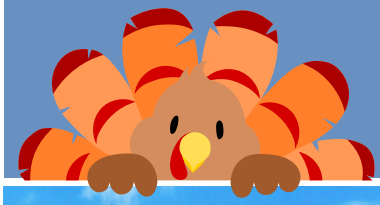
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A Note from Pastor Nathan



QUESTION #1. If you were an animal on grandma's farm as Thanksgiving drew near, would you rather be a turkey who gives her life for the meal, or a chicken who just makes a donation?
QUESTION #2. If a Christian bear is chasing after a Christian fish for its Thanksgiving meal, is God more inclined to answer the bear's prayer to provide a meal, or the fish's prayer to get away from the bear?
QUESTION #3. If a Wolverine and a Buckeye both pray to win a football game, which prayer is God most inclined to grant?

Did that get your mind off of the election season for a minute? ☺ This November people will pray for polar opposite candidates to win, and people will be divided as they pray for opposite football teams to win. Even though I try so hard to pray for only what God's will is, undoubtedly I've prayed for things to happen that someone else is praying the opposite for – and God grants their request and denies mine…and vice versa. My prayers for good, NO RAIN weather for my son's wedding last year might have been the opposite prayer a farmer was offering! (Sorry farmer that I got God's ear on that one!)

So whatever our prayers are these days, and no matter what answers we're getting that we like or don't, I'm so thankful that GOD is making the decisions and not us. When I start to get too worried and anxious about what's going on in the world, I often turn in thanksgiving to God to Romans 8:28: ***"And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose."*** ALL THINGS. Nothing is outside of the scope of what God will turn into good SOMEHOW in eternity for those who love him and are called according to His purpose.

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A Note from Pastor Nathan

Friend, as you love and follow the Lord, this truth means that there is nothing to fear, and nothing to get overly anxious about, and nothing to really worry about…if we love Him!!!

Even as I type this, it's helping me calm down about a seemingly impossibly bad situation I need to deal with soon. Praise the Lord! THANK YOU GOD that there is *nothing* to fear!

Quake Fall Retreat
October 16-18, 2026







Relate Well Marriage Retreat
October 23 & 24, 2026







Retired Members' Birthdays/Anniversaries, Financial News & Announcements



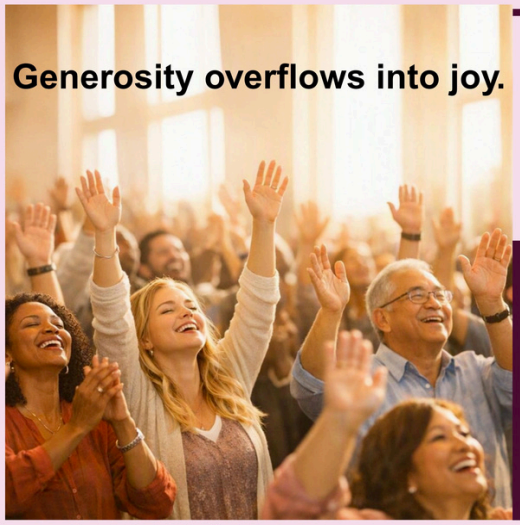
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18 Allen & Christine Mastin
29 Tom & Nina Lee Hampton







SERVE

1 CHRONICLES 29:9

Consecration Sunday
November 22nd

"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will." Romans 12:2

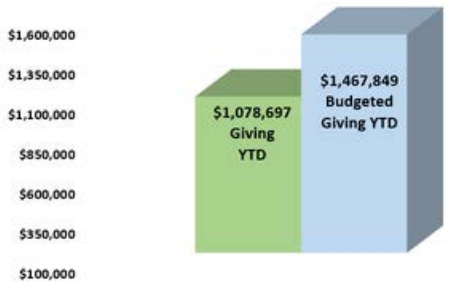
Financial News



Giving vs Expenses Year to Date Sep 2026



Giving vs Budget Year to Date Sep 2026



COMMUNITY
Thanksgiving
DINNER

November 26th, 2026 from 11am-1pm

Prepared at Cornerstone Global Methodist Church

Dine-In, Carry-Out and Delivery all available!

(Must sign up ahead of time for Delivery)

For information or questions:
ctdmarysville.com or 937-738-1375

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Family Spotlight

Jon and Holly Culp

Hi! We are the Culp's!

My name is Holly Culp, and my husband is Jon Culp. We have been married for 18 years and together for 26. We have two wonderful children who are growing up way too quickly. Wyatt is 13, in the eighth grade at Bunsold Middle School and Olive is 11, in the fifth grade at Creekview Intermediate.

Jon and I met in our very early years of life while attending school at Benjamin Logan. We grew up in the close by communities of West Mansfield and Zanesfield, Ohio and eventually started dating in high school. After graduating high school, I went on to attend cosmetology school at Ohio State Beauty Academy and Jon graduated from The Ohio State University. He continued his education to receive his Doctor of Optometry from OSU. I have been working as a hairstylist in Columbus for 21 years and Jon has been an Optometrist for 16 years, currently practicing in Dublin.

