

# THE CORNERSTONE

"Mobilizing Disciples to fulfill God's passion to save and transform lives"

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## OCTOBER EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

### Pastor Appreciation Month

October is Pastor Appreciation Month. Let's take some time to show our pastors how much we appreciate them! Beginning in October, cards will be placed in the pews for your convenience. Please send Derek, Jeff, Miranda and Jayme a note of thanks. Your completed cards can be placed in the offering tray as it is passed.

### Women's Tea ~ Piecing It All Together

Saturday, Oct. 2nd from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Please call the church office, at 234-5963 to sign up today!

### Men's Appreciation Breakfast

October 10th from 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs, sausage and fruit will be served. Everyone is welcome!

### Fellowship Dinner

October 24th following Worship Service - Italian Theme  
Bring your favorite Italian dish (main, dessert or side) to share. More details to follow.

### Servers for Fellowship Time

Are you looking for a simple way to serve the congregation and the Lord at CPCC? Why not sign up to be a server during the Fellowship hour. Please contact Ruthy Sherrer at 845-9995 for details.



a message from  
OUR SENIOR PASTOR continued

**Well excuuuuuuuuuSSSSse me!...continued from page 2**

culture in which Paul lived, eating food sacrificed to idols was an issue. In our culture, it isn't. There are, however, other "freedoms" that we should approach with caution in order not to cause any of our brothers and sisters in Christ to stumble. My natural response would be to say to them, "suck it up" or "I can't help that you are offended that I breathed today." But, how much of this could be avoided if I took them into consideration first?

I love vinyl records. I have a pretty large collection and listen to them on a regular basis. My room is set up as both a bedroom and or a man cave. In my house this is my place of solace, my "man cave." It has everything that I could need to suffice for a little two-hour vacation from reality.

I have a gaming station for video games and for an episode or three of The Office. I have a jukebox box at my disposal at the foot of the bed. My record player is to the right of the bed with a leather lounge seat beside it that I can sink into and listen to my records. As I looked and saw the album covers the other day, I realized that some of them are .... let's just say less savory. Even though they are permissible and, in my opinion, not offensive, I still must ask, could they offend others? In all honesty, yes, they probably could. However, that was not my intent.

Twenty years ago, I probably would have chosen not to engage in friendship with people who were so easily offended. I would have chosen not to bother inviting them over, I mean, who needs them anyway? But is that the best response? How am I going to make disciples if all I do is keep those who get offended out of my life? Simply put, I won't make very many disciples, if any at all.

Now, there are ways to keep people from being offended by my "man cave." I can still have them in my home. I can still get together with them and do life with them. In the same way early Christians chose not to eat meat sacrificed to idols in front of the offended, I should maybe consider the man cave to be what it is. My place, my man cave. I don't care if people love my man cave, but I do care if they love the Lord. Now that is a common ground that I can work with anyone on.

What do we need to consider then, Church? I leave you with this thought today. How will you respond to those that you might offend? How will you embrace building up what Satan tries to tear down? And before you answer, consider this...

**(Philippians 2:3) 3 Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility, value others above yourselves...**

We have a responsibility to God's word. Our response should be out of our love for Christ. Our response should be to build up the Kingdom of God. Our response should be to work it out with those we have offended so as to define a healthy future with them. Our response should look like Jesus.

Swimming in the deep end,

- Derek

# STUDENT MINISTRY



Jeff Martens

## High School & Middle School Youth Group

Middle School Youth Group meets Wednesday evenings from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the church. Dinner is served at 6:00.

High School Youth Group meets Sunday afternoons from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the church. Lunch is served.

Contact Jeff at 785-845-4131 with questions.

## Where are you, God?

“You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives.” ~ Genesis 50:20

When we have been destroyed by those who not only hurt us physically but also try to destroy our minds and soul, we start to wonder if our God is a do-nothing God. We fall into a pit of fear that we must fight to stay out of. Feelings of not being worthy of love, fear of being used, and fear of worst-case scenarios can tend to bog us down. We feel like we are the only ones living this way and ask, “Why, God? Why me?”

How do you react when God responds by asking you to do the unthinkable? What do you do when He asks you to FORGIVE? Forgiving can seem impossible when others have deeply hurt us, and this hurt can affect us for years to come. This hurt can cause us to cautiously hold our breathe in every situation for fear it might happen again. Who can I trust? How much worse can it get? What would life be like not assuming all the worst-case scenarios? Something unchangeable can absolutely feel unforgivable.

