



Wednesday March 25, 2020

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www.TrentonCrossingChurch.com



From Geoffrey's Desk . . .

Thank you for accessing this week's *Messenger*. I want to strongly encourage you to scroll down and take a look at "WAYS TO CONNECT THROUGHOUT THE WEEK," as well as our other items. We can still "be together" even though we are in different locations "house to house." As a matter of fact, I encourage you to take part in our **5th Sunday "VIRTUAL Potluck."** Have a meal in your home **this coming Sunday at lunchtime**, and post photos of the event. We can even compare dishes with one another!

I want to thank everyone who tuned in to our livestream this past Sunday morning at 10:00, and I appreciate the help given by **Jeff Shocklee** and **Chris**

Middleton. I also thank **Andy and Denise Cameron** for taking care of the technical aspects (with input from **Robert Kent**). Thank you for your input, as well. We will be doing it again **this Sunday at 10:00** (and for as long as needed), and I remind you that you do not need to be a member on Facebook in order to access our public Facebook page. Just go to www.facebook.com and enter a search for our page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing). In addition, as I already mentioned, there are a number of other ways to connect throughout the week, and they are laid out in one of the boxes below. As a matter of fact, two of them are **tonight, March 25, at 6:30**. At that time, I will be live streaming a devotional message on our Facebook page. At the same time, **Chris** will be conducting a midweek Bible class over Zoom with our youth group. I hope you can join us.

Finally, let's all remain in prayer for the situation we are dealing with in this community and all across the world, as well. I am looking for to the time we will be together again, and hopefully, it will not be long. In the meantime, stay safe—and let's do our best to stay "connected."

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TC 5th Sunday "VIRTUAL Potluck"

Plan to eat lunch at home with your family this Sunday. Take some pictures or videos to share on our Facebook page or the platform of your choice as we "eat together" even though we are apart!



WAYS TO CONNECT THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

As you know, these are unusual times, and we are not having any public gatherings until further notice. In the meantime, there are various ways that you can connect with us throughout the week, and a few of them are posted below.

PLEASE NOTE: You DO NOT need to be registered on Facebook in order to access our Facebook page. Simply go to www.facebook.com and go to our page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Tuesday at 10am - Children's Bible Storytime with Jill and Allee

Facebook Live on our Facebook page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Wednesday at 6:30pm - Youth Bible Study using Zoom

Chris Middleton will send out invites to the youth.

Wednesday at 6:30pm - Wednesday devotional with Geoffrey Sikes

Facebook Live on our Facebook page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Thursday at 2pm - Children's Bible Storytime with Jill and Allee

Facebook Live on our Facebook page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Thursday at 6pm - Study time with Jeff Shocklee using Zoom.

The link is: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/435041263...>

Meeting ID: 435 041 263

Password: 042129

Sunday at 10am – Live stream worship

Our Facebook Page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Our Website (www.trentoncrossingchurch.com)

YouTube (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Sunday at 11:30am (March 29) – 5th Sunday “VIRTUAL Potluck”

Plan to eat lunch at home with your family this Sunday. Take some pictures or videos to share on our Facebook page or the platform of your choice as we “eat together” even though we are apart!

Remember to call and check on people this week!



STAY HOME AND “JOIN US” THIS SUNDAY

By now, you should have gotten the word that we will **NOT BE MEETING** at our building until further notice. However, **This Sunday**, and for as many Sundays as necessary until we can once again assemble together, **we will be streaming a time of worship** (songs, prayer, communion, lesson) **live at 10:00 a.m.** There are 3 ways you can join us:

1. As always, you can tune in through our Facebook page (“Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing”). You DO NOT need to be a member of Facebook in order to access our page. Simply go to facebook.com and type in “Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing
2. In addition, we will also be streaming live over YouTube (also at “Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing”)
3. If you prefer, you can access the YouTube stream via our website (www.trentoncrossingchurch.com). Just scroll down on the opening page

Additionally, I remind you that financial obligations continue during this time, and I remind you of **several ways you can give** at this time:

1. One is through an **ACH** (Automatic Bank Draft). I thank those of you who already have this method in place. If you would like to set this up, you may stop by the office during the week.

