

## WORSHIP & MUSIC

Worship with us on Sundays at 8:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday school classes meet from 9:45 a.m.-10:45 a.m. Nursery and Preschool (Kingdom Kids) are provided all three hours. Kids kindergarten age and older attend worship with their family.

### A Cedar Springs Christmas Carols for the Eve of Christ

Sunday, December 3 - 3:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.  
Invite your friends to join in worship with us through this beautiful celebration of Christmas.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner

**November 1 from 5:00 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.**

in the Family Life Center Gym

**The menu is Petro's, Hot Dogs, Queso and Tortilla Chips, Chocolate Chip Cookies, and Hint of Orange Tea.**

**Cost is Adults \$8, Kids \$5 total family cost \$30.**

### Cancellations

**Adult Sunday School, Team Kids, Kingdom Kids, and Nursery** (middle hour) will not meet on **Sunday, November 26**, due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

### Deaths

**We express our condolences to:**

►Andrew and Rachel Duncan and family in the death of Andrew's grandmother, Colleen Gregory Duncan, on October 11.

►Roland and Karen Shankles and family in the death of their son, David Shankles, on October 10.

►Tim and Leisha Smith and family in the death of Leisha's mom, Myra Queener, on October 7.

►The family and friends of Ann Novinger who died on October 6.

►Adella Thompson, Catherine Vance Thompson Wynn (Breezy Wynn), B. Ray Thompson III, Sarah Thompson, and Rebekah Palmer in the death of their mother, Juane Thompson, on October 4.

►Clay and Bisha Harrington in the death of Bisha's aunt, Jeanette Saino, on September 25.

►Carl and Bev Faught in the death of Carl's brother-in-law, Phillip Evans, on September 15.

### Births

**We rejoice with:**

►Jay and Allie Dempsey in the birth of their son, William Coyle Dempsey, on October 20. Proud grandparents are John and Margaret Dempsey.

►Dawson and Emily Halliday in the birth of their daughter, Esther Carlynn Halliday, on October 19. Proud grandparents are Scott & Kim Jackson and Ed & Janice Halliday.

►Michael and Kim Goldsborough in the birth of their daughter, Rosemary "Rosie" Alice Goldsborough, on October 12.

►Nick and Bethany French in the birth of their son, Nicholas Parks French, on October 4. Proud grandparents are Steve & Diane Sayers and Rena & John Amerson.

►Scott and Megan Cantrell in the birth of their son, Hunter Allan Cantrell, on October 3. Proud grandparents are Bill and Amy Broome.

►Jonathan and Heather Holt in the birth of their son, Thomas Andrew Holt, on September 30. Proud grandparents are Andy and Mary Bond Holt.

►Keith and Shelley Percic in the birth of their son, Azariah James Percic, on September 29.

►Jordan and Jenny Cross in the birth of their son, Jordan Cooper Cross, on September 23. Proud grandparents are Kevin and Stephanie Cross.

►Karlo and Erika Rodriguez in the birth of their daughter, Mila Rodriguez, on September 14.

### Weddings

**Congratulations to:**

►Donny and LeAnn (Nutt) Pember who were married on October 14.

### New Members

**We welcome these new members:**

Angel Bahati, Larry & Karyn Bass, Heather Bond, Jackie Carpenter, Michael & Amber Clifton, Chris & Jennifer Cox, Shirley Davis, Nathaniel Estabrooks, Harold & Lauren Fevrier, John & Sue Fiet, Adam & Heather Hayes, Stephanie Hill, Jared & Lacey Hill, Mary Kay Horton, Cathy Johnston, Sean & Rachel LeBoeuf, Katherine Lown, Yvonne Mandoche, Chris & Rebekah Page, Cody & Brittany Payne, Jonathan & Emily Robbins, Jack & Sue Sanford, Chris & Olivia Shafer, Dean & Ann Skadberg, Zach & Anna Lora Taylor, Joe & Jean Thompson, Michael & Lynn Towle, Don & Roberta Walker, and John & Kate Watson.

### Adult Electives Starting in December

We are offering two new electives from December 3-17. "Watch & Wait" will be led by Jim Branch and meet in the chapel. Matt Avery will be teaching "The Hidden Gift of Unwanted Holiday Emotions" in B224.

