

April 7, 2017



Sermon Series

This Sunday, as we celebrate Palm Sunday, we'll continue the special Lenten sermon series and church-wide small group study of *The Way: Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus* with the sermon "Entry into the Final Week".

If you missed last week's sermon, you can listen online at <u>listen.indianrun.org!</u>



Indian Run to Celebrate Boy Scout Sunday

Not only will we celebrate Palm Sunday this Sunday, but at the 11am Service, we will celebrate Boy Scout Sunday with Troop 299. Indian Run is blessed to host a scout led organization and an outstanding adult support system to make it work smoothly. Special thanks and appreciation for their leadership. To learn more about Troop 299 visit their website at www.troop299skc.org/joomla/index.php or contact the

Scoutmaster, Scott Andrews at scoutmaster@troop299skc.org.



ASP Stock Sale Begins THIS Sunday

The 2017 Appalachia Service Project (ASP) Stock Sale will take place before and after worship services on April 9th & 23rd. Help support the team and project as they work to raise \$5,000 to journey to rural Kentucky on June 18 - 24 to help make homes warmer, safer and drier. Students and adults will be on hand to answer your questions or you

may contact Kathy Hull hull.kathy.k@qmail.com. Thank you for sharing in this outreach mission!

The term "Stock Sale" is a reference to our investment in the Appalachia Service Mission. "Stock Holders" are persons who commit to supporting the mission with their prayers and/or a financial commitment. Stock Holders will receive special communication during the mission and a privilege to receive the mission team at a luncheon on their return.



Don't Miss the Annual Bunny Bash THIS Sunday!

Children of all ages and their parents are invited to join their friends at Indian Run for this year's Bunny Bash THIS Sunday, April 9 from 2 to 4pm. Come and have Matt the Balloon Guy make a cute balloon sculpture for you or have your face painted to help welcome spring! If you like marshmallows, you'll want to try out Matt's Mallow Blaster, the world's only interactive marshmallow blaster game. Enjoy an ice cream sundae while making a craft, snap a photo with the Easter Bunny and hunt for eggs in one of FOUR Hunts with 5000 eggs! You won't want to miss it!

This event is FREE to the community! Link to <u>goo.gl/N6CjXW</u> to invite your Facebook friends and family!!

If you would like to serve in any capacity for any amount of time, contact Amy Catanella at 614-889-



Extend Radical Hospitality to Visitors This Easter Season

Naturally, we look forward to attending Easter Services with our families, but please keep in mind that all visitors who come to Indian Run are our brothers and sisters in Christ. Therefore, remember the "Circle of 10": Greet anyone, member or guest, who comes within ten feet of you. Make a special effort to greet the people you don't

already know within your "Circle of 10". "Rule of Three": Please do not talk to other members for the first three minutes after the service. Talk only to those you don't know or people you know are guests. It takes guests about three minutes to exit the church after worship and we need to make sure someone has contacted them before they leave. We can do this!

The Welcome Team



Place Your Easter Flower Order Before 4/10

It's time to place your order for flowers to decorate the Sanctuary on Easter Sunday. You can honor someone special or give flowers in memory of departed friends and family members. **LINK HERE** to place your order online. Payment can be dropped in the offering plate or returned to the church office Monday-Friday or mailed to 6305 Brand Road, Dublin, Ohio, 43016. Checks should be made payable to IRUMC with "Easter Flowers" in the memo line. All orders must be received by **April 10**.



Celebrate Holy Week at Indian Run!

Invite your friends and family to worship together at the following special services to celebrate Holy week at Indian Run:

PALM SUNDAY-April 9 at 9:30 & 11:00am

We'll remember Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem with our children leading us in a palm processional as we sing, "Hosanna!"

MAUNDY THURSDAY-April 13 at 7:00pm

We will remember the final meal Jesus shared with his friends and the words he shared with them during that evening together. Communion will be served and our contemporary worship team will provide the music. *Nursery Care Available*.

GOOD FRIDAY-April 14 at 7:00pm

As we reflect on the crucifixion of Jesus, our Cappella Choir will lead us in a service of scripture, song, and darkness based on the cantata "Calvary's Mountain." *Nursery Care Available.*

EASTER-April 16 at 9:30 & 11:00am

Celebrate Jesus' resurrection and learn how the story of the death and resurrection of Jesus can become our defining story.

Link to goo.gl/f54R8Y to invite your friends and family via Facebook.



VBS 2017 Registration Now Open!

CALLING ALL SUPERHEROS! All area children ages 4 to 5th grade are invited to join their friends at Indian Run's HERO CENTRAL VBS this June 12 -16 from 9am to noon, where we will go on awesome adventures alongside some of our favorite Bible heroes

and discover the qualities that make us truly heroic in God. At HERO CENTRAL VBS, kids (and leaders)

will discover their strength in God through epic music, spectacular science, crafty crafts, heroic recreation, and fantastic Bible stories. Along their way, they will hear about our mission project and enjoy being active with their VBS friends! Registration cost is \$25*/per child and includes class placement, t-shirt and music cd. Youth and adult volunteers are also needed to help share God's love at HERO CENTRAL VBS. Serving at HERO CENTRAL earns you the perk of DISCOUNTED REGISTRATION FEES. All volunteers who serve ALL 5 DAYS from 8:30am to 12:30pm, will be eligible for a discount on registration from \$25 to FREE for each child in their household. Invite a friend and link to goo.gl/Vm7at5 to register children and to goo.gl/LCmCQz to sign up to volunteer. Registration & Payment MUST BE received by Sunday, May 21 to guarantee class placement, t-shirt and music cd. After registering, please mail or drop off your check to the church office. Please be sure to include the Name, Age and Phone # for each child registered. Don't forget to stop by the church office to pick up your 2017 VBS CD, available any time after payment is received! For questions, contact Amy Catanella at acatanella@indianrun.org or 614-889-7728, Ext. 105.