We tend to dream in reverse. We grieve over what happened to us, over lost friendships and over the loss of what we thought our life would look like instead of hoping for what will one day be. We may long for a more innocent time when we lived unaware of tragedy. Often we wish we could go back in time, but we can't. The only thing we can do is move forward, trust God, and learn to forgive. Every other choice just adds more hurt, upon hurt, upon hurt, which can lead to us hurting those we love the most.

Here are a few truths I have found during my study of “Forgiving What I can't Forgive” by Lysa Terkeurst.

**Forgiveness is more satisfying than revenge.** We may think getting back or getting even will make us feel better. In some cases it can, for a short time. But long term it will always cost us more, emotionally and spiritually. It only adds to your burdens, instead of taking them away.

**Our God is not a Do-Nothing God.** When we are hurting and can't see an end, it's easy to ask, “Where are you God?”. But God is always working. He is always doing something. A perfect example is Joseph and the way his brothers treated him. (Gen. 37-41). Joseph trusted God and honored Him through his struggles, even as the plan God set before him in a dream took 13 years to come true. Throughout it all, he did the right thing next, and later forgave his brothers. He could have wallowed in sorrow and given up, but he didn't. We must

**youth**  
activities

**High School Fall Bon Fire**  
October 30th, 6 pm  
@ The Barnes'

**High School Oasis Conference**  
November 5th-6th. \$50  
Manhattan Christian College

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# STUDENT MINISTRY



Miranda Bohlander

## **Kid's T.N.T.**

Kids Pre-K to 5th grade are invited to join us on Thursday nights for Kid's Thursday Night Teaching (T.N.T.) from 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Dinner is served at 6:00 p.m.

**Contact Miranda at 785-234-5963 ext. 6 with questions.**

## **The Sovereignty of God continued...**

Last month I wrote about how I have seen the sovereignty of God in my life and I defined what it means to say He is sovereign. But honestly, despite all that I wrote, I was only able to give a small glimpse into His complete sovereignty. He is so unlimited it can be very hard to comprehend all that is His sovereignty. I don't know about you, but sometimes when I can't fully comprehend something about God, it can get in the way of me truly believing and trusting that it is true. Does not being able to understand it make it hard for you to believe, as well?

I've spent the past month asking God why it is so hard for me to understand all of His sovereignty. And you know what? God revealed that it isn't my lack of understanding that is causing the issue, but more a lack of trust in Him. He showed me how my pride is getting in the way of not believing in His sovereignty. My pride is what is preventing me from being able to believe that He is in control and that He knows best. I have found myself thinking - *I can make the best decision on my own. I have it all under control. This problem or decision is too small to bother God about.* All of these thoughts are lies, and they reveal my prideful side. Pride really is the opposite of trusting in God's sovereignty. Having pride is me saying to God, "No, you do not know what is best for my life. I can, and will, make the best decision." I can either choose to trust in myself to make the best decision or trust that God will show me the best decision...I can't do both.

Fear is another thing that prohibits me from trusting in God's sovereignty. I don't know about you, but I can definitely be a bit of a control freak. My desire to be in control is caused by the fear and anxiety for what could happen if someone else is in control. I desire to know what the outcome will be and I desire to get to choose what I do. All this does is stop me from allowing God's sovereignty to be present in my life. I am missing out on His goodness when I let fear and pride get in the way.

I don't want you to miss out on God's sovereignty! So I challenge you to pray about this question, "Is there something that is stopping me from trusting in God's sovereignty?" If there is, ask God to show you what that is and to help you let go and simply let Him!

a message from

# OUR WORSHIP LEADER



Jayme Green

## Just a few things

This month's submission from me will be a little different. I want to take a minute and go over a couple of items that have to do with worship and Sunday morning services.

First off, I want to update everyone on the new equipment we've gotten recently. The church has recently upgraded our entire sound system with new speakers, a mixer, and a sound board. The new system is a vast improvement in several ways, with sound quality being one of the biggest improvements. You should notice a better quality of sound both in person and online during our worship time and sermons. The sound team is still learning the ropes on this fairly complicated system so bear with us as we work to make worship better for everyone.

