



# 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 5<sup>th</sup> 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 to resume in 2022  
Youth Group Sunday's at 5:30 P.M.  
Wednesday Night Bible Study 6:30 P.M. | Worship Team Practice 7:00 P.M.  
Thursday Online Bible Study 7:00 PM

### **Staff**

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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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# CHASING CARROTS

THE ENDLESS PURSUIT OF MORE

November 13, 2022 | Sermon Notes

Chasing Carrots | Perfectionism

Matthew 5:43-48 (Page 970 in the Pew Bible)

- Being perfect, as God is perfect, is an \_\_\_\_\_ goal as I \_\_\_\_\_  
Jesus
  - Perfect does no mean following Jesus without any \_\_\_\_\_ ... that is  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - Perfect is the Greek word \_\_\_\_\_, which means having reached its  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and perfect
- I am perfect when I learn to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ for my enemies
- When I seek perfection, I need to \_\_\_\_\_ the way I look at my  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_



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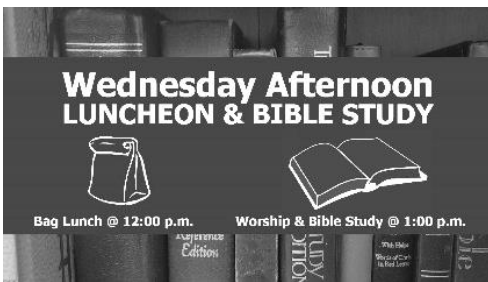
## West Side News and Notes

**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, please write those on the back of the card and put in the Giving Box as well.

**Optimized Senior Birthday Party** ~ Next Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, is the next birthday celebration at the Optimized Senior Center. Volunteers are needed to help serve cake and ice cream to the seniors. See Melodee Ashby or Charlotte Peek for more information.

**100<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party for Vina Chapman** – Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, from noon – 2 PM, a birthday party is being planned for Vina Chapman. All are invited to come for cake and coffee. In lieu of gifts, a donation to West Side can be made.

**New Address** ~ Kay Weisbrodt has moved. Here is her new address. 175 Cape May Drive, Ap IL 301, Wilmington, OH 45177. Her cell phone number is still the same.



**Wednesday Afternoon Luncheon and Bible Study** ~ Join us on Wednesday afternoons for lunch and Bible study. Bring a sack lunch at 12:00 followed by worship and Bible Study at 1:00.

**Wednesday Night Bible Study** ~ Join us on Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. for an Adult Bible study.

**Jr. High Girls Bi-Weekly Bible Study** ~ Every other Wednesday from 6:30-7:30 PM will be a Bible study for Junior High girls (6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade). If you have a Junior High girl who would like to participate, please see Staci Crawford and Maddie Bosdell.

**The Chosen** ~ A Bible Study based on the popular show *The Chosen* meets on Monday evenings, at 6:30 PM, in person here at the church. If you would like to participate, “Come and See” Cheryl Fox for more details.



**Thursday Online Bible Study** ~ Join us for a study called *The Rock, The Road and The Rabbi*, featuring Kathy Lee Gifford and Rabbi Jason Sobel. This study is each Thursday at 7:00 PM, from the comfort of your home, via Zoom. Even though this study began October 27<sup>th</sup>, it is not too late to join. See Cheryl Fox for a Bible Study book and for more details.

**Lunch Bunch** ~ The Lunch Bunch will be meeting at the Lebanon Frisch’s on December 2<sup>nd</sup> at noon. Join other West Sider’s for lunch and fellowship.

Upcoming Events – Here are some “save the dates” for the next few months	
11/20 – Vina Chapman’s 100 <sup>th</sup> B-day	12/17 – Adult Christmas Party
12/11 – Children’s Christmas Play	12/24 – Christmas Eve Service



**VBS 2023 – June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>**



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## Daily Bible Reading

11/13	11/14	11/15	11/16	11/17	11/18	11/19
Acts 21-25	Acts 26-28	Romans 1-3	Romans 4-6	Romans 7-9	Romans 10-12	Romans 13-15

## Financial Report

General Fund		Building & Capital Improvements Fund	
Weekly Budget Need	\$4,315.84	Previous Week Offering \$90.00	
Previous Week Offering	\$6,777.25		
Year to Date Offering	\$287,170.03	Building Fund Balance \$22,976.14	
Year to Date Budget	\$1194,212.80		



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