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### THIS WEEKEND IS STEWARDSHIP WEEKEND

**Please be sure to bring your Pledge Cards (Time, Talent, and Treasures) with you to worship this weekend. You will be placing your Pledge Cards at the altar once the offering plate has passed your pew, during the Offertory.**

**We request all pledge cards be returned no later than Nov 1st.**

### KIDS' OFFERING

Starting this weekend and through the month of October, the kids are invited to share their faith by giving an offering. The money we collect at the beginning of the Children's Message will help feed kids and families through A Child's Hope International. More specifically, the money will go towards Hands Against Hunger an annual food packing event that will happen on November 10th that everyone is invited to participate in.



**Please mark your calendar for the Hands Against Hunger Event, 9 to noon at A Child's Hope International, 2430 E. Kemper Road, Sharonville (the old McSwain's Carpet building).**

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### Service Times

**Saturday @ 5:30 pm**  
Traditional Worship

**Sunday @ 8:30 am**  
Traditional Worship

**Sunday @ 10:45 am**  
Contemporary Worship

### Youth News

#### Sunday School

**Come join us:**

**High School:** 9th through 12th grade, join us in Room 3 (downstairs) as we study God's Word.

**Middle School:** 6th through 8th grade students, come to Room 2 downstairs for a Bible Study made just for you.

**Kids' Connect:** 2nd through 5th grade. Join us in Kids' Connect, Room 1, downstairs.



### OCTOBER JR. & SR. HIGH YOUTH ACTIVITIES

**28th - 4th Sunday** from 12 - 2 PM

(all Jr. & Sr. High youth are invited to enjoy an afternoon of lunch and an activity after the 10:45 service).

### FOLLOW US ON THE INTERNET!

Facebook & Twitter:  
"messiahgrh"

Web: [www.messiahgrh.org](http://www.messiahgrh.org)

Livestream the Worship Service on YouTube:  
"Messiah Lutheran Greenhills"



Decorate the "trunk" of your car and pass out candy to kids as they go trunk to trunk! Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are planning on decorating your car. Set up will begin at 6:20 in the back parking lot. Feel free to pick a theme for your car, dress up and get creative! Games and activities are welcome too!

Please refrain from any scary costumes or decorations.

If you have any questions please contact Hailey Robertson at [dce@messiahgrh.org](mailto:dce@messiahgrh.org)

### TRI-COUNTY SOUL MINISTRIES - CHANGES

**Little Lambs:** Age 3 through 1st grade. If your child is in this age group, please join us downstairs in Room 6 where children will learn the love of Jesus in a hands-on way.

### Adult Bible Studies

#### Sunday Morning

**Fellowship Hall:**  
Pastor Stuckwisch's education hour will continue with lessons on Stewardship throughout October.

**Lower Level Conference Room:**  
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The Sunday Morning Small Group is doing a bible study on Deuteronomy - Becoming Holy People. Come join us to discuss your faith and learn more about God's will for you in a small group setting. We meet every Sunday morning at 9:45 am for coffee, fellowship and participative discussions of our Christian faith.

New members are welcome at any time.

#### Wednesday - 10:15 am

**Ladies Bible Study**

#### Thursday - 7:00 pm

Tri-County SOUL Ministries is undergoing changes. The existing building will be updated and remodeled inside and out - as we were unable to raise enough money to build a completely new pantry. We hope to re-open the clothing ministry in January. We now have a 2nd rep on the board from Messiah - Diane Stephens has agreed to serve with Bunny Doebeling.

#### TRI-COUNTY SOUL MINISTRIES

Look for our new Facebook page under **Tri-County Soul Ministries and like us**. The more publicity of our mission, the better.

We once again served over 1,400 clients last month. Toothbrushes and hearty soups are welcome donations!

#### FALL WORK DAY

Our Fall work day at Messiah will be on Saturday, November 17th. We will start at 9:00 a.m. and plan to be finished by noon. It's a great opportunity for

fellowship as we work together to clean up the grounds and get the building ready for winter. Please

bring your yard tools, rakes, clippers, trimmers, etc. There will be both outdoor and indoor projects to help with. Hope to see you there!



#### PRINCE OF PEACE THANKSGIVING DINNER

Important activity in November will be another opportunity to support the Prince of Peace Congregation in Over-the-Rhine. Last year Messiah was asked to join with another Congregation and put on a Pre-Thanksgiving Meal for the homeless in OTR, a Cincinnati downtown neighborhood. This year the meal will be Wednesday Nov 14th and we are being asked to put on the entire meal ourselves. The turkeys will be provided and we will do the rest. This is the biggest free meal of the year for the Homeless in OTR and they look

**Men's Bible Study -  
Cancelled until further  
notice.**

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**Upcoming Message:**

**October 20-21, 2018**  
"It's All About Christ"

forward to it with great anticipation. Pastor Suguitan makes sure this is a special meal by providing a dining experience where the homeless are served by waiters while sitting at tables with table cloths and place settings. The homeless are lined up for hours and it usually takes two or three seating's to get everyone fed. Messiah will need to provide 20 Servers. Others will be needed to prepare side dishes. We will meet at church at about 4:45 PM to carpool downtown. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Please consider helping to make this a special dinner for our less fortunate neighbors in downtown Cincinnati.