I also want to thank the members of the worship team. We have a core group of just a few volunteers who show up most Sundays and lend their God-given talents to CPCC. Some of our team members have recently moved from Topeka to places like Eskridge and Kansas City, but still make the drive each week to be a part of service at what they still consider their church "home." Take a minute to thank our worship volunteers next time you see them.

I do need to take a second to ask the congregation for a little patience and grace on Sunday mornings during rehearsal time. Our goal is to get our service rehearsal started at 8am on Sunday mornings and to be done by 9:15 so we're not playing during Sunday school. We do try to make this happen but lately, due to the new sound system and all the challenges that go along with it and with the aforementioned commute of some of the members of the band, even getting started on time is a struggle. I understand that it can be a bit distracting to have the band still playing while you're trying to start Sunday School or set up coffee and donuts, but I'm asking for you to give us a little leeway from time to time. If we rush through rehearsal and don't put in the time or work to get the songs and message just right, we aren't able to give you our best offering during service. We promise we will continue to do our best to be done shortly after 9, but if it doesn't happen, please have a little patience with us.

Finally, one quick housekeeping item. During service, after our opening worship set, we have our "ministry moment" prior to the communion devotion. We try to keep these brief but sometimes the Spirit moves in our speakers or there is a lot of information to be shared. To minimize the disruption of the natural flow of service, I'd like to ask a favor of those that come forward to speak. I usually invite the ministry presenter and the elder forward as I say the offering prayer. When that happens, don't be afraid to come to the front of the sanctuary during the prayer and take a seat on the front row. You do not need to wait until the offering or the first speaker is done before going forward. When we take this unnecessary time to wait, it slows everything down...and Derek gets antsy enough to preach as it is! Next time you share during service, try to be up front and ready when it's your turn, we're all excited to hear what you have to say!

Thanks for listening, love you all.

*a message from*  
**OUR ELDERS**

## **Greetings from the elders!**

We continue to work through reviewing the policies and procedures of CPCC in our meetings as well as looking at various needs of the church building. Additionally, we are in the process of fleshing out what an Acts 2 church looks like based on the desire to be devoted to “the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and the prayers” (Acts 2:42) with one another. The vision of the Acts 2 church takes time to implement and can only be done when all are committed to making it happen. This is not about a program or initiative, but a culture of fellowship and unity. So how does this happen and how can you help? We are glad you asked!

Unity in any body of believers begins and ends with PRAYER! We have access to the King of kings and the Lord of lords, the Maker of heaven and earth, but we must approach prayer the right way and with the right attitude.

Eric Cook’s lesson at Sunday Evening Teaching (S.E.T.) on September 19th focused on this. (If you have not been attending S.E.T., you should be. It is an opportunity to hear from a variety of teachers in our congregation who teach on topics you may not hear on Sunday morning.) Eric taught from Judges 19-21 which deals, in part, with how the Israelites approached prayer and seeking God, and how God answered those prayers. (If you missed it, the full teaching is on the CPCC YouTube channel and on our website at [www.centralparkcc.org](http://www.centralparkcc.org)). The Israelites approached God three times before going into battle with the tribe of Benjamin. The first two times did not go so well for them and thousands of Israelite fighters were lost. You might ask yourself why, when the Israelites asked God and complied with His answer, did they lose both battles? The answer lies in the heart of the Israelites when they prayed and asked God about the battles. Each time they sent a delegation to ask God to confirm what they had decided in the flesh. (How often do we do that still today?) God answered them both times, but it was the plans of men that failed. Finally, on the third visit to pray, the Israelites, all of them, humbled themselves and truly sought God’s leading. Their hearts were in a right place to be obedient and fully led by God.

We have an opportunity to watch God work miracles, both here at CPCC and across our city, state, nation, and world. We have an opportunity to witness revival, like so many great revivals before, that start with prayer. Eric read an article from Dr. J. Edwin Orr that outlined the great revivals in history which began with prayer, just as the Israelites prayed the third time they approached God.

How we pray is critical. This is not from a legalistic, scripted perspective, but in our attitudes towards prayer and obedience to God rather than our own fleshly desires. Are we asking God to confirm our own plans? Or are we humbling ourselves, giving thanks and fully committing to being led by God? We cannot expect the presence of God to be with us, as the Israelites learned the hard way, unless we seek it in the way He has appointed.

Join us as we continue to seek God’s leading for Central Park Christian Church.

