

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 8th grade during our service to help your children grow in their relationship with Jesus. 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.

Adult Sunday School at 9:00 A.M.

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Youth Group Sunday's at 5:30 P.M.

Wednesday Night Bible Study 1:00 P.M. & 6:30 P.M. | Worship Team Practice 7:00 P.M.

Thursday Online Bible Study 6:30 P.M.

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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 (Acts2:38), 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.





April 21, 2024 | Sermon Notes Tough Issues: Creation or Evolution?



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. If you have a prayer concern, please write it on the back of a connection card. All cards can be placed in the Giving Box just outside the Sanctuary.

Zoom Bible Study ~ "In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth." Where did everything come from? Why are we here? Why is the world so broken? How can that brokenness be made right? In it's first 11 chapters, the Book of Genesis addresses our deepest questions, declaring to us a transcendent God and shaping our understanding of the Bible as a whole. Over 10 sessions of verse by verses Bible study, we will trace the themes of creation, fall, redeption, and restoration to discover why Genesis is called the "seed plot of the Bible," and the place where the redemptive story begins. The online Thursday Bible Study will will be going through Jen Wilkin's **God of Creation: A study of Genesis 1-11.** See Cheryl Fox for a Bible Study book.

Aspire Ladies Event ~ Ladies, That's Aspire! Tickets for the event this Friday, April 26th, at Urbancrest Church here in Lebanon are \$25 (see Cheryl Fox for more information). The speaker will be author and teacher Barb Roose, comedy by Michelle Miller, and music by Jaime Jamgochian. If you pre ordered tickets, you can pick them up from Cherl Fox today.

Tough Issues: Biblical Answers to Life's Hard Questions – Today is your last opportunity to turn in questions for next weeks sermon. If you have a tough question you would like answered please fill out a card, located in The HUB, and place it in the offering box in the foyer.

Lunch Bunch ~ Ladies, do you want to have fun and eat with other West Side ladies? Come to Frisch's in Lebanon on Friday, May 3rd at noon for lunch.

Creek Weed Eating Team ~ Saturday, May 4th at 10:00 AM our weed eating team will meet to trim the creek bed. All are invited to join.

VBS Decorating Day ~ The next decorating day for VBS is Saturday, May 4th from 1:00 to 3:00 PM. All skill sets are needed. Hope to see you there!

Attention Parents & 4th – 8th Grade Students ~ There will be no class for 4th – 8th grade students today.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Summer Cookout Series ~ This summer we are creating a new monthly opportunity for church wide fellowship. Each month, from May through September, we will be hosting a Sunday Evening Cookout here at the church. The church will be supplying hot dogs, hamburgers, buns, condiments and lemonade. We are asking you to bring sides and desserts. Join us each night for fellowship, food, volleyball, bocce ball, basketball, cornhole, and more. We will be hosting these cookouts May 5th, June 30th, July 28th, August 25th, and a date TBD for September. Each cookout we will plan to start eating at 5:00 PM. **There is a sign up in the HUB for May 5th to help us ballpark how many hot dogs and hamburgers to purchase.** If you would like to help grill, set up tables, carry out supplies, and help clean up, please sign up in The HUB.

Young At Heart ~ Our next planned event is going to LaComedia to see *The Church Basement Ladies: Plowin' Thru* for a matinee' on Friday, May 17th. We need 20 people to attend to get the group discount. The discount rate is \$54 (plus a ticket fee). Sign up in The Hub. See Rick Barclay or Cheryl Fox for more information.

"Unique" All Daughter's Lunch ~ All ladies are invited to lunch on Saturday, May 11th at 12:30 P.M. We are all "unique" in God. Please sign up in The Hub for a count by May 5th. The meal is baked ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, roll and dessert. A suggested donation of \$5 per person is asked, but not necessary. Place donations in the offering box. Don't forget to make a Unique Hat for our Hat Parade. See Katelyn Meilstrup, Arlene Moore, or Bobbie Vires for any questions.



Wednesday Bible's Studies ~ Join us on Wednesday afternoons at 12:00 PM, with a brown bag lunch for Bible Study (study starts at 1:00 PM). If you cannot make Wednesday afternoons, join us every Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM. We are currently studying the book of Hebrews.

Sunday School ~ Please join us Sunday mornings for Sunday School at 9:00 AM in the fellowship hall. Everyone is welcome. Jon McCann, Eric Meilstrup, and Marty Egelston are currently leading the sessions through the book of James. Please feel free to ask any of them questions you may have.

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, mayo, BBQ sauce, and hot sauce (no mustard, please). We will be collecting these items in The HUB through Sunday May 19th.

Summer Camp at Butler Spring ~ Registration for camp at Bulter Springs is open. When you register West Side will pay 33% of the cost of camp. Use the code 20Lebanon24 when asked. To learn more about camp and what opportunities are available for your students see the camp's website at butlersprings.com or pick up a brochure in The HUB.



2024 Bible Reading Plan						
04/21/24	04/22/24	04/23/24	04/24/24	04/25/24	04/26/24	04/27/24
2 Samuel 1-3, Luke 18:1-17	2 Samuel 4-6, Luke 18:18-43	2 Samuel 7-9, Luke 19:1-27	2 Samuel 10-12, Luke 19:28-48	2 Samuel 13-14, Luke 20:1-26	2 Samuel 15-16, Luke 20:27-47	2 Samuel 17-18, Luke 21:1-19
Financial Report						
General Fund			Building & Capital		Attendance Last Week	
			Improvements Fund		117	
Weekly Budget Need		\$4,849.69	Previous Week Offering			
Previous Week Offering \$5,242.00		\$5,242.00	\$0.00			
Year to Date Offering		\$96,934.16	Building Fund Balance			
Year to Date Budget		\$72,745.35	\$35,421.14			