**Cancer Support Group** is an outreach ministry that will meet November 8 at 4:00 p.m. in the Conference Center (B137). Men and women who are going through cancer treatment, in remission, or are caretakers of cancer patients are welcome.

## CHILDREN’S MINISTRIES

### T.E.A.M. Kids!

Children (K-5th) meet in the Family Life Center during on Sundays from 9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. for worship, teaching and small groups.

### Kids Small Group (KSG) Worship and Discipleship – aka Journey

K-5th graders have the opportunity to “Journey” together to learn more about Jesus and His plan for their lives. There is a \$15 fee for each child to register to cover the material. Register at [cspc.net](http://cspc.net) or call Shari Fitzsimmons at (865) 692-5501. **Last KSG for this Fall will be November 15. KSG will resume January 10.**

►**Join the team** of volunteers who share the love of Christ in fun and engaging ways. Contact Kris Johnson/birth-5 years (865) 291-5242 or Alisha Ballenger/K-5th grade (865) 291-5278. We also need assistant leaders for Kids Small Group (KSG) for K-5th grade children. Contact Alisha Ballenger at (865) 291-5278

## MIDDLE SCHOOL

**Sunday School** for Middle School is 9:45 a.m - 10:45 a.m.

**Quake** - Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Watershed.

## HIGH SCHOOL

**The Gathering** (Sunday School) is Sunday from 9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

**TNT** (Youth Group) Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Watershed.

**Volunteer Ministry** - Meet at the Watershed the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 4:00 p.m. We will take a bus downtown to the VMC, serve dinner and then stop for dinner on the way home. We return to the Watershed by 7:00 p.m.

## SPORTS OUTREACH

Register online for basketball at [cspc.net/sports](http://cspc.net/sports). Evaluation clinics will be held November 6-7.

## COLLEGE AGE MINISTRIES

**The Conversation** - a college age Sunday morning gathering meets at 9:45 a.m. in the Conversation Room in the Watershed. Contact Steve Moldrup via email at [stevemoldrup@cspc.net](mailto:stevemoldrup@cspc.net).

## YOUNG ADULT

**Pursuit** is a class for couples and families in their 20s and early 30s. Sundays at 9:45 a.m. in B242.

**Journeys** class is couples in their 30s - 40s who are building relationships through Christ and walking together through the journeys of marriage, parenting and spiritual growth. Sundays at 9:45 a.m. in Ruby Falls (W124).

## WOMEN’S MINISTRIES

**CARESS Ministry** is for Christian women who find themselves in abusive relationships. If you should find yourself in such a relationship, please reach out for help; we are open to new clients all the time. This is a faith-based care/support group offered throughout the year and carefully designed to meet the emotional and spiritual needs of women who have been, or are in, a domestic abuse relationship. Contact Suzanne Stelling via email at [suzanne@cspc.net](mailto:suzanne@cspc.net).

**CAYA Moms** - We are inviting all moms of elementary-age children to come and enjoy the friendship, fellowship, and support of other moms in the same season. Registration is online at [cspc.net/studiesforwomen](http://cspc.net/studiesforwomen).

### Creatives Ministries

**Beginning Knitting Classes** are offered 10 a.m. to noon on Mondays in the Watershed Room 109. Come learn how to make simple hats to donate for children undergoing chemotherapy at Children’s Hospital. There is a \$25 charge for supplies. To register, contact Mary Carson at (865) 805-7510.

**Made with the Love of Jesus** - If you have a mission heart for children, and if you sew and are willing to pray, join us to create stuffed animals for local and international children in need at hospitals, shelters, and homes. Call Angela Godel at (865) 748-9022 to find out more.

**Quilting Ministry** helps you make a quilted item (lap quilt, pillow, place mats or wall hanging) from the t-shirts, jeans, or clothing of a loved one who has died. Next meetings are: December 5 and January 16, Welcome Center (B141) from 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Contact Donna Barton (865) 806-8615. Nursery (birth-preK) is available with a reservation with Wendy (865) 291-5237.

**Flying Solo**, study and support for single moms, meets Wednesdays, 6:15 p.m.-7:45 p.m. in the Welcome Center, B141. We would love for you to join our study, “Steadfast Love,” based on Psalm 107. Nursery for preschool and classes for school age children are available while we meet. Plan to attend our Family Thanksgiving Dinner Friday evening, November 17.