# WOMEN'S MINISTRY



*Women's Tea*  
- *Piecing It All Together* -  
Saturday, October 2nd  
11 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
Please call the church  
office, at 234-5963  
to sign up today!



## Ladies' Bible Study

Wednesdays

6:45 to 8:00 p.m.

*The Miracles of Jesus*

*Led by Barb Gray.*

*Group meets in the CPCC Parlor.*

*There will be no bible study on  
Wednesday, October 6th.*

*A new study on the book of Acts  
begins Wednesday, October 13th.*



## *Deaconess' Meeting*

*The next Deaconess' meeting is  
Saturday, November 6th  
from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the church.*

## *Prayer Shawl Meetings*

Tuesday, October 5th 11:00 am at the church

Thursday, October 21st 6:30 pm at  
the home of Judi Cox

Contact Judi at 272-9803  
for more information.



## Monthly Bible Verses

*"Be patient, then, brothers and sisters, until the Lord's coming. See how the farmer waits for the land to yield its valuable crop, patiently waiting for the autumn and spring rains." ~ James 5:7*



# IMPORTANT INFO

## Young Adult Sunday School

Young Adults (age 18-29) are invited to join Pastor Derek in his office during the Sunday school hour. Topics vary and discussions are fun!

**For more information, contact Derek.**

## Fellowship Dinner

October 24th after  
Worship Service

**Save the date!**

*Sunday Nights!* 6:30 to 7:30 PM  
CPCC Sanctuary

**S**unday **E**vening **T**eaching

An evening of focused teaching on the Word.

## LEADERSHIP MEETING

October 30th ~ 9:30 a.m. ~ Fellowship Hall

If you serve as a Elder, Deacon, or Deaconess, please join us for our quarterly Leadership Meeting. These meetings serve to keep all of us connected in regards to our various roles and responsibilities. We hope to see you there!

Life Chain - Sunday, October 3rd from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.



LIFE CHAIN is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing for 90 minutes praying for our nation and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that the Church and many others support the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death. For more information go to [www.lifechain.net](http://www.lifechain.net).

21st & Wanamaker. Please arrive early to get your sign and find a spot.

The next Cornerstone newsletter will print Wednesday, October 27th. Please have all items to the office by 5 p.m. Wednesday, October 20th.

# NEWS AND NOTES

## OCTOBER

### CROSS GUARD

#### Sunday School

**9:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.**

**October 3rd**

*Rick Fischli*

**October 10th**

*Brian Stovall*

**October 17th**

*Ed VanVleck*

**October 24th**

*Andrew Swickard*

**October 31st**

*Mike Swickard*

#### Sunday Worship

**10:30 a.m. - Noon**

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**10:30 a.m. - Noon**

**October 3rd**

*Eric Cook*

*Bill White*

**October 10th**

*John Handy*

*Chuck Shockey*

**October 17th**

*Todd Huston*

*Nick Ward*

**October 24th**

*Rodney Barrant*

*Mike Thomas*

**October 31st**

*Wesley Lewis*

*John Cantrell*

## OCTOBER

### DEACONESS

*Cheryl Wathan*

## October at Doorstep

**Happy Fall, Y'all!**

Doorstep is beginning to plan how we will operate our Christmas Store this year. We will still adopt 260 households with 800+ individuals from the Christmas Bureau as we do every year. How distribution will be handled is being planned, and we will update our member congregations once we know the details.

We are now through the first quarter of our 55th Anniversary year, and donations for the 55th Anniversary Fund to replace our HVAC have brought in over \$31,000 so far. We feel incredibly blessed to have received this amount! We need at least another \$129,000 to replace the HVAC system which is 60+ years old. Anything over the HVAC amount will go to help more of our neighbors in need with basic needs such as rent and utility assistance. We are asking our supporters to donate a minimum of \$55 per person towards our 55th Anniversary Fund.

Please consider making your donation to Doorstep. You can mail donations to: Doorstep, Inc., 1119 SW 10th Ave, Topeka, KS 66604. You can also donate through PayPal on our website: [www.DoorstepTopeka.org](http://www.DoorstepTopeka.org) under the Donate tab, note the anniversary fund with your donation.



