



FRIDAY FLYER

Find out what's happening this week at Indian Run!

October 8, 2017



Roundabout Project Update...Next Phase Begins

Crews are paving the intersection of Avery and Brand TODAY, October 6 and tomorrow, October 7. There will be interruptions to the southbound Avery Road during paving. There may be times that Avery Road will not be open in either direction. During paving, east-west traffic on Brand

Road will be maintained throughout the intersection with temporary signals and flaggers.

The project is expected to be finished by the end of October, but there is still work to be done! Here's what drivers can expect next week:

- North of Brand Road: Avery Road will be closed in both directions for approximately 200 feet. Detour signs will direct traffic to use Glick Road to Muirfield Drive back to Brand Road or Avery Road.
- South of Brand Road:
 - Northbound Avery Road will remain closed
 - Southbound Avery Road will open south of Brand Road except during paving operations.
- Brand Road: Remains open for east-west travel with one-lane, two-way traffic maintained by temporary traffic signals.

Watch our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/IndianRun for real-time updates as they become available. You can also link directly to <https://goo.gl/Wz8fFN> for updates from the City of Dublin.



2018 I'm IN Annual Stewardship Campaign Continues

What an exciting time for our congregation, as we live into our mission to GROW LOVE in ourselves, our families, our community, and the world so that more people will come to know and follow the way of Jesus. By now, you should have received your 2018 Annual Commitment Form by mail. If you did not receive this mailing, you may link to www.indianrun.org/ImIN for details

or contact the church office at office@indianrun.org. Please take time to carefully read through the information enclosed with the form and prayerfully consider how God is calling you to support the ministries of Indian Run in 2018. Plan to bring your Annual Commitment Form to church with you to Commitment Sunday on October 29. (If you cannot be present that day, simply send your completed form to the church office anytime before October 29.) Thank you in advance for joining together to say "I'm IN!"



Sermon Series

This Sunday, we'll continue our annual stewardship campaign with a special sermon series - "I'm IN...Growing Love at Indian Run. The next sermon of the series will be "I'm INcluded...Growing Love Through Our Presence".

If you missed last week's sermon, link [HERE](#) to listen online!



Haiti Mission Team Fundraising to Kick Off on Sunday!

The Haiti Team is now in fundraising mode! We are very excited to have a team of 16 in mission this year! Of those, 8 members of the team are first-time missionaries to Haiti! Please consider making a donation and praying for our team as they prepare for their trip in January. Our fundraising goal has risen this year due to our team almost doubling in size! Each team member has already contributed a significant amount towards the mission as well. There will be a fundraising board in the Narthex area starting this Sunday, October 8. The board features

envelopes with dollar amounts and fun drawings for you to choose from. Please select one, two or more envelopes and contribute the amount listed. All contributions are tax deductible! Fill out the enclosed envelope, put in your donation and drop off in the offering plate or the church office. Checks should be made payable to IRUMC with "Haiti" in the memo line. There is also a prayer card enclosed that tells you more about our team, our mission and how you can pray for the team and Haiti. This money not only helps the team get to Haiti and rebuild, but also helps to keep the Haitians employed. All of you make up the love, hands, and feet of Christ Jesus for this mission. Thanks for being a part of our team!

Indian Run's 2018 Haiti Mission Team will return to Les Cayes, Haiti on January 12-20, 2018! Members of the 16 member team are David Cockram, Sean Cotter, Alex Dean, John Dean, Amy Edwards, Claire Edwards, Will Fletcher, John Houpt, Greg Liening, Michelle Liening, Kelly Mohr, Joyce Oiler, Jeff Pettit, Molly Pettit, Josh Pittro, and Missy Pittro.



Annual Church Conference This Sunday

Indian Run's annual Church Conference will be held shortly after our 11am worship service THIS Sunday, October 8. All members have voice and vote. 2018 officers will be elected, and other annual business will be conducted. Please mark your calendar!