**BUTTER BRAID FROZEN PASTRY - FUNDRAISER**

Our friends at the Greenhills Coop Preschool are having a Butter Braid frozen pastry dough fundraiser. These loaves of pastry dough are filled with different choices of either fruit, cream cheese, or two other varieties. The order forms are on the counter in the office - deadline to place your order is October 24th. They look delicious!



**TRINITY LUTHERAN'S ANNUAL OKTOBERFEST  
DINNER**

Join the members of Trinity Lutheran Church and celebrate the Gemutlichkeit at their annual Oktoberfest Dinner. The dinner will be held on Saturday, Oct. 20th, beginning at 4 PM at Trinity Lutheran (5921 Springdale Road) with the last seating at 7 PM. A meal including beef goulash, spaetzle, red cabbage, green beans and bread is \$15 for adults/\$10 for children 7-12. Or a brat, mett or hot dog meal, including German potato salad and cole slaw is \$10 adults/\$6 children 7-12.

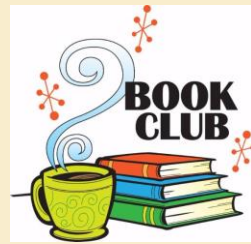
A free kids meal for children 6 and under is available including a hot dog, side item, dessert and drink. Reservations are suggested and can be made online at [www.trinitylutherancincinnati.com](http://www.trinitylutherancincinnati.com) or by calling Leslie at 513-675-5030. Payment can be made with cash or check and can be paid at the door.

#### **NOVEMBER BOOK CLUB**

Book Club will meet at the home of Barb Degenhardt,  
3547 Lee's Ford, Hamilton  
45011 at 2:30 p.m.

on Nov. 11 to discuss the book  
"The Color of Fear" by Marcia  
Muller. This latest Sharon  
McCone Mystery centers on  
her father (a Shoshone artist)

becoming the victim of a  
racially motivated attack. Come join us for a lively  
discussion!



#### **NOVEMBER/DECEMBER OWLS**

No OWLS in November. We will travel to Music Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 12 for a 10:30 a.m. Christmas concert featuring the Mighty Wurlitzer Organ in the ballroom. Sign the list in the narthex if you'd like to get a ticket for \$24.



**Upcoming dates for OWLS:** Upcoming Artworks program on Wednesday, January 16 (note the change of day) This will feature the story behind all of the beautiful wall murals in downtown Cincinnati (and Finneytown, too). We are selling tickets as this program costs \$175, so please sign the sheet if you'd like to be included!!

#### **ELECTION DAY COVERAGE-THANK YOU**

Thank you to all who have signed up for coverage on Election Day, November 6th. Your help is appreciated.

## INGATHERING AND JOINT REFORMATION SERVICE

Sunday, October 28th there will be an Auxiliary Hymn Sing and Joint Reformation Service hosted by the Federation at St Paul Lutheran Church at 3:00 and 4:00 pm. The speaker this year will be Rev. Dr. Lawrence R. Rast Jr. Rev. Rast will also be the 150th Anniversary Speaker at St Paul on Saturday, October the 27th at 3:30 pm. Topic: "What it Means to be Lutheran in America". Please see the poster on the bulletin board in the Narthex.



## 2019 MESSIAH NOMINATION SLATE

Messiah has several open positions on our Leadership Teams. These are excellent opportunities to provide Christian service while utilizing the skills that God has given you. Both men and women are eligible for the Leadership Teams, and men are eligible for the Elder positions.

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|-------------------------|---|
| Elder                   | 1 |
| Property Manager        | 1 |
| Care Coordinator        | 1 |
| Family Ministries       | 2 |
| Hospitality Coordinator | 1 |

Please contact Chris Berndt ([berndt\\_chris@yahoo.com](mailto:berndt_chris@yahoo.com) or phone 513-755-6110) or the Church Office, if you would be willing to serve in one of these positions.

## PRAYER WALK

Please join us for a "Prayer Walk" on October 21, from 12:00 p.m. (immediately after the 10:45 a.m. worship service) until approximately 1:00 p.m. Further information in this weekend's bulletin.

## CHILI COOK-OFF

On Saturday evening, November 3rd,

beginning at 7:00 p.m. we are once again having Messiah's chili cook-off. There will be good food, fun, fellowship and prizes. Sign-up by October 28th to enter your chili.



#### **ANGEL WISHES**

The Angel Wishes program continues for our clients who are part of our Caring Center. There are 38 families currently in this program whom we help at Christmas time with practical things that



can help their current situation - car repairs, utility payments, computers for work or school, dental work, etc. We ask for you to donate any amount you would like as you prayerfully consider this. We need approximately \$11,000. (G.E.

employees- remember your gift can be doubled). There will be a box in the narthex to place your donations made out to Tri-County SOUL Ministries - or you can include with your Messiah donation - earmarked for TCSM Angel Wishes. These families are active Christians who just need a little boost! The deadline for gifts is Dec. 16.

#### **MESSIAH T-SHIRTS**

Get a new Messiah T-shirt-only \$5.00 !!! For sale in the narthex on Sunday. At the present time we have adult size Medium and adult size Large. We will be happy to take orders. See Sandy Walter.

#### **PROGRESSIVE DINNER 2018**

Mark your calendars for Messiah's 2018 Progressive Christmas Party on Sunday Dec. 9th. We will be meeting in three member's homes in Indiana this year. Come and join in the fun and socialize with your fellow Messiah members and friends.





Look for more information about time and a sign-up sheet in the coming weeks. There is a possibility that we can rent a Van so more people can go in one vehicle.

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Office closed on Friday**

