



FRIDAY FLYER

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

November 10, 2017



Veteran's Day

Today, as we celebrate Veteran's Day, we pause to honor those who have served our country and to remember those who have made the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedoms.

Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. - John 15:13



Fall Clean-Up Scheduled for TOMORROW, 11/11

All are invited to come out to help with our annual fall clean-up of the church grounds on Saturday, November 11 from 9am to Noon. There will be jobs for all ages and skill levels. Bring your rakes, blowers, hedge trimmers, tarps, gloves, and a positive attitude! Many hands make light work! Hope to see you there!!



Sermon Series

This week, Pastor Jeff will share the sermon "Our Spiritual Family Tree."

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



Indian Run Logo Wear Sale Wraps Up This Sunday!

Don't miss the opportunity to stop by the Indian Run Logo Wear Pop-Up Store in the Narthex before and after both services THIS Sunday! We will have the NEW Indian Run T-shirt available for purchase for just \$5 for youth sizes and \$10 for adult sizes. You will also be able to pre-order a variety of awesome logo items like hoodies, polo shirts, polar fleece, water bottles, PopSockets, stadium blankets and more. Link [HERE](#) if you would like to see the order form. Show your Indian Run pride and share your witness that God is definitely using Indian Run to "GROW LOVE" in ourselves, our families, our community, and the world! Questions? Contact Wendy Marino at wmarino@indianrun.org.



Last Chance to Support Harvest of Hope - Due 11/12

The Dublin Food Pantry's annual Harvest of Hope Collection wraps up THIS Sunday, 11/12. The Harvest of Hope provides community members in need with Thanksgiving Boxes containing all of the traditional food items needed for a Thanksgiving dinner including a turkey, rolls and pumpkin pies, in addition to fresh fruit and produce. You can help in two ways: First, Indian Run is partnering with area churches to fill the boxes by **collecting 350 cans of sweet potatoes** (small to medium sizes needed). Donations can be dropped at the table in the Narthex until Sunday, November 12. Secondly, you can donate money to help purchase Thanksgiving turkeys and pumpkin pies to be included in the Thanksgiving dinner boxes. Last year, the Pantry purchased turkeys for about \$15 each and pumpkin pies for about \$5 each. You can drop your cash or check (made payable to IRUMC with Dublin Food Pantry on the memo line) donations to the church office or in the offering plate or text "PANTRY" to 830-GRO-LOVE.



OCC Collection Continues Through 11/12

It's time once again to make a difference in a child's life. There are children all over the world who 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 \$9 for shipping for mailing cost of a box <please note this is a change, as we just received information that the pricing has increased this year>, donating gifts (school supplies, hair supplies, washclothes, 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. Questions? Please contact Laura Hilton at lhilton@columbus.rr.com or 614-592-1425.



OCC Packing Party Scheduled for, Monday 11/13

Mark your calendar for the Operation Christmas Child Packing Party on Monday, November 13 at 7pm in Fellowship Hall. During this time, we'll put the finishing touches on all of the boxes and prepare them for shipping all around the world. Many hands will make light work...hope to see you there!



OWLS to Host Scams Targeting Seniors Event on 11/15

In 2013, 17.6 million Americans lost \$8.6 million in just phone fraud alone. In 2017, that number has risen significantly! Sadly, scammers like to target older people by playing into our fears about the aging process and that our memories are slipping! On Wednesday, November 15 at noon, the OWLS will host a potluck luncheon in Fellowship Hall with guest speakers, Danielle Murphy Of the Consumer Protection Section and Sylvia M. Pla-Raith of the Consumer Protection Service - Elder Justice Unit from Ohio Attorney General, Mike DeWine's office will present on the subject of Scams Targeting Seniors. Come learn to identify the signs of elder fraud / exploitation and how to protect yourself from financial abuse, including scams targeting seniors. A salad bar, various breads / rolls, and desserts will be served. Those with the first letter of the last name starting with A-M are asked to bring a dessert. (For the next luncheon, the last part of the alphabet will be asked to provide a dish.) Please RSVP to Elaine Dickerson at elaine.dickerson1@gmail.com or 614-798-8746, contact the church office, or mark your Connection Card.



Christmas Giving Tree Project Kicks Off on 11/19

This year's Christmas Giving Tree Project kicks off on Sunday, 11/19 when tags will first be available on the display boards located in Fellowship Hall. Each tag represents a gift request made by a person in our referral program. Help make someone's Christmas very happy by selecting a tag(s), purchasing the item(s), and returning the gift(s) back to the table. All needed instructions and deadlines are on each tag. All items are due back to the table by 5pm on Friday, 12/8.

Also...save the date for the Soup & Serve event on Sunday, 12/10 at 12:15pm, when many hands will be needed to organize the donations for distribution.



Save the Date...Pancake Breakfast for Haiti on 12/3

Mark your calendar for Sunday, December 3 and plan to attend a delicious Pancake Breakfast hosted by the youth of Indian Run and the Haiti Mission Team between worship services to help raise needed funds for their upcoming mission to Haiti in January. Tell your friends!!



Help Us Welcome Our Newest Staff Member

Please join us in welcoming Cindy Danko-Southey as our new Administrative Assistant. Cindy was born and raised in Toledo, Ohio and moved to Dublin in 2012 to be closer to her sister. She has two adult children, Alex who currently lives in Dayton and Emily who lives here with Cindy. She has held many interesting positions in her work life, working for 12 years as a florist, an event and wedding planner, a concierge at a new hotel in downtown Columbus, an estate manager; and most recently, a personal assistant. All of her experience has prepared her for her new role as the Administrative Assistant here at Indian Run, and she is committed to making a positive and long-lasting impact in the position. She actively volunteers with the Driven Foundation and enjoys traveling, sports, and board games. Please stop by the church office to introduce yourself!