## Elder/Deacon/Deaconess Nominations

Every year at this time we ask for nominations for church members to serve for the following calendar year in these servant/leader roles. We have placed "job descriptions" in the foyer for you to read over. We would encourage you to look over these descriptions and pray about who you know that could serve; it could be you! Before you recommend someone, please check with them first to let them know why you desire to recommend them, and to determine their willingness to serve.

A recommendation form will be placed in the Sunday bulletins beginning October 3rd thru Sunday, October 17th. Nominations must be submitted before Sunday, November 7th. Just because someone is recommended does not mean that they will assume that position automatically.

A committee composed of pastoral staff, elders, deacons and deaconesses will review those recommended and if approved by the committee, will contact these individuals to determine their desire to serve. **Nominees will be voted on at the congregational meeting on Sunday, December 12th, immediately following the worship service.**

These positions of servant leadership are vital to a Christ-honoring church, so grab your Bible and dig into a great study on what it means to lead by serving!



## WOMEN *who've changed* THE HEART *of the city*

10th Anniversary  
Topeka Event!

Sunflower Ballroom  
Hotel Topeka at City Center  
(Formerly Capitol Plaza)  
1717 SW Topeka Blvd  
November 4th ~ 6pm

Seating opens at 5:30. Event begins with dinner at 6:00.

Join us in HONORING women who have changed the heart of their city, and in EMPOWERING those who will.



THE URBAN  
MINISTRY  
INSTITUTE  
OF TOPEKA

### **2021 HONOREES**

Linda Kinney  
Eve Kendall

*TUMI Topeka Female Alumni*

### **Honorary Co-Chairwomen**

Beryl New  
Deborah Dawkins

Sponsorships & Reservations:  
785-431-6000 or [maryflin@tumitopeka.org](mailto:maryflin@tumitopeka.org)

Your sponsorship will help:  
Reduce recidivism

Educate and equip incarcerated women  
Fund TUMI Topeka 2021 Initiatives  
Change the heart of the City

## **Where are you God? ...continued from page 4**

understand that God's timing is the right timing. There is always a *meanwhile* with God. He is always working the bad out for our good.

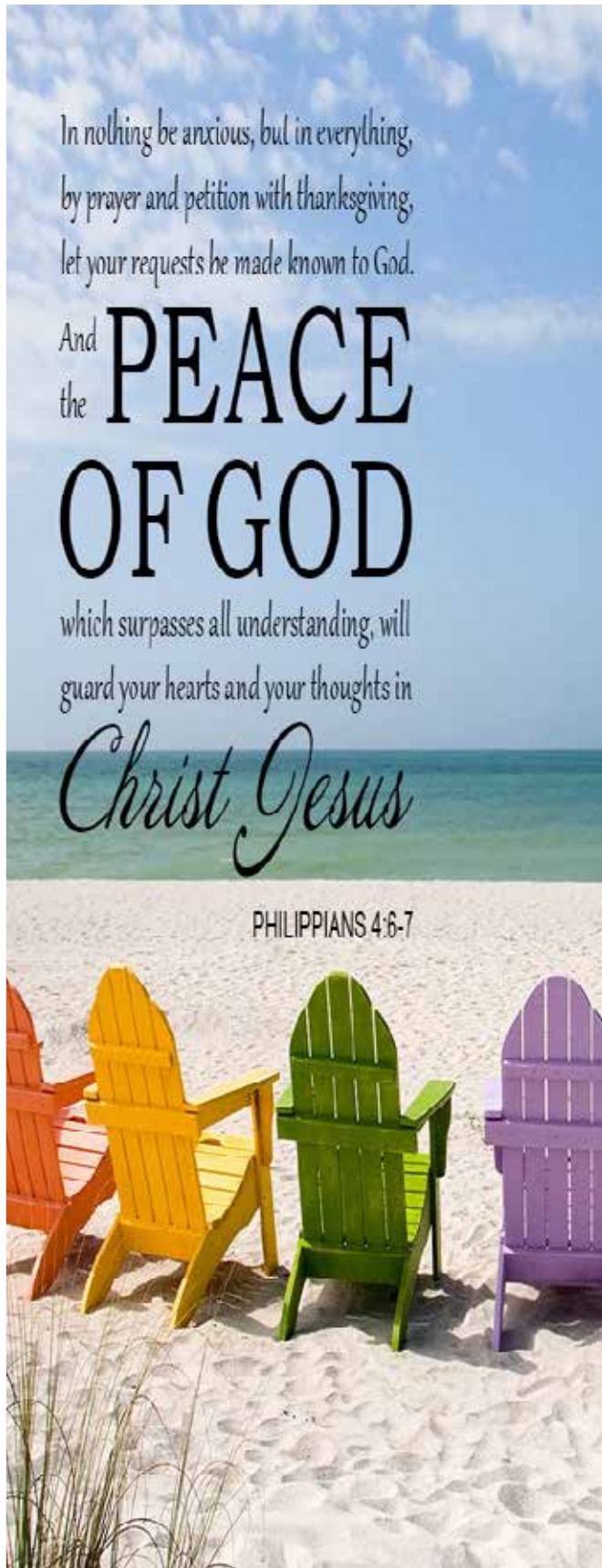
**Our offenders are also suffering.** God created our offenders in His image, too. Hurting people usually hurt people. We need to show compassion for their experiences. It's easier said than done but, again, we need to trust God and love others as He does. This doesn't mean we excuse the pain they have caused, but that we should have compassion enough to never shame them or refuse to forgive them.

