Announcements

Did you know October is Pastor Appreciation Month? Well, we tried to recognize our pastors' hard work in the <u>October LCF Connection</u>. 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.

We invite you to join us after church today 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! There is always plenty of food so feel free to join in whether or not you brought anything.

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 **church** at 9 am this Saturday, November 2nd, for a time of connecting over a pancake **breakfast**. This breakfast is held on the first Saturday of every month. Contact Justin Newswanger if you'd like more information.

If you consider yourself a **young adult** and want to experience community, come to the home of Steve and Phyllis Swartz for a **home cooked meal** at 6 pm on Monday evening, November 4th. Please text Steve to confirm your attendance.

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. There will be an adult choir that will be singing two songs. Opportunities to go over the music will be directly after church on November 3rd and 10th. If you're interested in participating or have questions, please contact Jeff Gates.

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

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 <u>rosedale.edu</u> or call 740-857-1311 x119 for ticket information for the shows which will occur over the November 15–17 weekend.



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Welcome and Call to Worship: Jeremy Hisey Worship in Song: Keith Scheffel Worship in Giving: Abraham Ndungu Scripture: Luke 6:20-38 read by Martie George Children's Sunday School Message: Reuben Sairs Title: Is This about Me? Text: Luke 6:39-49 Closing and Benediction: Jeremy Hisey

Today:

Ushers: Jeff Gates (safety), Rob Devlin Greeters: Rob & Doris Swartz Coffee: Phil & Lucy Elfrink Nursery: Ella Hostetler, Harmony Devlin

Next Week:

Moderator: Vicki Sairs Scripture Reader: Reuben Sairs Worship: Rosanna Waweru Sermon: Rob Swartz Ushers: Ray (safety) & Grace Raber Greeters: Phil & Lucy Elfrink Coffee: Lisa Miller Nursery: Harmony Devlin, Lance Beachy

Childcare is available in the nursery during the morning service for children two years old and under. If you have guestions, 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 Alexa Miller 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

Children will be dismissed to the Fellowship Hall to practice for Gratitude Sunday before going to their individual Sunday School classes.

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 <u>lcfweb.org</u>, 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, meets here at the church each Sunday evening from 6-8 pm. Everyone in grades 8-12 is invited. For more info, contact Mike or Karen Baker.

Upcoming Events:

This Saturday, November 2nd: Men's Breakfast at LCF Monday, November 4th: Food and Conversation November 15-17: Rosedale Bible College presents The Curious Savage Sunday, November 17th: Gratitude Sunday