

# 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 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

### **Staff**

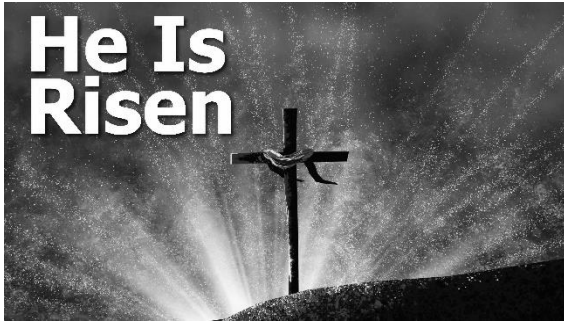
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## What We Believe

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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April 30, 2023 | Sermon Notes  
He is Risen: Jesus, A U-Turn Maker  
Acts 9:1-19 | (Page 1100 in the Pew Bible)

**Meeting Saul** – Acts 8:1, Acts 9:1-2, Acts 9:27

- Encountering the \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus has the potential to completely change my life's \_\_\_\_\_
  
- I am called to share the \_\_\_\_\_, even when it's not \_\_\_\_\_ -  
Matthew 28:19-20
  
- I don't get to \_\_\_\_\_ how someone will be used by God. My \_\_\_\_\_ is to share Jesus.

## 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.

**Lunch Bunch** ~ The next gathering of the Lunch Bunch is Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup> starting at noon at the Lebanon Frisch's.

**West Side Background Checks** – Since 2009 we have administered background checks on all volunteers that work with our children. Since that time, we have not updated our method of collecting information and processing the background checks, until now. We have recently updated our process with Protect My Ministry to incorporate an online portal that members can use to provide their information themselves without turning it in to the office. This update also comes with a sexual abuse training video to help us recognize and prevent any abuse from taking place. Because of these changes, we are starting from scratch with our background check process. We are requiring all West Side Christians who serve with our children to submit a new background check, watch the training video, and take the training test. You can access the process on our website by going to this link ... <http://www.wscoonline.com/downloads-and-forms.html>. If you have any questions, please see Michael Dawson.

**VBS Event - Kona Ice Truck** ~ Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> from 4 – 6 PM we will be bringing the Kona Ice Truck to Autumn Ridge, the neighborhood behind Traditions of Lebanon on Neil Armstrong Way. There is a park we will be at, giving away free Kona Ice and signing kids up for VBS. If you would like to help, please see Emily Bosdell.

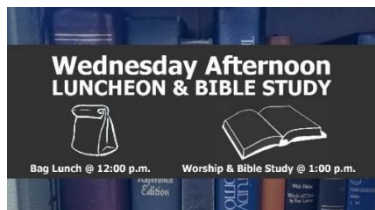


**All Daughter's Lunch** ~ May 7<sup>th</sup> after Sunday morning service, will be The All-Daughters Luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will feature chicken salad with a croissant, chips, carrots and a dessert. Lunch will be served so you can fellowship with others at no charge to you. Please sign up in The Hub no later than Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> so a plate can be reserved for you. This is a free event. See Arlene Moore, Katelyn Meilstrup, or Bobbie Vires for more information.

**Ditch Line Weed Eating Team** – We are assembling a weed eating team to help one Saturday morning a month to keep the creek banks trimmed during the growing season. If you are interested in being a part of this team, please sign up in the HUB. **We will begin our work on Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.** Please bring your weed eater, fuel, and extra line.

**Wanted: Sound and Online Computer Person(s)** ~ Are you interested in serving in a different way? We are looking for people who will be able to help in the soundbooth on the new sound system and/or the online computer. Training is available! See Michael Dawson or Cheryl Fox ASAP to help out.

**Sunday School** ~ Adult Sunday School class is back. We are also wanting to provide for our children Sunday School classes too, but we need teachers. If you are interested in working with any age kids, please see Emily Bosdell.



**Wednesday Afternoon Luncheon and Bible Study** ~ Join us on Wednesday afternoons at 1 PM, with a brown bag lunch for Bible Study. We are in the middle of a study called “Characters of the Bible.”

**Wednesday Night Bible Study** ~ Join us every Wednesday at 6:30 PM, studying “Characters of the Bible.”

**Thursday Online Bible Study** ~ We are studying Jennifer Wilken's *God of Covenant* Genesis 12 – 50. See Cheryl Fox for a book and for more information. This study will go through the end of May. Then we will take the months of June and July off.

**Cincinnati Reds Outing – Faith Concert** ~ Sign up in The Hub if you and friends are interested in going to the Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup> Cincinnati Reds game and Faith Concert, featuring For King + Country. The game starts at 4:10 PM. The tickets will be purchased all together. For us to get a discounted price, 15 people need to sign up and the sooner the better for good seating.