2. You can also give via our **Webpage** (www.trentoncrossingchurch.com). Just scroll down to the bottom of the home page. Another method of giving is by using our **APP** ("Trenton Crossing Church"). Scroll down to the bottom of the opening page.
3. In addition, you can always bring a check by the office or mail it to: Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing, 2650 Trenton Road, Clarksville, TN 37040.
4. If none of these methods work for you at the time, let me encourage you to lay something aside each week so that you can give it once we are together again (see 1 Corinthians 16:2).

Although we will not be present in the same room, I am praying that as many of us as possible will be "together" this coming Sunday morning. In addition, we are working on other ways to stay connected during this time, and we will be letting you know about those. Continue to keep this situation in your prayers, and I will look forward to "being with you" you this Sunday.

Geoffrey



Upcoming Events (**Tentative**)

- **Sunday, April 12** - TC Easter Egg Hunt
- **Friday, April 17-Sunday, April 19** - Middle School/High School Spring Retreat at Lylewood Christian Camp
- **Friday, April 17** - Gateway Celebration in Song, Hilldale Church of Christ, 7pm-Midnight.
- **Friday, April 24-Sunday, April 26** - Elementary Spring Reteat at Lylewood Christian Camp

- **May 2** - TC Ladies Night. More info later.

**More information about Upcoming Events
can be found in the box below.**



Church News

- **TC VBS** - Mark your calendars and plan to be here for TC VBS! It will be Sunday, June 7, through Wednesday, June 10.
- **Flower Vases** - If you have any bud vases you can donate to the Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Class, they would be much appreciated. This month, they took flowers to our Homebound members. They are planning similar projects, and they need more vases. You can leave them on the table by the Sign-Up Board in the Worship Center. See Julia Boyd for more info.
- **Honduras Mission Trip** - The Honduras Mission Trip has been cancelled for the time being. There are many plans and costs associated with the trip. With the current world situation, the group in charge of the Mission Trip has decided to cancel. If things improve soon, the trip could be rescheduled.

- **TC Cancer Support** - The TC Cancer Support Group usually meets the 1st Thursday of each month at 7pm. However, they will not meet in April. This is for anyone who has or has had cancer as well as anyone who has a family member or friend with cancer. We want to encourage, educate, and support each other. See Karen Bradley for more info.
- **Parkinson's Awareness** - The Parkinson's Awareness Group meets here every 2nd Thursday at 3pm in the Fellowship Hall.
- **Dorcas Ministry** - The Dorcas Ministry meets every 2nd Thursday at 6pm in the Fellowship Hall.



TC Assistance

During this time of the Coronavirus, there are people who may not be able to leave their home for food, supplies, or medicines. If you, or someone you know, needs help in this area, please call the church office. We have members who are willing to help.



Computers

If you know of a church member who is in need of a computer to watch our streamed worship services, please contact the office. We have a member who has two older computers they are willing to donate to someone who needs them.



TC Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 12

Our Annual Easter Egg Hunt is currently planned for Sunday, April 12. **We need plastic eggs filled with either candy or treats.** There is a collection tub at the Welcome Center to collect the eggs. Or, you can drop your filled eggs off at the church office during regular working hours.



Lylewood Christian Camp

Spring Retreats

Middle School/High School

April 17-19

Elementary School

April 24-26

Applications are available
at: <https://lylewood.org/applications/>



COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS SCHEDULE UPDATE

As you know, the situation with the COVID-19 coronavirus outbreak is continually changing. We want you to know that we are closely monitoring the situation, and we will continue to inform you of any and all adjustments to our normal schedules.

For the present, in light of the latest CDC recommendations, there will be **NO GATHERINGS at our building until further notice**. During this time, we will be sending out updates on a regular basis via our website, emails, phone tree messages, *The Messenger* on Wednesdays, and *The Weekender* on Fridays.