Operation Christmas Child Kick-Off on Sunday

Operation Christmas Child (OCC) kicks off at Indian Run THIS Sunday, October 8. It's time once again to make a difference in a child's life. There are children all over the world that will not experience the magic of Christmas without your help. Share your calling to serve by showing a child the true meaning of Christmas by supporting this worthy cause. Please consider helping in any of the following ways: donating a shoe box wrapped in Christmas paper (lid and bottom wrapped separately for easy filling), donating \$7 shipping for mailing cost of a box, donating gifts (school supplies, hair supplies, washcloth, soap, small toys (matchbox cars, yo-yos, jump ropes, and small balls), fishing line/fishing hooks, and small books. No candy, please.), your prayers for the child who receives the box, or any small item you think a girl or boy ages 2 - 14 would love to have for Christmas. Items will be collected through Sunday, November 12 and can be dropped off at the OCC table in Fellowship Hall. Be sure to save the date of Monday, November 13, when we'll hold our OCC Packing Party at 7:00pm in Fellowship Hall. Questions? Please contact Laura Hilton at lhilton@columbus.rr.com or 614-592-1425.



College Care Package Addresses Needed by 10/13

It's time to send care packages to our church family away at college. To ensure that your son or daughter in college (and living away from home) receives a "care package" the Care Ministry Team ask that you please confirm your college student's address with the church office at office@indianrun.org or mark your Connection Card on Sunday. Even if you have provided this information in the past, we would appreciate receiving it again. Deadline for submitting the information is **Friday, October 13**. Everyone is welcome to make donations to be included in the college care packages or a financial donation to help with the cost of mailing the packages. Donations could include; candy, gum, hot chocolate mix, snack bars, pens, pencils, post-its, knick-knacks, etc. For your planning, we will probably send out 35 packages. You can leave those donations in the church office, marked "College Care" by **Friday, October 20**. Thank you for your help!



Volunteers Needed for Habitat Lunch on 10/14

Indian Run has committed to providing lunch once every six weeks to the Hilliard Adopt-A-House / Habitat for Humanity construction crew. Volunteers are needed to help provide food, deliver the meal to the workers, and clean up on Saturday, October 14. This is a perfect opportunity to support this project for those of us who aren't comfortable with a hammer! Please contact Larry Hutchison at lhutch@columbus.rr.com if you can help on the 14th, would like to help in the future, or would like

more information on volunteering on the construction site. Thank you!



Connection Point Membership Class Offered on 10/15

If you're new to Indian Run and/or are interested in becoming a member, we'd like to invite you to participate in the upcoming Connection Point class on Sunday, October 15, from 12:15-2:30pm. A light lunch will be served. Connection Point is a great opportunity to learn more about our church and our denomination. Those who have completed the class are invited to join the membership of the church. Of course, whether you choose to join or not, you are welcome to continue to worship and fellowship with us - membership is not a requirement to be a part of our community of faith! Those who choose to join the church will be received into membership on Sunday, October 29. To register for this class, contact Lisa Cotter at lcotter@indianrun.org or 614-889-7728. Childcare is available upon request.



OWLS Outing to Dayton Scheduled for 10/25

Indian Run's OWLS Group (Older, Wiser, Livelier Seniors) is planning an outing to tour the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base and National Museum of the United States Air Force on Wednesday, October 25. We'll plan to meet at the church at 9:00am to carpool for the FREE tour of the base and museum which chronicles the Air Force from it's earliest days to the present. The museum is open from 9am to 5pm. We'll have lunch at the cafe' at the museum and be home by late afternoon. Please RSVP as soon as possible to Sue Weaver at [sueweaver8606@gmail.com](mailto:suweaver8606@gmail.com) or 614-323-9045, so that transportation can be planned.



Endowment Grant Applications Accepted Through 11/1

The IRUMC Endowment Committee announces that it is now accepting 2018 grant applications for endowment funds. Applications for funds must be written by Indian Run United Methodist Church ministry groups officially elected at its annual Church or Charge Conference. Applications must be received by the Endowment Committee no later than November 1, 2017, and shall describe the purpose of the use of the requested funds, applicable budget information, and proposed results of the funded project. Note: An application for funds does not guarantee award of funds. Contact Jim Weaver through the church office at office@indianrun.org for grant application forms or questions.



Barnyard Bash a BIG Success!!

Last Sunday's Annual Barnyard Bash was a BIG success with over 325 members of the Indian Run Congregation and Preschool in attendance! It was a beautiful afternoon filled with sunshine, yummy snacks, great conversation and tons of fun for the kiddos. Special thanks to the 18 preschool teachers, church staff and staff children who volunteered to make the event a success and helped to GROW LOVE at Indian Run! Link [HERE](#) to view photos from the event.



