. Provide a digital photo of yourself/family or let Andrea snap a photo of you.

The Woolley/Dyer Family

Andrea Woolley has been on staff at CHBC since August 2008. She began as the Associate Pastor to Children/Afterschool Program Director. Currently she serves as the Co-Pastor. Andrea grew up in Texas where her family still resides. Andrea is a former public school teacher. Matt Dyer began attending CHBC in 2017, and he and Andrea married in November of 2017. They welcomed their daughter, Lillian Woolley-Dyer in February 2019. Matt works for the City of Jeffersonville, IN as the Director or I.T. Matt is a member of the Inspire Class, the Young-ish Adult Group, and volunteers with the newly formed Technology team.



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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY	3:30	Homework Help (Youth Room) - during school year
	5:15	Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
	6:00	Announcements/Prayer/Program (Fellowship Hall)
	7:10	Children's & Youth Activities (Fellowship Hall)
	7:30	Chancel Choir (Choir Room)
	7:30	Sowers of Justice (1st Wednesday)
		day) (Parlor)
THURSDAY	5:55	Change of Heart AA group
	7:00	Reading Group (last Thursday) (Parlor)
FRIDAY	7:00	Social Justice Movie (3rd Friday) (Parlor)
SATURDAY	1:15	Staff Meeting (Parlor)

SUNDAY

9:00 Karen Announcements

9:15 Karen Sunday School (Chapel)

9:30 Sunday School

10:45 Morning Worship (Sanctuary)

1:00 Chin Worship (Chapel)

5:00 Divorce Support Groups (2nd floor)

MONDAY

10:00 Art Spirit Group (2nd Monday) (104)

11:00 Live Wires (3rd Monday)

12:30 Game Day (last Monday) (Parlor)

TUESDAY

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