**The enemy is the real villain.** The devil is real and he is on an all-out assault against all things good and real. He hates the word "together" and will do anything to divide what God has created.

Forgiveness is the only way to bring us true freedom in Christ. It's not always easy, yet it is necessary in order to free us from the chains of pain and hurt we carry everywhere we go. I will leave you all with the same three challenges I gave our youth. Pick one to work on this month.

1. Start seeing others as made in the image of God and as loved by God.
2. Surrender your need to fix people. God is in the fixing business, our job is to show compassion.
3. Stop waiting for others to do the right thing before you are able make a God-honoring choice.

# Prayer & Praise



## *Our Thoughts & Prayers are with...*

**Robert & Agnes Cox**

*Currently living with their daughter, Juanita.*

**Darlene McCarter**

*McCrite Plaza Nursing Home Resident*

**Jim & Shirley Wolf**

*Atria Hearthstone Resident*

**Sandy Darnall**

*Ruble Ranch Assisted Living Resident*

## *Sunday Morning Prayer Meeting*

Join others at 8:30 a.m. Sunday mornings for 30 minutes to spend time praising the Lord, praying for His leading and blessing, and asking Him to move powerfully in our classes and worship time.

The prayer meetings are held in Derek's office and are also available via Zoom.

[zoom.us/j/2029856144](https://zoom.us/j/2029856144) - passcode cpcc1535

## *Monday Prayer Meeting & Elders Meeting*

All are invited to join the Elders on Monday evenings, at 5:30 at the church, as they pray for our church, our city, our state and the nation.

The prayer meetings are also available via Zoom.  
[zoom.us/j/2029856144](https://zoom.us/j/2029856144) - passcode cpcc1535

\*An Elder's meeting will take place on the 2nd & 4th Monday immediately following the prayer meeting.

(\*See calendar on page 13 for those dates)



# Monthly Events at CPCC...

## OCTOBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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8:30 AM Group Prayer 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:45 AM Worship Service 12:30 PM H.S. Youth Group 6:30 PM S.E.T.	3	4 5:30 PM Prayer Meeting via Zoom only	5 11:00 AM Prayer Shawl at the church 6:30 PM A.R.R.O.W.	6 6:00 PM Middle School Youth Group (Dinner Served) 6:30 PM Men's Bible Study-3rd Floor South Classroom <b>No Women's Bible this evening</b>	7 10:00 AM Men's Bible Study at the church 6:00 - 7:30 PM Kid's T.N.T. (Dinner served)	8 9 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study Group meets at the church. 9:30 AM Deaconess Meeting
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**JOIN US  
DURING  
THE  
WEEK**

**Prayer Time** - Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

**Sunday School** - Sundays at 9:15 a.m.

**Worship Service & K-motion** - Sundays at 10:45 a.m.

**SIAFU** - Sundays at 12:30 p.m.

**High School Youth Group** - Sundays 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

**Prayer Time** - Mondays at 5:30 p.m.

**A.R.R.O.W.** - Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

**Middle School Youth Group** - Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.

**Kid's T.N.T.** - Thursdays at 6:00 p.m.

**Trustees:** Terry Barnes & Stan Seidel

**Elders:** Eric Cook, Geoff Gray, Victor Hercules, Hank Hylton, Randy Spilker, Jason Vinsonhaler, Bill White