

Announcements

Small Groups are starting back up! We encourage all of you to be a part of one! If you were in one this past year, you are welcome to continue in that group, or feel free to choose a new group. If you are interested in being part of a small group, please talk with a small group leader listed below.. More details can be found on the bulletin board.

- **Joel & Lara Swain**
- **Jeremy & Mandy Hisey, John Shenk**
- **Reuben & Vicki Sairs**
- **Steve & Phyllis Swartz**
- **Rob & Doris Swartz**

We observe **communion** on a quarterly basis. If you have accepted Jesus Christ as your Savior, we invite you to join us today as we commemorate His sacrifice for us that allows us to anticipate eternal life with Him someday.

The **Benevolence Team** would like to thank those who donated blankets in September for our Christmas Giving project. Our collection in October is **warm socks**. The donation box is located in the foyer. Please contact Sandy Hauge with any questions.

All men are invited to **Bob Evans** in London at 9 am on Saturday, November 2nd, for a time of connecting over **breakfast**. This breakfast is held on the first Saturday of every month. Contact Justin Newswanger if you'd like more information.

We are planning this year's **Gratitude Sunday** for Sunday, November 17th. The service will intertwine music and readings centered around the theme of thankfulness. We are looking for people to serve musically or as a reader. We are also contemplating the possibility of organizing a choir if there is interest. If you're interested in participating or have questions, please contact Jeff Gates.

Join **Fairlawn Church** (a fellow RNOC church in Apple Creek, OH) on November 2nd, for a one-day retreat focusing on **strengthening marriages**. The cost is \$40 per couple. Please register by October 28th at <https://www.fmcapplecreek.com/events>

The drama department at **Rosedale Bible College**, under the direction of Malia Mullen, will perform **The Curious Savage** by John Patrick. This comedic drama is about an elderly woman who intends to give her money away over her stepchildren's objections. Please visit rosedale.edu or call 740-857-1311 x 119 for ticket information for the shows which will occur over the November 15–17 weekend.

Are you passionate about creating welcoming spaces for gatherings and celebrations? **Rosedale International** is seeking a dedicated **hospitality coordinator** to enhance our guests' experiences. The hospitality coordinator will play a vital role in event coordination, guest services, housekeeping, and assisting with food services. This role can be adjusted to part-time or full-time depending upon one's availability. If you have any questions or potential interest, please contact Myron at humanresources@rosedaleinternational.org.



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Welcome

to London Christian Fellowship

Welcome and Call to Worship: Naomi Ndungu
Worship in Song: Ella Hostetler
Worship in Giving: Jeremy Hisey
Scripture: Psalm 51:1-12 read by Zach Freer
Children's Sunday School
Message: Rob Swartz
Title: *An Unexpected Pathway to Joy*
Text: Psalm 51:1-12
Communion
Closing and Benediction: Naomi Ndungu

Today:

Ushers: Ray Raber (safety), Tim Shay
Greeters: Dave & Anna King
Coffee: Rhoda Sommers, Rosy Shenk
Nursery: Shannon Scheffel, Emma Hostetler

Next Week:

Moderator: Jeremy Hisey
Scripture Reader: Pam Stanforth
Worship: Keith Scheffel
Sermon: Reuben Sairs
Ushers: Jeff Gates (safety), Rob Devlin
Greeters: Ray & Grace Raber
Coffee: Phil & Lucy Elfrink
Nursery: Ella Hostetler, Harmony Devlin

Childcare is available in the nursery during the morning service for children two years old and under. If you have questions, contact Harmony Devlin.

Fall Sunday School classes for children:

- Preschool (ages 3-4) - taught by Phil Elfrink in the preschool room
- Early Elementary (grades K-1) - taught by EJ Jenkins in room 101
- Elementary (grades 2-4) - taught by Anna King in room 102
- Middle School (grades 5-8) - taught by Becky Hostetler in room 103

If you have a **praise or prayer request**, you are welcome to share it with our LCF family on **BAND** or text it to 740-490-2121. If you would like to meet with others to pray and/or be prayed for, we invite you to join us on Sunday mornings from 10-10:15 in the pastor's office and on Wednesday evenings from 7-7:30 via Zoom.

We offer various ways for you to **give**. Checks and cash can be collected during the Sunday morning offering, placed in the drop box in the foyer, or mailed to the church. Electronic donations can be made online at lcfweb.org, via the "Church Center App," or by texting the amount to 84321.

Contact us - We welcome the opportunity to connect with you. Please feel free to talk with any of the pastors or elders. (Their contact info is in our online directory.) Call or text the church at 740-490-2121, email secretary@lcfweb.org, or visit lcfweb.org. For tech/livestream issues, text 740-490-2828.

LCF's youth group, C4, will not be meeting tonight.

Did you know October is Pastor Appreciation Month? Well, we tried to recognize our pastors' hard work in the [October LCF Connection](#). We hope you enjoy reading through this one and staying current with all the LCF news! The **LCF Connection** is available in the foyer, as a PDF via email, or digitally on LCF's website.

Next Sunday, **October 27th**, we invite you to join us after church for a **potluck** meal. Potlucks are a great time to meet new friends or just catch up with old ones, as well as the opportunity to enjoy a bunch of delicious food! Please bring a dish or two to share.

Upcoming Events:

Sunday, October 27th: Potluck
Saturday, November 2nd: Men's Breakfast
November 15-17: Rosedale Bible College presents *The Curious Savage*
Sunday, November 17th: Gratitude Sunday