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**Camp Registration** ~ It is time once again to register your children for a week or more of camp at Butler Springs. There are over 50 different camp opportunities for children coming out of 1<sup>st</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades. For any West Side Christian who registers for camp using our code, we will pay 33%. Please go to [butlersprings.com](http://butlersprings.com) or see Michael Dawson to learn more.

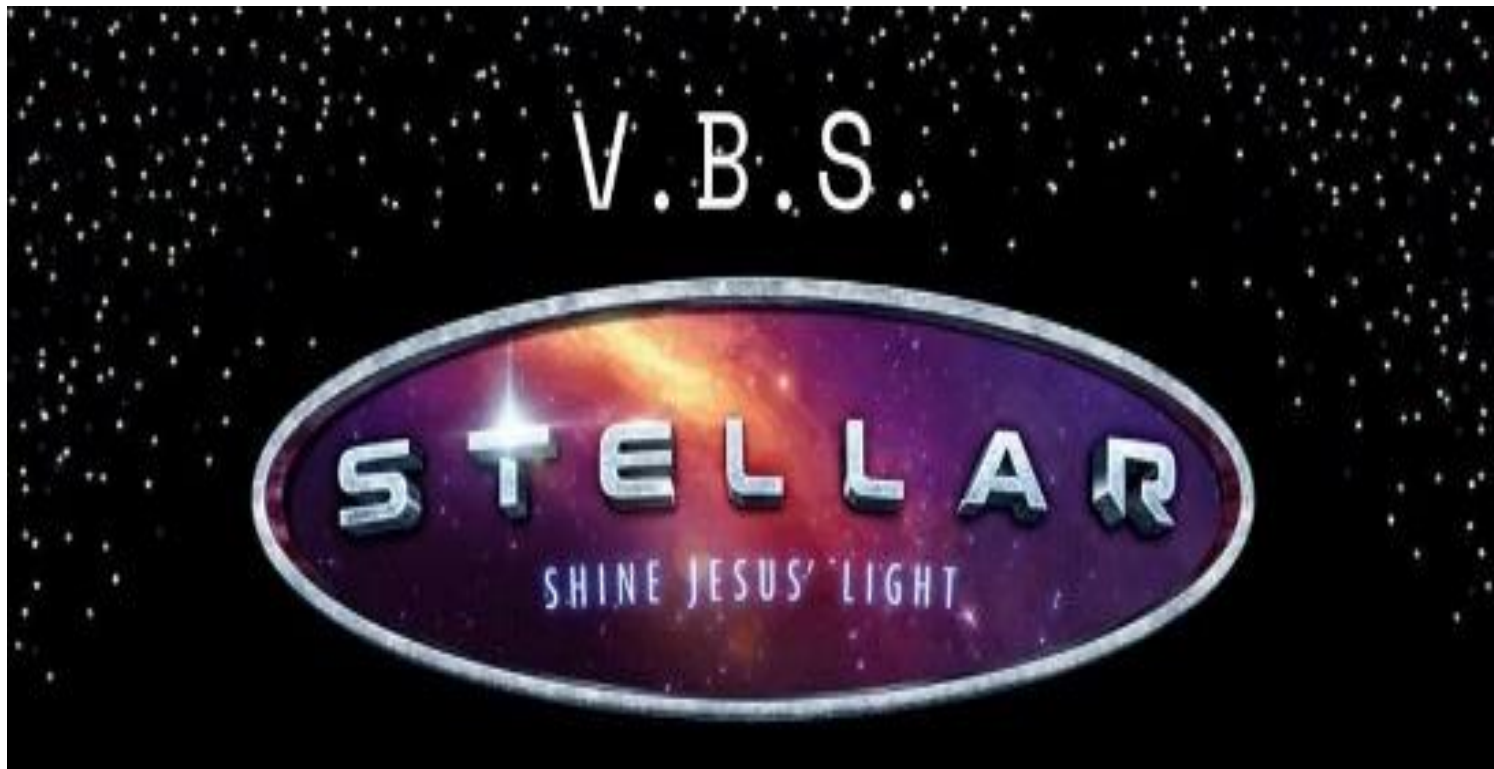


**Camp Supplies Needed** – Butler Springs is asking us to help fill the camp’s pantry for this upcoming summer season. We are asked to provide 75 bottles of assorted condiments. Items include ketchup, mustard, mayo, bbq sauces, and hot sauce. We will be collecting these items in The HUB through Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Upcoming Events** – Here are some “save the dates” for the next few months

5/6/23 Kona Ice/VBS registration	5/7/23 All Daughters Event
5/27-6/2/23 Senior Saints in the Smokies	6/12/23-6/17/23 – VBS
7/30/23 Canoe Outing	8/5/23 Cincinnati Reds Game and Concert

