



WELCOME

Welcome! We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today. We hope your experience with us will be warm and relaxing.

FOR OUR KIDS

Dear parents, we encourage you to take advantage of our children's ministry opportunities for your kids. We offer age-specific opportunities from birth through 5th grade during our service to help your children grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ. If you are interested, one of our greeters can direct you to our children's locations.

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West Side Church of Christ

625 Hart Rd., Lebanon, Ohio 45036
p: 513-932-3045 | Office Hours: M-F 9-3 P.M.

Service Times

Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 A.M.
Sunday School for all Ages 9:00 – 9:45
Youth Group Sunday's at 5:30 P.M.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 1P.M./ 6:30 P.M. | Worship Team Practice 7:00 P.M.
Thursday Online Bible Study 7:00 PM

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What We Believe

The West Side Church of Christ exists to love and lead people to a life changing relationship with Jesus Christ. We place our complete faith and trust in Jesus Christ. We believe Jesus was born of a virgin, died for our sins in an expression of God's love, and rose from the grave. We believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God, and it has authority over our lives. We hold on to no human creed and have no church government beyond our local elders. We have no creed but Christ and no book but the Bible. We teach the divine plan for salvation: Faith (Mk. 16:16), Repentance (Acts 2:38), Confession (Matt. 10:32,33), Believers Immersion (Gal. 3:27), and Holy Living (1 Cor. 6:11). Finally, we believe we are Christians only, not the only Christians.



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August 27, 2023 | Sermon Notes

The Greatest Commandment

Mark 12:28-34 (Page 76 in the Pew Bible)

- The greatest commandment reminds me to _____ my _____ for God first in my life. – Deuteronomy 6:4-6, Exodus 19:5-6

- The second greatest commandment teaches me how to _____ my love for God by _____ others. – Leviticus 19:18, Luke 10:25-37

- When I love God and love others, I am _____ in the _____ of God.



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West Side News and Notes

West Side Connection Cards ~ In the cardholders in the pews are connection cards. If you are a first-time guest or a returning guest, please take time to fill out this card so we can get to know you better. Please put them in the Giving Box just outside the Sanctuary. Also, if anyone has a prayer concern, you may write those on the back of the connection cards.



Wednesday Bible's Studies ~ Join us on Wednesday afternoons at 1 PM, with a brown bag lunch for Bible Study. If you cannot make Wednesday afternoons, join us every Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM.

School Supply Drive for Bowman Primary School ~ School Supply Drive – It is time once again to partner with our neighbors at Bowman Primary to help supply children in need of the most basic school supplies. Needed supplies for the school year are rolls of paper towels, Crayola Crayons-24 count, glue sticks, boxes of tissues, Clorox Wipes, #2 pencils, blunt tip Fisker scissors, low odor black Expo dry erase markers, plastic pencil boxes (8"x5"x2"), Pink erasers (not the decorative type), and over the ear headphones. Items will be collected in the bin in The Hub through Labor Day. You can also pick up a more extensive list in the HUB.



Lunch Bunch – The Lunch Bunch will meet Friday, September 1st at noon at Lebanon Frich's.

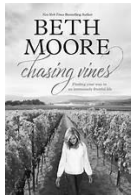
Ditch Weed Eating Team – The next weed eating will be Saturday, September 9th at 10 AM.

LifeWise – Starting Friday, September 8th, West Side will be hosting LifeWise in our buildings to teach 1st and 2nd grade Students at Bowman Primary the Gospel. This is a during school hours, off school property, privately funded program. Due to this program, our building will be closed on Friday's. Michael will also be moving his day off to Monday's.



Prayers for Teachers and School Employees ~ We are looking for Prayer Pals for West Side teachers and school employees for the upcoming school year. We have several members who are in these thankless jobs and could use extra prayers from their church members. This is a great ministry to our all who work in schools and a great way to build relationships and encourage them. You can sign up and pray only if that is what you are able to do, or you can send cards, texts, treats, or gift cards. Whatever you can do is a blessing to them. Please sign up in The Hub or see Arlene Moore for more information.

Zoom Bible Study ~ Starting Thursday, September 7th, the Thursday Zoom Bible Study will be studying Beth Moore's *Chasing Vines* This series explores the vineyard's secret for how we can have a more abundant and meaningful life. Join Beth as she takes you through a vineyard and traces the metaphor of the Vine and the vineyard through Scripture. Beth uncovers how every part of our lives – even the rockiest soil – is used by God to make a difference for His kingdom. See Cheryl Fox for more information.



Children's Christmas Program ~ It's time to start talking play practice for the Children's Christmas play. This year we are performing *The Power of the K.I.N.G.* The play is for kids 2 years of age – 6th grade. All are welcome to do the play and do not need to be members of West Side to participate. Practices will start early September on Sunday evenings. See Jeanne Barclay, Tracy Conley, or Allie Cramer with your questions.

The Chosen Viewing Party ~ Starting September 10th, we will be viewing *The Chosen* on Sunday nights starting at 5:30 PM here at the church. If you have never seen the show or just want to see it again, we are starting at season 1 and watching an episode each week. Bring a chair, and a snack if desired.

