



THE CONTACT

Midway Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

June 2015

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Midway Children's Choir

Musical Showcase Fundraiser

Sunday, June 28th, 3:00 p.m.

Anne Hart Raymond Auditorium



Come and enjoy a variety of talented

singers and musicians at the Musical Showcase Fundraiser for the Midway Children's Choir on Sunday, June 28th at 3:00 p.m. in the Anne Hart Raymond Building at Midway College. **Refreshments after the concert will be provided by Midway School Bakery and Ouita Michel.**

Please make out donation checks to Midway Children's Choir.

(They are now a 501c3 charity with their own bank account!)

Congregational Meeting and Potluck Breakfast

Sunday Worship

9:30 AM: Sunday School

10:55 AM: Worship

Sunday, June 21st, Breakfast at 9:00 a.m., Meeting at 9:30

Please bring a breakfast dish to share and stay for this important meeting to catch up on church business, including elections of new officers, budgeting, etc.



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Disciples Women Yard Sale

Saturday, June 13th, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

While cleaning and reorganizing the basement storage spaces, the Disciples Women decided to move some things out by having a yard sale! If you wish to donate more items to this endeavor, please bring them between Wednesday, June 10th and Friday, June 12th. Please see Etta or Bobbie for more information. As usual, we will be collecting items again in September for the big Rummage Sale!



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

SUNDAY, JUNE 21ST

Budget Update

Budgeted to date: \$141,280.15

Received to date: \$131,986.78



Worship News and Notes

Worship Themes

*You are encouraged
to read and contemplate
the text for the day in advance*



June 7

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Genesis 2: 4b-7, 15-17;

3: 1-18

Title: "The Other Creation Story"

June 14

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Genesis 6: 16-22; 9: 8-15

Title: "The Waters Came Down"

June 21

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Genesis 12: 1-9

Title: "Father Abraham"

June 28

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Guest Preacher: Sharon Fields



Serving This Month

Elders: Phil Burchell & Jim Leer

Deacons: John Askew, Cindy Batts, Phil Dare, Bobbie Dare, Teresa Hoppin, Sue Roberts, Mary Sayre, Bob Settlemire, Pat Wilson, James Batts, Hannah Campbell, Mary Jo Campbell, Betsy Schein & Will Schein

Worship Leaders:

June 7 Carole Munson

June 14 Jack Morgan

June 21 John Askew

June 28 Gloria Batts



ALL
ARE
WELCOME!

**Sunday School begins
at 9:30 a.m.
with Joys & Concerns,
and light refreshments.**

Continuing on June 7 & 14,, we will be reading and having discussions around the book, "Whole: A Call to Unity in Our Fragmented World" by Sharon Watkins.

There will be no Sunday School on June 21st, due to the Congregational Meeting and Potluck Breakfast.

Beginning on June 28th, we will discuss the resolutions for the General Assembly in mid-July.

Summer Series: Faith Foundation Stories

We will be looking at stories in Genesis. These stories are foundational to our faith. How can we know what the future holds for us if we don't know our roots?



Acolyte Schedule

June 7 Alex Adkins & Alex Woodruff

June 14 Jack Hill & Willa Michel

June 21 Luke Hill & Joe Campbell

June 28 Bailey Spicer & Alex Woodruff

More Worship News

Food for the Soul

"Dinner Church" in MCC's Fellowship Hall

Join us for open discussion, a light dinner, and a simple communion service, usually on the first and third Sunday of each month. ALL are welcome!



- **Sunday, June 7th, 6:30 p.m.**



Speaker: Sherry Maddock - "Generosity Circle Exercise"

Please visit www.commonchange.com for more information on this very meaningful, rewarding trend in giving to those in need.

- **Sunday, June 21st - no Food for the Soul on Father's Day!**

Graduation Sunday - June 7th

There are baskets in the narthex for cards and gifts for our four high school graduates:

Isaac Batts: Graduating from Woodford County High School
Will be attending Transylvania University

Nate Hill: Graduating from Woodford County High School
Will be attending Oakland City University in Indiana

Betsy Schein: Graduating from Tates Creek High School
Will be attending Macalester College in St. Paul, MN

Will Schein: Graduating from Tates Creek High School
Will be attending Centre College in Danville, KY

CONGRATULATIONS!