Current Serving Opportunities at Indian Run

Please prayerfully consider serving in the following areas. Mark your Connection Card on Sunday or contact the church office at office@indianrun.org with your interest.

- 1) Welcome Warehouse Free Shop - Volunteer on 10/14 at 8:30 - 11:30am
 - 2) Brunch Fellowship Team - substitute or rotating schedule
 - 3) Coffee Bar Team - substitute or rotating schedule
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Weekly Grace Place Update

Don't miss the opportunity to talk with your child about what they are learning this week in Grace Place...

PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN

October Theme: Zig Zag Zone...God Can Help Me! - [Link for a video preview](#)

Basic Truth: God loves me.

Bottom Line: God can help me.

Key Question: Who can help you?

Memory Verse: "We have the Lord our God to help us." 2 Chronicles 32:8, NLT

Bible Story Focus: God can help me do anything. David Is Strong in Battle * 1 Samuel 18:7; 12-14

ELEMENTARY & HIGHWAY 56

October Theme: Use It or Lose It...Don't Waste What You've Got - [Link for a video preview](#)

Memory Verse: "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much." Luke 16:10a, NIV

Key Question: How can you best use your time? Kids are just starting to become aware of time. We'll help kids begin to realize that we only have so much time, so how we use it matters to God. Kids will wrestle through the ways they spend their time now and figure out what needs to change to use their time wisely. Really, this is a question we hope small group leaders and parents ask themselves as they lead their kids. Everyone can benefit by taking a look at how they're spending the time God has given to them.

With that in mind, we continue looking at stewardship with another Psalm. In Psalm 90:12, Moses writes, Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom, (NIV). Moses reminds us that when we take time to think about the time God has given us, we have an opportunity to use our time wisely.

Bottom Line: Use your time wisely. We only have so much time while we're here on earth, but every day God gives us is a chance for us to do something that matters. We can waste our time or use it to do something significant. We pray that kids will make every moment they have count.

THANK YOU

We are so thankful for Lisa King and Colin King as well as Kaitlyn Kessinger and Tay Grubbs who lent their gifts and talents to the children on Sunday.

Contact Amy Catanella at 614-889-7728, ext. 105 or acatanella@indianrun.org with questions or to volunteer.



UPDATED: Urgent Needs for Our Friends at New Life

We have received word from our friends at New Life that they are currently in need of the following items for the homeless and working poor they serve:

- women's crew socks
- men's crew socks
- deodorant
- laundry detergent (both travel-size & full-size)
- toothpaste & toothbrushes
- toilet paper
- bath towels & washcloths

Please drop your donations in the bins in Fellowship Hall.

Reminder: You can also support the community outreach ministry at New Life by volunteering on Sunday mornings to prepare and serve breakfast, work in the clothing room, pack lunches, etc. The sign-up sheet is available on the Mission Bulletin Board in Fellowship Hall or contact Alice Gulker at agulker@indianrun.org.



Volunteers Needed for Habitat Project

Through our partnership with Hilliard Adopt-A-House, our Habitat for Humanity project at 1641 Myrtle Avenue for the Byrant family is currently underway! Volunteer opportunities exist for Wednesday and Saturday. Work begins at 8:30am. With three Habitat houses being built close together, street parking might be challenging on Saturday. There is a church parking lot that is available across the street from our site. Volunteers will be limited to 18 and older. However, 16 and 17 year-old may accompany an adult but cannot operate power equipment. Please wear good work shoes/boots on the site. Please let Larry know by Tuesday noon if you will be able to participate Wednesday and/or by Thursday noon for Saturday. If we need to cancel work activities due to weather, you can get an update at 614-422-4828 x7039. Water is provided. Please bring your Wednesday lunch. Lunch is

provided on Saturdays. Link to goo.gl/cxRyLA to view photos of the construction progress. If construction is not your thing, contact Larry about helping to provide crew lunches. Contact Larry Hutchison at lhutch@columbus.rr.com or 614-973-9460 with questions or if you have an interest in helping with this project.

Upcoming Events

(Link to the [Church Website](#) for additional information)

- 10/8 - Annual Church Charge Conference
- 10/15 - Connection Point Membership Class
- 10/25 - OWLS Outing to Dayton