**VBS NEWS** ~ VBS is June 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> from 6 – 8:30 PM for children ages 3 years old to 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Registration is open online at [www.wscoconline.org](http://www.wscoconline.org) and in person. If you would like to volunteer, please see Allie Cramer, Emily Bosdell or Crystal Dawson. Even if you can only help for a few days, let us know what days you are able to help! All volunteers are appreciated! If you would like to help by donating, we have several ways. There is a bulletin board in the hallway. Please feel free to sign up for specific items. If you would rather give a monetary donation, either specify it on your check in the offering box, or place an envelope in the top of the spaceship on the wall! Also, coming soon will be dates for VBS decorating days! Watch the bulletin and Facebook for more information!



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**Daily Bible Reading**

04/30	05/01	05/02	05/03	05/04	05/05	05/06
Psalms 102-104	2 Samuel 5:1-10; 1 Chronicles 11-12	Psalm 133	Psalm 106-107	2 Samuel 5:11-61-23; 1 Chronicles 13-16	Psalm 1-2, 15, 22-24, 47-68	Psalm 89,96,100-101, 105, 132

**Financial Report**

<b>General Fund</b>		<b>Building &amp; Capital Improvements Fund</b>	
Weekly Budget Need	\$4,511,65	Previous Week Offering	
Previous Week Offering	\$1,540.00	\$90.00	
Year to Date Offering	\$102,031.12	Building Fund Balance	
Year to Date Budget	\$76,698.05	\$36,091.14	



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# May 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1  <i>Shawn Crawford</i>  2 Samuel 5:1-10; 1 Chronicles 11-12	2    Psalm 133	3 <b>Bible Study/Lunch</b> 12 PM <b>Bible Study 6:30 PM</b> <b>Worship Band Practice 7 PM</b> <i>Jeremy Bosdell</i>  Psalm 106-107	4 <b>National Day of Prayer</b> <b>Zoom Bible Study- 7 PM</b>  2 Samuel 5:11-6:23; 1 Chronicles 13-16	5  <b>Lunch Bunch 12:00 PM</b>  Psalm 1-2, 15, 22-24, 47, 68	6  <b>Ditch Weed Eating 10 AM</b> <i>Landon Williamson</i> <i>Stephanie Poston</i>  Psalm 89, 96, 100, 101, 105, 132
7 <b>Family Sunday All Daughter Luncheon</b>  <i>Alivia Dawson</i>  2 Samuel 7, 1 Chronicles 17	8    Psalm 25, 29, 33, 36, 39	9    <i>Jason Duff</i>  2 Samuel 8-9, 1 Chronicles 18	10 <b>Bible Study/Lunch</b> 12 PM <b>Bible Study 6:30 PM</b> <b>Worship Band Practice 7 PM</b> <i>Barb Ream</i>  Psalm 50, 53, 60, 75	11  <b>Zoom Bible Study- 7 PM</b> <i>Scott Williams</i>  2 Samuel 11-12, 1 Chronicles 20	12    Psalm 65-67, 69-70	13    2 Samuel 11-12 1 Chronicles 20
14  <b>Mother's Day</b>  Psalm 32, 51, 86, 122	15    2 Samuel 13-15	16    Psalm 3-4, 12-13, 28, 55	17 <b>Bible Study/Lunch</b> 12 PM <b>Bible Study 6:30 PM</b> <b>Worship Band Practice 7 PM</b>  2 Samuel 16-18	18  <b>Zoom Bible Study- 7 PM</b>  Psalm 26, 40, 58, 61-62, 64	19    <i>Donna Coates</i>  2 Samuel 19-21	20    Psalms 5, 38, 41-42
21    2 Samuel 22, 23, Psalm 57	22    Psalm 95, 97-99	23 <i>George Van Harlingen</i> 2 Samuel 24,  1 Chronicles 22-22, Psalm 30	24 <b>Bible Study/Lunch</b> 12 PM <b>Bible Study 6:30 PM</b> <b>Worship Band Practice 7 PM</b> <i>Diana Jones</i>  Psalm 108-110	25  <b>Zoom Bible Study- 7 PM</b>  1 Chronicles 23-25	26    <i>Max Newlon</i>  Psalm 131, 138-139, 143-145	27    1 Chronicles 26-29, Psalm 127
28    <i>Kyle Conley</i>  Psalm 111-118	29  <b>Seniors Saints – Leave @ 8 AM</b>  1 Kings 1-2, Psalm 37, 71, 94	30    Psalm 119:1-88	31 <b>Bible Study/Lunch</b> 12 PM <b>Bible Study 6:30 PM</b> <b>Worship Band Practice 7 PM</b>  1 Kings 3-4, 2 Chronicles 1, Psalm 72			



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