CELEBRATE!

Forgiveness Day ~ June 26 Hannah Hileman ~ June 30 National Postal Workers Day ~ July 1

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

* 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.

Children's Sunday Morning Programs

Nursery Care: Newborn-3 in Nursery / Collide Kids Jr.: Ages 3-6 in Sprouts Room / Collide Kids Church: Grades 1-4 in Activity Room

VBS 2023 ~ July 17-21, 6-8pm

Have you registered for blast-off at STELLAR VBS???

Blessing Box Available

Requests for help will be kept confidential.

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

Ongoing Coat, Clothing, & More Collection

Spread the word! We collect clean, useable items year-round. Please put in donation barrel or behind warehouse. Collecting specific food items & monetary donations to purchase them by 10/8.

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

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June 25, 2023

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

June 25-July 2, 2023

Today, 10:15am ~ Fellowship Time

Today, 11am ~ Worship & Collide Ministries

Today, 6pm ~ Young Adult LifeGroup

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

Tuesday, 9am ~ LifeGroup Breakfast at Adele's

Wednesday, 10am ~ Prayer Group

Wednesday, 10am ~ GG at Fitness For All

Thursday, 4-7pm ~ CSA Pick Up

Thursday, 6:30pm ~ Praise Team

Friday, 9am ~ Ladies Bible Study (Name Above All Names)

Saturday, 5:30pm ~ Bartholomew LifeGroup Bonfire

Sunday, 9:30am ~ Sunday Morning Bible Study

Sunday ~ Outdoor Worship & Communion Sunday

Welcome Pastor Emmanuel & Family

We are honored to have Pastor Emmanuel Masa, his son Jeff, and daughter Mariah with us this morning all the way from India! His wife Sharon and their daughter Lindsey are still home. Since 2020, Pastor Emmanuel has been a faithful prayer partner of our church. Pastor Emmanuel's ministry is extensive. It includes overseeing a network of thirty pastors, helping them with church activities, training, church planting, and whatever other support they may need. He also facilitates planting pastors in remote villages containing unreached people groups located in the mountains surrounding his town. Welcome!!!

Wednesday Morning Prayer Group ~ 10am

Meet at the Jackson's or join in via Zoom. Zoom ID: 6936117456/Password: prayer

Bartholomew LifeGroup

Saturday, July 1, 5:30pm - Bonfire at the Bartholomew's with fireworks at Eileen Kappler's later in the evening.

Outdoor Worship Dates Set

July 2 - July 30 - August 27 - September 24
Meeting in courtyard between church & warehouse.
Chairs & canopies will be set up but feel free to bring your own. Collide kids will remain in service. Invite a friend, bring your Bible, and join us as we Worship out in the beauty of God's creation!

Hospitality Ministry

Jump in and serve on our Hospitality Team! Sign up sheet on the front desk. Talk to Joyce Jackson with questions.

Stellar VBS News ~ July 17-21, 6-8pm

Blast off with Stellar VBS and help us shine Jesus' light to the world! Register today & invite friends. Please stop by the donation board to see if there are items you can provide. (Donations due by July 9.) Recycle your 2-liter bottles by donating them to VBS - hoping for 60 clean, empty bottles for a project. Decoration making & set up days scheduled for July 9, 6-8pm & July 15, 9am-12pm. Please wear old clothes as paint may be involved.

Rock Kidz Uganda ~ rockkidzuganda.org

There is still time to write letters to the students in Masaka. Info available in the Great Room. Talk to Marilee to hear about how much letters mean to these children!

Goodness Grows ~ goodnessgrows4all.org

Cranberry Jalapeno Jungle Jam on sale for \$5, talk to Rachel. CSA pick up days start this Thursday, 4-7pm!

WORSHIP

11:00am Pastor Mike Hileman

Good Morning and Welcome

Song of Meditation

Nothing But the Blood

Call to Worship

Scripture Reading/Prayer: The Cole Family Romans 5

Songs of Worship

Hymn of the Ages Grace Greater Than Our Sin Simplicity

Scripture

Philippians 4:14-19

Message

A Thankful Pastor

Closing Song

He Is

Joys and Concerns

Joyce Jackson

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!

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