



FRIDAY FLYER

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

May 11, 2018



Sermon Series

This Sunday, we'll celebrate Mother's Day and hear a special sermon from the Open Hearts Small Group called "Be a Good Samaritan."

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



Haiti Informational Meetings Scheduled for 5/16 & 5/17

The next Indian Run Haiti Mission Trip is targeted for January 18-26, 2019. If you have interest in going on this mission trip, please plan to attend one of the following meetings led by Michelle & Greg Liening on Wednesday, May 16 OR Thursday, May 17 at 7pm in the Youth Room. RSVP to turtlechel@columbus.rr.com. Youth planning to attend one of the interest meetings should plan to bring a parent. We look forward to sharing this awesome opportunity with you!



Sunday Last Chance for Tickets to Clippers Night on 5/18

The annual Indian Run Friends & Family Night on the Wendy's Hamburger Balcony at Huntington Park is scheduled for Friday, May 18 when the Clippers play the Charlotte Knights. The evening will include a pre-game "ballpark buffet" and live music from 5:30-7:15pm in the Right Field Plaza. And you won't want to miss our very own Director of Contemporary Worship, Jacob Banker, who will be singing the National Anthem! The first pitch is at 7:15pm. Tickets are \$35 for adults and \$15 for youth (12 and under). Sign up for tickets at the table in Fellowship Hall, mark your Connection Card, or contact the church office at 614-889-7728 or office@indianrun.org. Checks can be dropped off at the church office (made payable to IRUMC with "Clippers Outing" in the memo). **All ticket orders and payment must be received by THIS Sunday, May 13.** A carpool will leave the church parking lot at 5:00pm. Tickets will be available prior to the event for those wishing to meet the group at the ballpark. This event is open to all Indian Run attendees, extended family, friends, and neighbors! Connection groups are welcome to attend together! Contact Randy Mobley at Randy@ILBaseball.com with any questions.



Youth End-of-the-Year Party Scheduled for 5/20

The Youth Ministry End-of-the-Year Party will be Sunday, May 20 at 5:30pm at the fire pit behind the church. Join us for food, smores, and a time for honoring service/accomplishments! All middle school & high school youth, youth families, and confirmation mentors are invited. Contact Nick Mastin at nmastin@indianrun.org with questions.



Graduation Sunday on 5/27...Parent Action Required

Indian Run will celebrate all graduates on Sunday, May 27. Children through adults graduating from preschool and beyond will be honored on this special day! Parents with students graduating from 8th-Grade, High School, and College are asked to link to goo.gl/forms/kz8lviW1qmDGvDLi1 or mark your Connection Card to provide information about your graduate, so they can be listed in the bulletin. Please pray for all of our graduates as they participate in ceremonies over the next few weeks and begin a new stage of their lives. E-mail office@indianrun.org.



5th-Grade Set to "Graduate" to Youth Ministries on 5/27

On Graduation Sunday, we will recognize all of our 5th-grade students as they "graduate" up to Youth Ministry as the school year comes to a close. Many of these 5th-graders are also wrapping up their K4J experience at Indian Run as they celebrate moving closer to participating in Confirmation. Parents are asked to complete a very brief online form at goo.gl/forms/kvuxDTHn2kVhawFx2 or mark your Connection Card so your child can be recognized. Contact Amy Catanella with questions at acatanella@indianrun.org.



Grace Place "Promotion" Sunday Scheduled for 5/27

All Grace Place students will move up to their new classrooms (if applicable) on Sunday, May 27, according to the following assignments: 3 & 4 year-olds, 5's, K & 1st Grades, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Grades, and Highway 56 (at 9:30am only). As always, 6th-12th graders are invited to worship with their families in the Sanctuary. Contact Amy Catanella, Director of Children's Ministry at acatanella@indianrun.org.



VBS 2018 Registration Update

This summer, Indian Run will go on a whitewater adventure to experience the ride of a lifetime with God at Rolling River Rampage VBS on June 11-15 from 9am to noon. Due to the great response we have received, VBS 2018 is currently at capacity, and we are unable to accept further registrations at this time. Please contact Amy Catanella at acatanella@indianrun.org, if you would like to be added to our waitlist or have any questions.