**Friday Morning Study** meets weekly at 9:30 a.m. in the Parlor. They are currently discussing the book *A Time for Confidence: Trusting God in a Post-Christian Society* by Stephen J. Nichols.

**Homeschool Support Group** meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room on the 4th Monday of each month during the school year.

**Just Moved** is a Christ-centered study for those new to Knoxville. It meets on Mondays at 9:30 a.m. in the Parlor (B211) during the school year for study, fellowship, encouragement and friendship. Limited nursery during class by reservation with Wendy at (865) 291-5237.

**Middle School Moms** - We are reading *Sticky Faith: Everyday Ideas to Build Lasting Faith in your Kids* by Dr. Kara E. Powell and Dr. Chap Clark. Meetings are at 9:30 a.m. in the Welcome Center (B141). Email Elizabeth Mardesen to register at [emardesen@yahoo.com](mailto:emardesen@yahoo.com).

**Passing It Back** - Young moms are invited to join us in times of fellowship, teaching and discussion to glean the wisdom of older moms as they share what they wish they had understood as young moms. You are invited to seven Mondays of teaching and discussion. Each of the seven Mondays focuses on a new aspect of raising children who are emotionally, mentally, and spiritually healthy. If you want to go deeper, you are welcome to return to a second Monday, in between, for additional discussion and application. The November meetings are the 13th and 27th.

**PEP Moms**, a group for moms, (pregnant to preschoolers) will meet November 14, 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall with check-in the Reception Hall. Register online at [cspc.net/studiesforwomen](http://cspc.net/studiesforwomen).

**Precept** is studying Ezra/Haggai (“Rebuilding the Temple”) and Nehemiah (“Rebuilding, Revival, and Restoration”). The class meets in B203 from 10 a.m. to noon. Register online at [cspc.net/studiesforwomen](http://cspc.net/studiesforwomen). Order your workbooks from Precept at [precept.org](http://precept.org) or 1-800-763-8280.

**SideBySide Knoxville** is an outreach ministry for medical and dental wives, including wives of students, residents, fellows, attending and practicing physicians or dentists. We are reading “Own Your Life” this fall. Following the academic calendar, we meet the 2nd, 4th, and 5th (when applicable) Mondays of the month from 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Birth to preK childcare is available. Register with Wendy at (865) 291-5237.

**Wednesday Fellowship** is a women’s Bible study with a long history at CSPC. Members bring their friends and neighbors to study and discuss God’s word together. On Wednesdays at 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel we study *While We Wait for Our Beloved*, working through Philippians, Song of Solomon, Jonah, Nahum and James. The materials cost is \$10. Nursery and a teaching time is provided for our little ones. Register online at [cspc.net/studiesforwomen](http://cspc.net/studiesforwomen).

**Wednesday Evening Women’s Bible Study** meets 6:15 p.m.-7:30 p.m. in B224 during the school year. No book is needed; just bring your Bible. We are studying the parables of Jesus. Nursery (birth - preK) is provided. Register with Wendy at (865) 291-5237.

**Women on Mission** is a comprehensive multi-generational gathering of women meeting monthly for fellowship, learning, and service. Our next meeting is Tuesday, November 14. Daytime circles meet at 9:30 a.m. Our evening circle #10 meets at 6:00 p.m. in the Visitor’s Center at church (B141).

**WOM Outreach Days** are the 3rd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Anyone is welcome to join us. November 21: Ronald McDonald House, Circle 5. Contact Cynthia Jones at (865) 679-8241) to plan and serve lunch for all the families there. Mobile Meals, Circle 2. Contact Chris Nixon at (865) 816-3942 to help deliver lunches. November 28: KARM Prayer Ministry.

All circles and CSPC members are invited to bring prayer cards and help pray over the beds in the women’s dorm.

**Christmas Joy Luncheon** is December 2. We are expecting about 70 guests from various agencies in Knoxville. Items needed for goody bags: small sizes of shampoo and conditioner, socks, ponytail holders, Chapstick, and fingernail polish. Leave in a labeled bin in the cabinet under the sheep picture in the café area. Donations needed for gift room: gently used purses, tote bags, necklaces and scarves. Place them in the basket provided behind the reception desk café area.

