## **CELEBRATE**

Sarah Hileman ~ Today Daylight Savings Begins ~ Today Pi Day ~ March 14 World Essential Workers Day ~ March 15

If we don't have your special days, please let us know!

#### **Nursery Care**

Available during 11am service for 0-2 year olds in the Nursery. (If needed, a "Cry Room" is available in the Sprouts Room during the service for children accompanied by an adult.)

#### \* Do We Have Your Email? \*

If you don't receive the Scoop, bulletin, prayer requests, etc. and wish to, please send your email address to <code>jlynch02@gmail.com</code> or <code>commonground.secretary@gmail.com</code>. Thank you!

#### **Prayer Requests**

Email the secretary by early Monday morning for inclusion in the weekly Joys & Concerns, or anytime to have a prayer request sent.

#### **Benevolence**

If you have a need, please let Monica Guy or Jennifer Lynch know. Requests will be kept confidential. Benevolence Fund offerings are collected quarterly, when there is a 5th Sunday in a month.

#### Offerings

If your donation is for a specific area of ministry, please indicate this on check memo line or envelope.

Contributions so noted will be recorded for your tax records.

Offering envelopes may be found on table near Sanctuary doors.

(Goodness Grows contributions are made out directly to GG.)

Everything in the heavens and earth is yours, O Lord. - 1 Chronicles 29:11

#### Coat, Clothing, (& More!) Giveaway - October 19, 2024

Let people know we collect clean, useable items year-round for this annual event, in donation barrel or behind warehouse.

#### **Online Worship**

Streaming on www.connectinglife.church then posted to Facebook.



#### **Goodness Grows**

For information on our Non-Profit Mission Project, go to: www.goodnessgrows4all.org

#### **Common Ground Church Community**

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March 10, 2024

# Welcome to Common Ground!

Seeking to reflect the unconditional love of God, our mission is to help people connect to God, to one another,
and to God's purpose for the world.

We pray that you experience a sense of connection today to God, His people, and His world.

Come Grow With Us!

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## March 10-17, 2024

Today, 10:20-10:50am ~ Fellowship Time

Today, 11am ~ Worship

Tonight, 6pm ~ Young Adult LifeGroup

Weekdays, 8:30am-2:30pm ~ GG at Work

Tuesday, 10am ~ LifeGroup

Wednesday, 10am ~ Prayer Group

Wednesday, 6:30pm ~ RCC Elders Meeting

Thursday, 6:30pm ~ Praise Team

Friday, 9am ~ Ladies Bible Study

Friday, 6pm ~ Hartley LifeGroup

Saturday, 9-11am ~ H&H Build an Easter Basket

Sunday, 9:30-10:20am ~ Bible Breakout

## **Ladies Morning Bible Study**

Next month we will begin a study of the Sermon on the Mount. Books have arrived. Talk to Jen Shannon if you would like to jump into this study.

## **Coming Up This Month**

March 17 - Pastoral Intern Austin Young Preaching

March 31 - Benevolence Sunday

## **Holy Week Services**

March 24 - Palm Sunday

March 28 - Maundy Thursday Tenebrae Service

**March 31 -** Easter Potluck Breakfast - Bible Breakout classes & Fellowship Time will not be held on Easter Sunday. Bring your favorite breakfast dish to share and enjoy time together on this special day.

## Heroes & Halos Build an Easter Basket Event

Thank you for the donations of candy for our Easter event! Our families will gather on Saturday, March 16, from 9-11am (while supplies last) to fill baskets with goodies for their kids. Volunteers to help are most welcome! Kids can be dropped off upstairs in the Activity Room to play under adult supervision while parents fill baskets in the warehouse. Please keep these H&H families in your prayers. We'd love to see you next Saturday - fun and smiles guaranteed!

## Rock Kidz Uganda ~ rockkidzuganda.org

Divine Junior School is continuing to expand! At this time, there are more than 300 students learning and growing at the school. Support for our students and building project is needed and appreciated.

# Goodness Grows ~ goodnessgrows4all.org

Take a walk around the grounds to see all the signs of spring popping up and to see the clean up we've been working on. Want to get outside and dig into the gardens and woods with us? Volunteers always welcome! Talk to Rachel Vignon.

## WORSHIP

11:00am Pastor Mike Hileman

#### **Time of Meditation**

Always

#### Call to Worship

Scripture Reading/Prayer: Jen & Audrey Shannon Psalm 23

## **Songs of Worship**

Here for You These Thousand Hills Holy Is The Lord

## Scripture

Hebrews 8:1-6

## Message

The Main Point

#### Closing Song

We Believe

## **Joys and Concerns**

Frank Snyder

## The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread,

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever.

Amen.

## **Benediction**

Have a blessed week, and may you leave with a sense of God's Grace and the knowledge of your responsibility to His World!

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# Offering Our Gifts & Our Lives

(Offering Boxes Available)
You are invited to express your gratitude to God and commitment to God's purposes through offerings and spiritual gifts.

All of you together are Christ's body, and each of you is a part of it.

1 Corinthians 12:27