Haiti Mission Team Fundraising Continues

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. Stop by the fundraising board in the Narthex area featuring 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.



I'm IN Stewardship Campaign Reminder

If you have not yet turned in your Commitment Form, please bring it on Sunday and drop it in the offering plate or drop it off at the church office as soon as possible. Link [HERE](#) if you need a new form or stop by the Welcome Center.



Child & Youth Speakers Needed for Christmas Eve

We are excited to celebrate the birth of our Savior and invite you to help! We need 26 child or youth speakers for our 5pm and 7pm Christmas Eve Services. These lines can be memorized or read from a script. This is not a play or performance where acting is involved. It will simply be reciting an easy line that will be given to them ahead of time, such as "A is for Angels, appearing so bright, telling of Jesus that first Christmas night." If you have a child or a youth that is interested in helping us grow love by sharing the "ABC's of Christmas," please contact Amy Catanella at acatanella@indianrun.org or 614-889-7728, ext 105.



Volunteers Needed for Upcoming Parents' Night Out

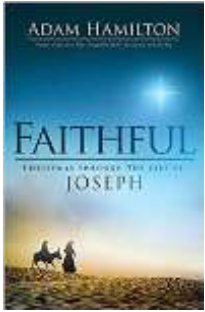
We would like to give folks with children a little time on the evening of Friday, December 15 to finish up their Christmas shopping, have dinner out, or just have some time to themselves and need your help to provide this great opportunity.

If you would be interested in helping provide care for the children attending the event, please contact Amy Catanella, Director of Children's Ministry, at acatanella@indianrun.org or by calling 614-889-7728.



Annual Card Collection for Veterans Continues

It's that time of year, when we collect NEW CARDS for the VA Hospital in Cincinnati. Last year, our congregation donated over 2000 new greeting cards to be used by the veterans and their families. There were cards that some had received from organizations they support, some purchased boxes of new cards, and others found left-overs from past years. ALL kinds of new cards are welcome, but we are especially in need of ones for Christmas. Such items are not on their budget at the VA facility. Place your card donations on the table by the Military Bulletin Board in Fellowship Hall. THANK YOU, IRUMC, for giving above and beyond! - Jane & Mike



Group Studies for the Season of Advent Starting Soon

The following groups are kicking off Advent studies of the book "Faithful: Christmas Through the Eyes of Joseph," by Adam Hamilton later this month. Absent from much of the biblical narrative, Joseph never spoke a word, but his courageous actions were crucial to the birth of Christ and God's salvation plan for humanity.

As you read this book, you will understand how Joseph's story is much like our own. In life, we encounter circumstances that we would never have chosen for ourselves. At times it can be tempting just to walk away. Joseph provides us a great example of humbly obeying God even when we don't understand and faithfully moving forward in the strength that God provides. Exchange your doubt for courage this Advent and Christmas season. Learn to accept and glorify God's will even when circumstances make it difficult to do so.

- Mosaic Mixed Adult Small Group - Starting 11/19 at 9:30-10:30am on Sunday mornings
- Thursday Women's Bible Study - Starting 11/23 at 10:00-11:30am on Thursday Mornings

Email Lisa Cotter at lcotter@indianrun.org, stop by the Welcome Desk or mark your Connection Card for questions.



Upcoming Youth Events in November

Attention Students...You won't want to miss these FUN events in the month of November!

11/12- All Youth Movie Night - 5:30-8:00pm: Popcorn, refreshments, friends, and a film. All Middle School, High School, and friends are invited to come see a great movie with an awesome message while growing lifelong friendships.

11/19 - High School Murder Mystery Night - 6:00-8:00pm: Who did it? What did they do? Why did they do it? Join us for some humor, dinner, and mystery. Bring friends to share the laughs. The first table to solve the mystery wins a prize!!

Contact Nick for more information at 209-620-3909 or nmastin@indianrun.org.



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

November Theme: Recipe for Thanks...I can thank God for everything. - [Link to video preview](#)

Basic Truth: God made me.

Bottom Line: I can thank God for everything.

Key Question: Who can you thank for everything?

Bottom Line: I can thank God for everything.

Memory Verse: "I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart." Psalm 111:1, ESV

Bible Story Focus: I am thankful I can pray. The Lord's Prayer * Matthew 6:9-13

ELEMENTARY & HIGHWAY 56

November Theme: reFocus...Know where to look! - [Link to video preview](#)

Key Question: What are you grateful for? Kids will learn soon enough, that sometimes it's hard to feel

grateful. Through asking this question, we hope kids will come away with a plan to refocus on what really matters and discover how they can show gratitude.

In Matthew 20:1-15, we'll dig into a parable Jesus told one day about some vineyard workers. In the story, a few of the workers started making comparisons to what others were getting paid and became ungrateful and started complaining. Then, at the end of the day, they had a bad attitude because they thought it wasn't fair.

Bottom Line: Adjust your attitude. We can change our whole outlook on life if we take the time to refocus and think about all that we've been given. We pray that kids will see their own life differently and discover all the ways can show gratitude.

THANK YOU

We would like to thank our regular volunteers, Lisa and Colin King and Taylor Grubbs for their dedication to the children of Indian Run!

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



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 Wednesdays and Saturdays. 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)

- 11/11 - Fall Clean-Up
- 11/12 - Indian Run Logo Wear Pop-Up Shop
Youth Group Movie Night Event
- 11/13 - Operation Christmas Child Packing Party
- 11/15 - OWLS Scams Targeting Seniors Event
- 11/17 - Advent Wreath Making Open House
- 11/19 - High School Murder Mystery Event
- 12/03 - Haiti Pancake Breakfast
- 12/10 - Soup & Serve Event