Fantasy Football 2023 – It is time to start planning for our 2023 Church Fantasy Football League. If you are interested in participating, sign up in the HUB. If you have any questions, please see our commissioners Jordan Meilstrup and Jeremy Bosdell.

Change of Address – Russ Jones has moved to the Optimized Senior Center (where we hold the birthday celebrations each month). His new address is 150 Rough Way, Building 300, Lebanon, OH 45036. He would love to see some of his West Side family!

Save the Date ~ Sunday, September 24th directly after morning services there will be a wedding shower for Kelsey Funderburg. If anyone is interested in helping with food, contact Crystal Dawson.



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2023 Bible Reading Plan

08/27	08/28	08/29	08/30	08/31	09/01	09/02
Ezekiel 1-4	Ezekiel 5-8	Ezekiel 9-12	Ezekiel 13-15	Ezekiel 16-17	Ezekiel 18-19	Ezekiel 20-21

Financial Report

General Fund		Building & Capital Improvements Fund
Weekly Budget Need	\$4,511.65	Previous Week Offering \$110.00
Previous Week Offering	\$7,095.08	
Year to Date Offering	\$190,807.48	Building Fund Balance \$38,246.14
Year to Date Budget	\$153,396.10	



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September 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Lunch Bunch 12 PM @ Frisch's Ben Jeffery Ezekiel 18-19	2 Ezekiel 20-21
3 Family Sunday Ezekiel 22-23	4 Labor Day Office Closed Ezekiel 24-27	5 Ezekiel 28-31	6 Bible Study/Lunch 12 PM Bible Study 6:30 PM Worship Band Practice 7 PM Ezekiel 32-34	7 Zoom Bible Study 7 PM Ezekiel 35-37	8 LifeWise Church building closed 8-4 Ella Bidlack Ezekiel 38-39	9 Ditch Line Weed Eating 10 AM Lori Spaeth Ezekiel 40-41
10 Children's Play Practice 3:30-5 PM The Chosen Viewing 5:30 PM Ezekiel 42-43	11 Patriot Day Ezekiel 44-45	12 Teresa Tubbs Ezekiel 46-48	13 Bible Study/Lunch 12 PM Bible Study 6:30 PM Worship Band Practice 7 PM Joel 1-3	14 Zoom Bible Study 7 PM Daniel 1-3	15 LifeWise Church building Closed 8-4 Marty Egelston Larry Peek Daniel 4-6	16 Staci Crawford Lois Spence Katelyn Meilstrup Matt Hargraves Daniel 7-9
17 Children's Play Practice 3:30-5 PM The Chosen Viewing 5:30 PM Daniel 10-12	18 The Chosen Bible Study Season 3 6:30 PM Ezra 1-3	19 Ezra 4-6, Psalm 137	20 Bible Study/Lunch 12 PM Bible Study 6:30 PM Worship Band Practice 7 PM Haggai 1-2	21 Zoom Bible Study 7 PM Lara Crawford Zechariah 1-7	22 LifeWise Church building closed 8-4 Square Dancing Zechariah 8-14	23 Alaina Bidlack Esther 1-5
24 Wedding shower for Kelsey Funderburg 11:30 AM Children's Play Practice 3:30-5 PM The Chosen Viewing 5:30 PM Esther 6-10	25 The Chosen Bible Study Season 3 6:30 PM Ezra 7-10	26 Nehemiah 1-5	27 Bible Study/Lunch 12 PM Bible Study 6:30 PM Worship Band Practice 7 PM Mary Retherford Nehemiah 6-7	28 Zoom Bible Study 7 PM Nehemiah 8-10	29 LifeWise Church building closed 8-4 Fox – Fellowship Hall 5 – 9 PM Cole Dawson Kathy McCann Nehemiah 11-13, Psalm 126	30 Malachi 1-4

September 2023 Serving Schedule				
	09/03/23	09/10/23	09/17/23	09/24/23
Song Leader	Jeremy	Jason	Rob	Jeremy
Pianist	Amy	Jeanne	Amy	Jeanne
Organist	Arretta	Arretta	Arretta	Arretta
Singers	Tracy	Tracy	Tracy	Tracy
Singers	Cheryl	Cheryl	Sandy	Sandy
Singers	Shawn	Rick	Shawn	Rick
Guitar		Jordan	Jordan	Jordan
Drums	Rob	Aaron	Aaraon	Rob
Sound	Aaron	Cory	Cory	Aaron
Online	Andy	Tony	Tony	Andy
Computer	Bobbie	Bobbie	Gina	Gina
Meditations	Jason	Mike Fox	Rob	Jordan
Communion	Messmers	Messmers	Messmers	Messmers
Children's Teaching Schedule				
	Family Sunday			
Nursery	Lauren Allen	Crystal Dawson	Cheryl Fox	Cheryl Fox
Toddler 2-3	Sandy Braun	Alaina Bidlack	Lydia Moller	Allie Cramer
Preschool – K	Leslie Bowerman	Allie Cramer	Connie Vaughn	Jess McCurry
1st – 3rd	Family Sunday	Kristy Meilstrup	Tracy Retherford	Jennifer Hargraves
4th – 6th	Family Sunday	Erick Meilstrup	Kathy McCann	Marty Egelston



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