



Kentucky *Caller*

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

KENTUCKY ROAD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

JULY 2025

Do you have someone that you listen to on the radio or online to get into God's Word? We all should have someone who is discipling us in one way or another. I have a guy I like to listen to online for his Bible classes. He likes to dig into God's Word, all while pointing out the funny and interesting parts of Scripture that are present in the text if you look a bit deeper. This is the case with so many things in the Bible as we look deeper. I was listening to his lesson about Abraham being visited by God, and then God informing Abraham what was going to happen with Sodom and Gomorrah. He then went into Lot's side of the story inside of Sodom. It is a fascinating tale where Abraham is still living in a tent out in the wilderness away from society, and Lot has moved in and become a leader in Sodom and started to integrate with this corrupt society. Abraham is waiting on God in the middle of nowhere, and Lot is living life with friends and family, and things are happening all around him. It was probably very exciting with festivals and fun, but also a place that was full of sin. The guy I listen to pointed out that at anytime people get together into bigger groups, like cities, there is more sin. It makes sense as the more people there are, the greater the chance for sin to happen, and then include others in the sin. What is hard about this passage—about Lot—is that it makes it look like Lot is almost as messy as the rest of Sodom, but 2 Peter gives us a glimpse into the heart of Lot in this moment:

2 Peter 2:6-8 *"...if he condemned the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah by burning them to ashes, and made them an example of what is going to happen to the ungodly; and if he rescued Lot, a righteous man, who was distressed by the depraved conduct of the lawless (for that righteous man, living among them day after day, was tormented in his righteous soul by the lawless deeds he saw and heard)"*

We find out from this passage that Lot was not a perfect man, but was still committed to the Lord and the Lord's concepts rather than Sodom's, and was considered righteous. The one sad thing is that Lot stayed in this city until God's angels dragged him and his family out of the city. They had a life there, and they realized that they would lose everything.

Please read Genesis 18 and 19 to see what other nuggets of gold you can find in this fascinating and crazy story. Just because it is summer, please do not give up the reading of God's Word, but take this time to listen, learn, and grow further than you have before!

Offering

June 2025

Offering YTD - \$97,407.52

Budget Needs YTD - \$111,462

Attendance

6/01	6/08	6/15	6/22	6/29
118	136	132	120	124

Upcoming Events

July:

7/07—Willing Workers; Join the ladies to work on quilts for those in need.

7/12-7/19—Passion Camp for 6th-12th grad students. Pray for them and their trip!

7/17—Oldies but Goodies; The older part of our church gathers for a meal and fellowship here at the church at noon. Join them for a great time of fellowship and caring for one another.

7/19—Men's Breakfast (8am); Breakfast and fellowship? Absolutely!

7/26—Youth Sewing Event; 6th-12th grade will be doing their first sewing event to work on a project and fellowship with adults who sew!

7/29-8/01—VBS prep; Getting things set up for VBS

August:

8/04—Willing Workers; Join the ladies to work on quilts for those in need.

8/04-8/08—VBS; Our church is putting on vacation Bible school for our young kids. We hope to have you be a part of impacting our community for Jesus and teaching them about who loves and cares about them and wants to save them.

8/16—Men's Breakfast (8am); Breakfast and fellowship? Absolutely!

8/21—Oldies but Goodies (12pm)

8/31—Fall Kickoff

Happy
Birthday!

Happy
Anniversary

7/05 Phil Niekamp

7/19 Mike Nichols

7/11 Tiffannie & Bobby Nitcher

7/08 Ron Salmons

7/25 Bob Phipps

7/22 Jerry & Karen Hoagland

7/10 Tiffannie Nitcher

7/28 Kevin Barnett

7/26 Gary & Erma Wrye

7/16 Frances Mantle

7/29 Betty Ball