Sharon Fields, Guest Preacher - Sunday, June 28th

"After serving as a teacher in Paris, KY for 13 years, I left the education field and entered the Lexington Theological Seminary to accept my calling as a minister. As part of my field placement practice, I served the 2nd Christian Church in Midway. After graduating from seminary, I became the church's full time minister. Our relationship as pastor/ congregation lasted for eight years.

While pastor of the church, I also was the Leadership and Cultural Diversity Director at Midway College, and because of my teaching background, I worked with Midway's teacher education program as a field placement supervisor and in various other capacities as well.

It is always a pleasure to visit and worship with the many friends of Midway Christian and Historic Second Christian Church of Midway."

Other Happenings...

Admin Team Fundraiser Luncheon

Sunday, June 14th, 12:30 p.m.

MCC Fellowship Hall

EVERYONE IS INVITED to an Admin Team Luncheon on June 14th after worship.
Donations go to the General Fund.



New Playground Equipment

Dismantling the old equipment and assembling the new - a BIG job - was done by men from First Christian Church in Lawrenceburg. THANK YOU SO MUCH!!!

Our playground is open to the enjoyment of the public (Playground rules are posted by the gate).



Assemblies, Workshops, Seminars

"Grow It, Cook It, Eat It" Series

Woodford County Extension Office
184 Beasley Drive, Versailles
4th Wednesday of Each Month
5:00 - 6:30 p.m.



Wednesday, June 24th: "Herbs"

There is no cost, but you must register by calling 873-4601 or emailing elizabeth.creed@uky.edu

General Assembly is July 18-22, 2015



Christmount Discovery Weekend for Women

June 5-7

The weekend includes keynotes, discussion, lively music and meaningful worship.



Fellowship News and Notes

Board Meeting:

*Sunday, June 7th
12:30 p.m.*

Worship Meeting:

*Monday, June 8th
6:30 p.m.*

Cabinet Meeting:

*Wednesday, June 17th
6 p.m.*

Elders Meeting:

*Monday, June 15th
6:30 p.m.*

Disciples Women Luncheon

Saturday, June 6th, 12:00

Addie's (Woodford Inn)

140 Park Street, Versailles



Please RSVP to Sharon Burchell at 846-4153 by June 4th if you plan to attend the Disciples Women lunch outing at Addie's in Versailles on Saturday, June 6th. Cost of lunch at Addie's ranges from \$8 to \$13 each. View the menu at www.addiesky.com.

Keenagers Luncheon

Thursday, June 25th

11:30 a.m.



On Thursday, June 25th, the Keenagers will travel to Woodford Reserve for lunch at 11:30 a.m. Please RSVP to the church office by Tuesday, June 23rd if you can go. Meet at church by 10:45 a.m. to carpool.

Very Best Wishes, Claire Phillips!

We send our very best wishes to our departing nursery attendant, Claire Phillips, whose last day will be Sunday, June 28th. We are excited for Claire's new beginning, as she is building a house and expecting a baby!

Midway Green Chalice Meeting

Tuesday, June 23rd, 5:00 p.m.

Come to this "working" (outdoors) meeting, and then dinner together at Grey Goose!

Green Chalice - caring for God's creation!



Youth News

MCC Youth Group Mondays at 5:30 p.m.

- June 1st:** No Youth (Cindy away)
- June 8th:** Making Father's Day Presents
- June 15th:** Life Skills (Budgeting)
- June 22nd:** Service Project (Cleaning)
- June 29th:** Service Project: Helping with the Community Dinner (Cindy away)


Camp Wakon Da Ho Dates:

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| June 5-7 | Mini Camp (3rd grade) | June 26-28 | 101 Camp A (1st-2nd grade) |
| June 8-13 | CYF 1 (9th-12th grade) | Jun 29-Jul 4 | CYF 2 (9th-12th grade) |
| June 14-20 | Eighter's Camp (8th grade) | July 6-11 | Chi-Rho 1 (6th-8th grade) |
| June 16-23 | CYF Seminar (9th-12th grade) | July 13-18 | Chi-Rho 2 (6th-8th grade) |
| June 22-26 | Junior 1 (4th-5th grade) | July 24-26 | 101 Camp B (1st-2nd grade) |
| | | July 27-31 | Junior 2 (4th-5th grade) |



For registration application and more info, visit www.kydisciples.net or see Mike McColl

Community News & Notes

Habitat Blitz Build in Midway Begins June 22



Habitat for Humanity is calling for volunteers during the "Blitz Build" on E. Stephens Street in Midway beginning on June 22nd, lasting for about 2 weeks. **Local churches and/or individuals** are asked to provide **lunches for the workers** - 15 to 20 people per day - (Sundays excluded) using the MCC fellowship hall. Please call or email Joni in the MCC office to sign up to do a lunch! (846-4102 or office@midwaychristian.org)

Gala in the Garden Evening

Friday, July 10th
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.