The majority of our time right now is spent attending the many activities that our kids participate in. Wyatt loves soccer and is very involved in band where he plays the saxophone and plays guitar for fun. Olive loves softball, basketball, cheerleading, and also enjoys playing the piano. These events keep us on the move, and we love every bit of it. If we aren't on a field or in a gym for one of the kids' various events, we try to enjoy as much travel as we can. We love mountains, beaches, lakes, and cities. We explore them all and love to see what each has to offer. We hope to instill a love for travel and adventure in Wyatt and Olive so we can continue to enjoy exploring with them as they get older.

Jon and I started attending Cornerstone Church in 2018 when we moved to Marysville from Columbus. We enrolled Olive in the Methodist Creative Preschool, and we were looking for a new church, so Cornerstone seemed like the obvious choice. Our kids have always loved the Sunday school classes and then it developed into attending KICK/OUTBREAK on Wednesdays. The youth programs were really what got us in the doors here at Cornerstone and they have continued to be a huge part of our lives. The Sunday sermons and the wonderful community within Cornerstone are what keep us coming back every week. Our family has really grown in our love for Christ since attending Cornerstone. We look forward to our Sunday reset which sets our week in the right direction with intention.

As a family we have really enjoyed volunteering within KICK, VBS, and with the Christmas decorating. We love that our kids have been involved in so many events and performances over the years, and now they get a chance to be volunteers themselves.

Cornerstone has provided our family with so many core memories and friendships in the

Family Spotlight

time we have spent here. We look forward to continuing to grow in our love for the Lord and watching our children develop their own relationships with God.






Join Our Church Family

October 4, 2026

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September 2026

Front to Back:
Rich & Jan Herman
Lauren & Josh Levingston
Susie & Craig French



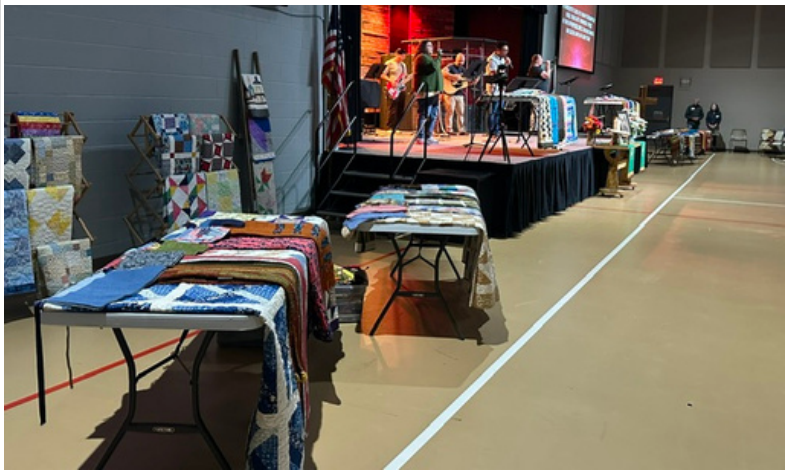
Happenings Around Church

Quake Fellowship Night
October 4, 2026





Threads of Love Dedication Sunday
October 11, 2026





KICK Club
October 14, 2026





MCP - Paint A Pumpkin
October 17, 2026





Happenings Around Church

Pastor Nathan 50th BD Celebration
October 18, 2026





Pastor Appreciation Sunday
October 11, 2026



"Thank you for the countless ways — both seen and unseen — that you faithfully pastor our congregation. We are grateful for your leadership and love for God's people."

Quake - Breakfast Club
October 13 & 27, 2026





Outbreak - Slime Night
October 25, 2026





Upcoming Dates

Wednesday morning groups at church: 7am-Men's Bible Study, 10am-Golden Girls, 10:30am-Faith Sisters

For more information check the church calendar, with the ministry leader, or Pastor Peggy - peggy@ourcornerstone.org

Nov 1		**Fall Time Change**
Nov 1	**10am**	**Combined Service/All Saints Day/Charge Conference (BFLC)**
Nov 1		**Scout Wreath Sale (BFLC Lobby, after both services)**
Nov 3	**12pm**	**Cornerstone Crocheters (Room 157)**
Nov 3	**6pm**	**Caring Hearts Grief Support Group (Daniels Den)**
Nov 4	**6:30pm**	**Power of Prayer Meeting (Scouts Room)**
Nov 7	**8am**	**Men's Breakfast (BCR/Cafe)**
Nov 9	**9:30am**	**Christian Quilters (Room 157)**
Nov 10	**11am**	**Red Cross Blood Drive (BFLC)**
Nov 16	**7pm**	**Monthly Game Night -Turkey Foot Dominos (BCR/Cafe)**
Nov 17	**10am**	**WIM (Women in Mission) Meeting (BCR/Cafe)**
Nov 17	**6pm**	**Caring Hearts Grief Support Group (Daniels Den)**
Nov 21	**10am**	**MCP - HIM Puppet Show, Food Drive, Placemat Decorating (BFLC)**
Nov 22		**Commitment Sunday (BFLC, both services)**
Nov 22		**Scout Wreath Pick-Up (after both services)**
Nov 23	**9:30am**	**Christian Quilters (Room 157)**
Nov 26	**11am**	**Community Thanksgiving Dinner (BFLC)**
Nov 26&27		**Office Closed (Thanksgiving)**

Marysville Food Pantry Food Drive - bags available 11/8 &11/15, Deliver bags 11/22 @ 11:30

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