In the meantime, please exercise caution. Please review the steps below to help protect yourself:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after you have been in a public place or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.

- Drink water regularly
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Stay home when you are sick
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow or cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, and then throw the tissue into the trash. Wash your hands immediately
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Reported illnesses have ranged from mild symptoms to severe illness and death for confirmed COVID-19 coronavirus cases.

The following symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure:

- Fever
- Dry Cough
- Shortness of breath

If you develop emergency warning signs for COVID-19, get medical attention immediately. Emergency warning signs include:

- Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath
- Persistent pain or pressure in the chest
- New confusion or difficulty awakening
- Bluish lips or face

This list is not all inclusive. Please consult your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning.



- **Treatments:** Allison Quinn finished her radiation treatments yesterday.
- **Deployed:** Jesse Banning, Paul Dalton, Brian Quinn, Andrew Warden
- **Continued Prayers:** Ray Berry, Joyce Carpenter, Susan Claud, Marta Dean, Marilyn Ezell, Lenetta Graves, Bob Lee, Bob Lewis, Scott Rawlins, Ann Suddeath, and Lillian Wright.
- **Home-Centered:** Linda Allen, Lucille Cherry, Jimmy & Betty Collier, Bessie Daniel, Frances Johnson, Virgie Mallory, Dorothy Oliver, and Edith Smith
- **Family & Friends:** Angel Darre and John Darre (Carol Shelton and George Shelton's neice and nephew); Pam Hinton (sister of Debbie Waynick); Terry & Betty McCormick (brother-in-law and sister of Debbie Waynick -- Terry has stage 4 cancer); Mindy Mimms (sister-in-law of Ben Mimms); Don Orth (father of Jenny Muiznieks); Linda Richard Self (friend of Karen Maglaughlin); and Lucian Wyatt (brother of Thomas Waynick), diagnosed with lung cancer.

- **Arcadia Senior Living:** Sylvia Perry, Room 101
(175 Chesapeake Lane, Clarksville, 37040), Lovetta Wright (Room 332)
- **Brookdale Senior Living:** Jo Rhoads, Room 509
(2183 Memorial Dr., 37043)
- **Clarksville Nursing & Rehab:** Jane Chitwood,
Room 605 (900 Professional Park Dr., 37040)
- **Jubilee House:** John Harrison, Room 114, (475
Bellamy Lane, 37043)
- **Uffelman:** Tammy Roe, Apt. 302: (215 Uffelman
Dr., 37043)
- **Walking Horse:** Anita Cooper, Room 125 (207
Uffelman Dr., 37043)



News From The WELL

Items you can help replenish:

- **Clothing Items:** (in great condition) Spring and summer clothes. New or gently used clothing. No holes, stains, or odors. **Please make sure zippers and buttons work. Items need to be stain-free and hole/rip-free.**
- **Food Item:** None at this time.

Volunteer and Drop-off Information:

- Please see the Friday Weekender for volunteer information and drop-off times
- We are always in need of help. Please come by during a posted time, or contact Jeff or Misty if you would like to help.
- Please do not leave donations outside
- We have designated times for you to drop your items off. We will be there to receive them at the posted times. If you cannot come during these times, please put your items in the green bin. If it is full, please leave your donation at Trenton Crossing or donate to another favorite place. We would rather your donations go to a good place that helps people than be left outside and ruined by the weather.

Well Contact Information:

931-802-2889

TheWell@TrentonCrossingChurch.com



Youth Group News

Sunday Morning 9:00am

Middle School Class (6th-8th)
High School Class (9th-12th)

Sunday Nights 5pm

Muiznieks home - 3006 Edgemont Dr.
This is an Intergenerational Life Group that welcomes all ages and includes the Youth Group.

Wednesday Nights 6:30pm

Middle School

High School

We will continue the study from Sunday with review,
memory work, and Scripture/Bible games.

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