Kara Sayles of Bluegrass Green Source (formerly Bluegrass Pride) is coordinating a Rain Garden Tour of Midway for July 10th, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Attendees are encouraged to shop and eat in downtown Midway while in the area, in addition to enjoying a tour of Midway's rain gardens, including Midway Christian Church!

Visit www.bggreensource.org for more information about rain gardens. More details on this event will be in the July Contact.



Cane Ridge Day

Saturday, June 27th
Cane Ridge Meeting House
HWY 537, Paris, KY



The morning program begins at 10 a.m. with Rev. Bill McDonald speaking on "Whatever Others Might Do: from the Life of L.L. Pinkerton."

Bring a picnic lunch (you can purchase bottled-water and other beverages there) and enjoy music by the Backroom Bluegrass Band.

The afternoon program beginning at 1 p.m. features Rev. Guy Waldrop and Rev. Nancy Jo Kemper on "Anticipating the Future: Disciples and Higher Education at Transylvania."

If you've never been to the "birthplace" of the Disciples of Christ, this is a great time to go!

Free Community Dinner

Monday, June 29th, 6:30 p.m.

Our monthly dinner, held on the last Monday of each month (except October), is free and open to the public!

Helpers are needed before and after the dinner.

Donations to this ongoing mission are appreciated!



Woodford County Farmer's Markets

MIDWAY:
Mondays 3 to 6 p.m.*
near Darlin' Jean's



VERSAILLES:
Saturdays 8 a.m. to noon at the courthouse
Wednesdays 3 to 6 at Versailles Presbyterian

Community Clothes Closet

The Clothes Closet is **OPEN** on **Saturday mornings** from **9 to 11**, & during monthly Community Dinners. Enter through the Gratz Street basement door.



Woodford County Fair

Beasley Road, Versailles

Fair opens June 12th

Rides run June 15 - 19, starting 6 p.m.

And Saturday, June 20, starting 4 p.m.



Mission News and Notes

June Mission Payments

Disciples Mission Fund

The Disciples Mission Fund builds a foundation enabling Disciples to globally share the good news of Jesus Christ. This common fund allows the Disciples to pool their resources accomplishing a greater ministry. One congregation could not achieve this alone. Disciples Mission Fund allows a process of whole church stewardship supporting God-given missions at home and world-wide. They live their theological understanding of Christ's prayer "that they all may be one." As a faithful growing church, Disciples demonstrate true sense of community, deep Christian spirituality and a passion for justice. - *(from Disciples Mission Fund website)*



Camp Wakon' Da-Ho

Camp Wakon' Da-Ho is located in Casey County, KY. Each summer, children and youth gather from across the state of Kentucky to experience church camp and to grown in their relationship with God. For many years, Midway Christian has supported Camp Wakon' Da-Ho by making a financial donation and by sending youth and children to camp.



Heifer International

Please keep Heifer International in mind as an alternative gift idea for Father's Day and other special occasions in your loved ones' lives. A gift in their name is a meaningful, special gift! Make your check payable to MCC with "Heifer Ark" in the memo line. Acknowledgment cards are available in the office.

We currently have \$1920 toward a \$5000 Ark (livestock for a poor village)



Meals on Wheels

deliveries in Midway are on hold for now. If/when the need arises for us to resume delivery, we are ready and willing!



Fair Trade Products

In Fellowship Hall

Equal Exchange coffees, teas, assorted chocolates, olive oil, etc. are always available in the fellowship hall.

Make checks to MCC with Fair Trade in the memo line



Woodford Co. Food Pantry

(20 Field of Dreams, Versailles, at the Woodford County Park)

**You're invited to an
OPEN HOUSE
Sunday, June 7th
From 2 to 5 p.m.**



New hours of operation:

Mondays 5-7 pm

Thursdays 1-4 pm

June Mission Project:

In June, we will be collecting these items for The Nest (shelter for women and children) in Lexington:

- Diapers
- Baby Wipes
- Baby Toiletries
- Baby Food
- Formula



Thank You from Transy

"We are grateful for the support you have offered to our campus, and for the impact it will undoubtedly have on students, faculty, and the community at large."

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