Actors Needed for VBS Bible Story Station

Nick Mastin and Lisa Cotter are leading the Bible Story (Drama) Station at Rolling River Rampage VBS on June 11-15. Please consider this invitation to be a part of the VBS drama team. The remaining open parts are Crowd Member 1 & 2 and Disciple 1 & 2. These are very low key, one sentence parts-no memorization necessary. You will need to be available from 8:30am until noon, and you can sign up for one day or all five! 4 actors are needed on Monday-Wednesday and 3 on Thursday and Friday. Please mark your Connection Card if interested or contact Lisa Cotter at lcotter@indianrun.org.



"Summer Choir" New This Summer!

Would you like to sing with Capella Choir but just can't make it to Thursday rehearsals or commit to every Sunday? Then this opportunity is for you! On 5 special Sundays this summer, we will be presenting a "summer choir". The goal will be to present a new hymn from one of our three hymnals to the congregation to help them get more familiar with some great hymns that we haven't had a chance to introduce yet. Plan to join us in the choir room at 8:45am on the following Sundays: 6/3, 7/1, 7/15, 8/5, and 8/19. Hope to see you there! Questions? Contact Cathy Linch, Director of Traditional Music at calinch914@gmail.com.



Praises for a Great Year at Indian Run Preschool!

It is hard to believe that another preschool year is wrapping up. It has been an amazing year at Indian Run Preschool with 228 children learning many exciting lessons from apples to zoo animals with plenty of stops along the way to learn about seasons, pumpkins, authors, composers, community helpers, turtles, science experiments, planting, and most recently, the life cycle of a butterfly. We have 14 wonderful teachers who are always looking for ways to challenge and celebrate each child's success in the classroom. The preschool is blessed to be a mission of Indian Run United Methodist Church and we are grateful to have the support of the congregation.



Serving Opportunity in Brunch Ministry

Please prayerfully consider serving in our Brunch Ministry. Two volunteers are needed to help serve a continental breakfast of cereal and donuts on May 27 from 10:15 to 11:00am. One needed to make and serve coffee. One needed to pick up donuts and help serve. Mark your Connection Card on Sunday or contact the church office at office@indianrun.org with your interest.



Interested in an Indian Run Sand Volleyball Team?

Do you love sand volleyball? Maybe looking for some new ways to fellowship and meet other Christians in the area? This week, the church office was contacted by Volleypark (located at 5501 Sandalwood Blvd, Columbus) about a NEW Summer Church League they are forming. It's a 6-player, adult, co-ed league (3 men, 3 ladies), on Wednesday evenings for 8 weeks starting June 13. The team fee is \$250 with a maximum of 24 teams. This would be a great opportunity for small groups or anyone looking for a fun evening of fellowship and exercise. Contact the church office at office@indianrun.org, with your interest and we'll see if we can put one or more teams together!



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

May Theme: Work of Art...God has a plan for me - [Link to video preview!](#)

Bible Story Focus: I can trust God's plan even when it's hard. - Joseph in Jail * Genesis 39-40

Memory Verse: "The plans of the LORD stand firm forever." Psalm 33:11, NIV

Key Question: Who has a plan for you?

Bottom Line: God has a plan for me.

Basic Truth: God made me.

ELEMENTARY & HIGHWAY 56

May Theme: Source Code...Untangling the Web - [Link to video preview!](#)

Bible Story: Logic Error (David and Ahimelek) * 1 Samuel 21-22

Bottom Line: When you're not truthful, you hurt others.

Memory Verse: "Anyone who lives without blame walks safely. But anyone who takes a crooked path will get caught." - Proverbs 10:9, NIV

Life App: Honesty - Choosing to be truthful in whatever you say and do

Basic Truth: I should treat others the way I want to be treated.

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

Upcoming Events

(Link to the [Church Website](#) a full calendar of events)

5/11 - Parents' Night Out

5/13 - Mother's Day

5/18 - Night with the Clippers

5/20 - Confirmation Sunday

All-Youth End-of-the-Year Party

5/27 - Graduation Sunday