**Women’s Sunday Study** - Join us as we journey through 12 different Psalms learning and practicing these prayers of the heart. We will discover how the Psalms show us how to relate to God as we pray through our doubt, fears and anger. These Psalms will also show us how to respond to God in praise. Sundays at 9:45 a.m. in B212.

## WEEKDAY SCHOOL

The Weekday School is now accepting applications for several afternoon positions paying \$10/hour. Applicants must be high school graduates, preferably with past paid child care experience, and have availability till 6:00 p.m. For more information and to apply, please contact the school at 291-5264. College students are encouraged to apply!

## MISSION & REFUGEE MINISTRIES

### HOLIDAY OUTREACH

**Thanksgiving Food Drive Boxes** - Pick up boxes beginning Sunday, October 29.

**Thanksgiving Luncheon at Cagle Terrace** - Wednesday, November 15 at 12:00 p.m. Help serve turkey and all the fixings to the

residents of Cagle Terrace, a low-income high-rise apartment complex located on Sutherland Avenue housing elderly and disabled residents. Volunteers are needed to help serve the meal, fellowship with the residents, and play bingo after lunch. Sign up online to volunteer.\*

### Refugee Thanksgiving Celebration

Saturday, November 11.

This will take place in the Watershed and the afternoon will include the potluck meal and fellowship, activities for the children, and a performance by the WordPlayer's Playback Theater Troupe. Volunteers are needed to make the families feel welcome, help with the meal, and help with games and activities for the children. Sign up online.\*

**Angel Tree** - Begins Sunday, November 12. Return gifts by Sunday, December 3. Pick up your angel in Reception Hall on Sunday mornings.

**Operation Christmas Child** (Samaritan's Purse) - Share the love of Jesus Christ with a needy child in countries from Nicaragua to Madagascar by filling a shoe box with gifts. Brochures and the boxes will be available for pick-up in Reception Hall Sunday mornings beginning October 29 until they are gone. Return boxes by November 19.

**Salvation Army Bell Ringers** - Sign up in Reception Hall on Sunday mornings in November to ring the bell at the Cedar Bluff Kroger from November 27 - December 2.

**Light Up Lonsdale** - Wednesday, November 29, 6:00 p.m. Donate Christmas lights (new or used) to Thrive Lonsdale before November 24 then bring your family or group on November 29 at 6:00 p.m. for a time of food and fellowship before hanging the lights up in the Lonsdale community. For more information and to volunteer your group, contact Becca at [volunteer@thrivelonsdale.com](mailto:volunteer@thrivelonsdale.com).

**WOM Christmas Joy Luncheon** - Saturday, December 2. Ladies who are staying in area women's shelters will be treated to a luncheon at the church at noon on Saturday, December 2.

### Hope Center's Hope for the Holidays

**Celebration** - Thursday, December 7. Cedar Springs hosts this party each year for the patients and their families to enjoy a hot meal, Christmas carols, and share laughter and memories. Volunteers are needed to provide music, help decorate, help serve the luncheon, and/or fill a Hope Bucket (available in Reception Hall). Sign up to volunteer online.\*

**Angel Tree Distribution at Lonsdale** - Monday, December 11. Volunteers are needed from 8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. to help with the gift distribution and craft table. Sign up to volunteer online.\*

\* Volunteer sign ups:  
[www.cspc.net/holiday-outreach-2017](http://www.cspc.net/holiday-outreach-2017)

## Monthly Financial Report - September 2017

	Month	Year to Date
General Giving, Fees, Other Income	\$772,185	\$7,072,312
Missions Giving	\$114,105	\$1,614,732
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$886,290</b>	<b>\$8,687,044</b>
Designated Spending from 2016 Collections	\$0	\$0
Spending	\$1,037,860	\$8,939,424
<b>Total Spending</b>	<b>\$1,037,860</b>	<b>\$8,939,424</b>
Net Cash Flow	-\$151,570	-\$252,380

### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN BALANCE:

**\$526,875**

If you would like to contribute to paying off this remaining balance, please contact April Scheevel at (865) 291-5245

For complete details, go to [www.cspc.net/stewardship-updates](http://www.cspc.net/stewardship-updates) or contact: Torrey McMurray at [torreymcmurray@cspc.net](mailto:torreymcmurray@cspc.net)

