



## August 13, 2023 – Service at Rossford Park

### Welcome

### Song

#### “Let it Rise”

*Holland Davis*

Let the glory of the Lord rise among us  
Let the glory of the Lord rise among us  
Let the praises of the King rise among us  
Let it rise.

Let the songs of the Lord rise among us  
Let the songs of the Lord rise among us  
Let the praises of the King rise among us  
Let it rise.

O let it rise  
O let it rise

***Repeat from beginning***

### Prayer

Marcia Storm

### Scriptures

Matthew 5:43-48

### Sermon

A Perfect Circle?

Rev. Dr. Edward Goode

### Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

### Song

#### “Halle Halleluja”

*Caribbean melody*

Halle, halle, halleluja.  
Halle, halle, halleluja.  
Halle, halle, halleluja.  
Halleluja, halleluja.

Christ our God we praise you, Hallelu!  
Christ our God we praise you, Hallelu!  
Christ our God we praise you, Hallelu!  
Halleluja, halleluja.

God, we stand together, Hallelu!  
God, we stand together, Hallelu!  
God, we stand together, Hallelu!  
Halleluja, halleluja.

### Benediction



**Creation Justice Banner Photo**



# Announcements

## • Welcome to Christ Church

If you'd like information about our church, you can find our online service, newsletter, and much more on the church's website:

[christchurchft.org](http://christchurchft.org).

Visitors are encouraged to fill out our "Friendship Form" by scanning this QR code or going to:

<https://bit.ly/ccucc-welcome>



## • Hearing Assist Devices Available

Please tell an usher as you come in the sanctuary if you need a hearing assist device.

## • Lunch and Learn

**Tuesday, August 22 at 11:30 a.m.**

Our guest presenter will be Reverend Samuel Finley, a current member of the local Cincinnati Chapter of the Tuskegee Airmen. His presentation "Tuskegee Airmen Memories" will tell the story of the brave group of African-American airmen and their contributions to the war effort during WWII. Lunch begins at 11:30 a.m. followed by the presentation at noon. **For lunch reservations call Nancy Hunter.**

## • Diaper Drive

Diapers are being collected for Christi Stevenson, the sister of Joe Stevenson and daughter of Amy Wainscott. Let's fill up the bin in the Narthex!

## • Birthdays and Anniversaries

Michael Long  
Jennifer Korpik  
Sharon Siple  
David Hosea  
Joe Stevenson  
Emma Hamann

Stephanie & Brian Laake  
Jeri & Jack McMath

## • Discipleship Opportunities

Each week, we have several opportunities to grow in our faith. All are welcome!

**For all three of the following classes**, we will be discussing the book, "Following the Call" which covers the Sermon on the Mount. If you need a copy, contact Pastor Ed.

- **Sundays, 9 a.m., History Room**
- **Tuesdays, 12 p.m., History Room**
- **Wednesdays, 3 p.m.**

(Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/ccwednesday>)

## • Brighton Center

**Please collect Cereal.** Don't forget we have a new shelf in the parlor to make donating easier.

## • Can You Make a Trip to the Hub?

The Green Team could use some help with making trips to the Cincinnati Recycling and Reuse Hub to drop off our recycling. If you are able to help, please call Michele in the office at **(859) 441-2565** to be put on a group email request.

## • Prayer Changes Us

**Covenant Cluster Prayer Partner:**

Washington UCC, Cincinnati, OH

**Prayer Requests:**

Faye Gately, Joy, Genene Lyons, Pierce, Ev & Jack Weber, Tom Cox, Marie Shields, Barry Bordenkircher, Allan Smille, Jean Lacalley, Amber Schmidt, Bobby Grim, Roman, Lyuda & Natalya Shostak, Tim, John Jr., Sheila Mains, Sue, Judy & Greg Gadd, Kristen Bender, Mike & Laura Randall, Marcia Hosea, Emma Hamann, Sallie Schmidt and family, Barb Walkenhorst-Derby, Landon Schmidt, Jesse Clayton, Bill P., Don Seifert, Raenon Justice, The family of Bonnie Hitch, Sarah, Kim Schnier, Chris, the family of Wilma Graves, the family of Nancy Faulkner, David Hosea, Scott, Stacey Seiter, Lori Collins, Jeff McCall, Kelly Greenwalt, Kristin Bailey, Jamie, Jenny Holek, Nancy McLane, the family of Lenir Kechu, Mike & Sheila Smith, the family of Margi McKenna, John Fugate, the family of Judy Robinson

*(Names underlined indicate request for anonymity)*

**Please contact the office with any changes.**