

## CELEBRATE!

Sally Carrier - Today  
Grandparents Day - Today  
Kempsie D'Andrea - September 12  
Cathy Bartholomew - September 13  
Cormac Bendersmith - September 14  
Sue Weaver - September 15  
National POW/MIA Recognition Day - September 17

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

## Get Connected!

If you have a prayer request to write down, write it on the back of our "Get Connected" cards - found on the table in front of the bulletins and on tables with Bibles in the Sanctuary. Then drop it off at the front desk. You may also email the CGCC secretary by early Monday morning for inclusion in the Joys & Concerns email, or anytime to have a prayer request sent out.

## Children's Sunday Morning Programs

Available during Worship.

Nursery Care: Newborn-3 in Nursery, Collide Kids Jr.: Ages 3-6 in Sprouts Room, Collide Kids Church: Grades 1-4 in Activity Room  
*Worship, a lesson, crafts, games, and other ways to grow in Jesus.*

## 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 items year-round to help others. Please drop them off in the donation barrel or take them upstairs to the Green Room. All clean & useable donations appreciated.

## Bulletin Board

Please see the bulletin board for additional information - upcoming events, sign-up sheets, and more!

## Goodness Grows



For information on our Non-Profit Mission Project, go to: [www.goodnessgrows4all.org](http://www.goodnessgrows4all.org)

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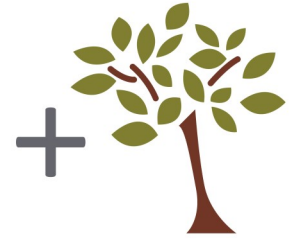
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SERVING TOGETHER

September 12, 2021

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

### On the Calendar: September 12-19, 2021

Today, 11am ~ Worship & Collide Sunday Ministries  
Today ~ Collide Move Up Day  
Tonight, 6pm ~ Young LifeGroup at Hileman's  
Monday-Friday, 8:30am-2:30pm ~ GG at Work  
Wednesday, 10am ~ Morning Prayer Group  
Wednesday, 6:30-7:30pm ~ Collide & Hileman LifeGroup  
Thursday, 4-7pm ~ CSA Pick-Up  
Thursday, 6:30pm ~ Praise Team  
Friday, 9am ~ Ladies Morning Bible Study  
Sunday, 9:30am ~ Bible Study

### **Good Morning and Welcome**

#### **Sunday Morning Bible Study ~ 9:30am**

The Book of 1 Thessalonians

#### **Ladies Bible Study ~ Fridays, 9am**

*Discerning the Voice of God* by Priscilla Shirer

Please read Introduction before we begin this Friday.

### **LifeGroups**

Young LifeGroup: Sundays, 6pm at the Hileman's  
Hileman LifeGroup: *Starts this Wednesday, 6:30-7:30pm*  
Bartholomew LifeGroup: Starts September 24, 6:30pm  
Weimer LifeGroup: Starts September 28, 10am

#### **Wednesday Morning Prayer Group ~ 10am**

Zoom Meeting ID: 6936117456, Password: prayer  
Next few weeks, meeting at CGCC & on Zoom.

#### **Children's Ministry & Youth Group**

##### **Collide Kids Wednesday is back!**

THIS WEDNESDAY, 6:30pm-7:30pm

Students ages 3-8th grade are invited to join us for:

- \* Collide Kids Jr. ~ Ages 3-PreK (Sprouts Room)
- \* Collide Kids ~ Grades 1-4 (Activity Room)
- \* Collide Middle School ~ Grades 5-8 (Blue Room)

**NEW Collide Sr. High LifeGroup to begin this fall!**

#### **Collide Volunteers Needed**

Calling all faith-filled folks who can join us in serving our kids on Sundays and/or Wednesdays. Please take a Volunteer Application & Background Check Form so we can approve you for service...and fun!

#### **Outdoor Worship ~ Next Sunday**

Bring your family, a friend, your Bible, a camping chair, and your voice to join us in outdoor worship!

#### **CLC Membership Sunday ~ Next Sunday**

We're excited to welcome Austin Young & Delania Link into our partnership. They are such a blessing to all!

#### **2022 Directory Family Information**

Please fill out a card from Library Table. Return to Library table or front desk by September 26. Thank you!

#### **Coat & Clothing (& More!) Giveaway ~ October 16**

Take a card from round table & help spread the word!

#### **Rock Kidz Uganda, Inc. ~ rockkidzuganda.org**

There are new children in need of sponsors!

#### **Goodness Grows ~ goodnessgrows4all.org**

CSA pick up Thursdays thru September 23.

Our jam now in the Columbiana Chamber office.

## WORSHIP

11:00am

Pastor Mike Hileman

### **Announcements**

### **Songs of Worship**

*Happy Day*

*Rescuer*

*Where I Belong*

### **Prayer**

### **Scripture**

*1 Peter 1:3-5*

### **Message**

*Sojourners Part 4:*

*The Benefits of New Birth*

### **Closing Song**

*The Blessing*

### **Joys and Concerns**

#### **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