New Session of 1-2-3 Magic Starts on 4/19

The award-winning 1-2-3 Magic program addresses the difficult task of child discipline with humor, keen insight, and proven experience. The technique offers a foolproof method of disciplining children ages two through 12 without arguing, yelling, or PARENTING spanking. By means of three easy-to-follow steps, parents learn to manage troublesome behavior, encourage good behavior, and strengthen the parent-child

relationship. Ten strategies for building a child's self-esteem and the six types of testing and manipulation a parent can expect from the child are discussed, as well as tips on how to prevent homework arguments, make mealtimes more enjoyable, conduct effective family meetings, and encourage children to start doing their household chores.

Location: IRUMC

Duration: 3 sessions, morning OR evening

Meeting Dates and Time: Wednesdays, April 19 & 26 and May 3, 10am OR 7pm

Childcare: Available by reservation only, \$7 first child, \$3 each additional child, per session

Registration: Register online at goo.gl/lhrXFT or contact the church office at office@indianrun.org /

614-889-7728.

Class Questions: Betsy Hussey at husseyb@att.net / 614-670-3399 Childcare Questions: Lisa Cotter at lcotter@indianrun.org / 614-889-7728



OWLS Gals are Invited to a Ladies Tea on 4/22

The OWLS (Older, Wiser, Livelier Seniors) presents a "Ladies Tea" on Saturday, April 22 at 1pm in Fellowship Hall. Participants will enjoy a light lunch followed by a program, "Tea Time in America - Circa 1860" presented by Lexi Bickel, an Ohio Village historian. Bring a tea cup, tea pot or spoon with family history to talk about. Hats and gloves are welcome! Invite your family or friends to join you for this special ladies'

event. For reservations, please contact Sue Weaver at sueweaver8606@gmail.com or 614-323-9045 or call the church office at 614-889-7728.



Spring Clean-Up Scheduled for 4/29

Indian Run Trustees will host a spring clean-up day on Saturday, April 29 from 9am until noon. Everyone is invited to bring their rakes, shovels, leaf tarps, blowers, trimming tools and mulch spreading gloves to help with a variety of projects to beautify God's

house. We had a fantastic turnout last November for the Fall Clean-Up and would hope to have the same as we "Spruce-Up for Spring." Many hands are needed, feel free to come out for one hour or the whole morning. No RSVP needed!



"Addiction in the Dublin Community" Event on 4/25

Dublin Faith Community Partners (DFCP) is announcing the second event in their new series, "Understanding Our Dublin Community: Building Stronger Connections," Please join us on Tuesday April 25 at 7:00pm at Dublin Community Church (81 West Bridge Street, Dublin) for "Addiction in the Dublin Community: The Impact and How We Can

Face the Challenges," featuring guest speakers Jennifer Kollman of Syntero Counseling and Rev. Nancy Day-Achauer of St. Mark's Methodist Church. As people of faith, we seek ways to help and bring hope to those in need within the Dublin community. Join us as we discuss addiction and the resources available to support local families facing addiction issues. All are welcome! Light refreshments will be provided. Please contact Dee Marks at deemarks@deeservices.net to RSVP by Tuesday, April 18.



Connection Point Class Scheduled for 4/30

Connection Point, a special new member class is an opportunity for those who are new INDIAN RUN to Indian Run to get to know more about our church and our denomination. While Connection Point is required for those who are interested in joining the membership of the church, membership is not required to attend. New members will be formally

received into the congregation on Sunday, 5/7.

Location: IRUMC - Room 106

Meeting Date and Time: Sunday, April 30 from 12:15 - 2:30pm

Childcare: Available upon request.

Registration required. Contact Lisa Cotter at lcotter@indianrun.org / 614-889-7728



Annual Night with the Clippers Scheduled for 5/5

M Mark your calendar for the annual Indian Run Friends & Family Night on the Wendy's Hamburger Balcony at Huntington Park. The event will be on Friday, May 5 when the

Clippers play the Indianapolis Indians in a game that begins at 7:15pm. The outing will include a pregame "ballpark buffet" and live music from 5:30-7:15pm in the Right Field Plaza. Tickets are \$35 for adults and \$15 for youth (12 and under). Sign up for tickets at the table in Fellowship Hall or contact the church office at office@indianrun.org or 614-889-7728. Checks can be dropped off to the church office (made payable to IRUMC with "Clippers Outing" in the memo). There will be a carpool leaving the church parking lot at 5:00pm on the 5th. Tickets will be available prior to the event for those wishing to meet the group at the ballpark. This event is open to all IRUMC attendees, extended family, friends and neighbors! Connection groups are welcome to attend as a group! If there are any questions along the way, contact Randy Mobley at Randy@ILBaseball.com.



New Guest Services Team Available to Answer Questions

You may notice some green name tags in the congregation on Sunday. This is our new "Guest Services Team" who kicked off last week! While we all are encouraged to extend radical hospitality, these folks are intentionally committed to working with quests and

newcomers in our midst. Not only will this team help everyone to feel welcome at Indian Run, but they will specifically be available to answer any questions as well. If you have a question or comment, please feel free to "ASK THEM ANYTHING".



We're Hiring...

Indian Run is currently seeking to fill the positions of Office Administrator, Custodian/Building Manager and Youth Pastor.

The **Office Administrator** job duties include but are not limited to the following: office management, facility scheduling, membership database management, and support of the communication needs of the church. This will be a full-time position working 40

hours a week from 8:00-5:00 Monday through Friday. Qualified candidates must possess dynamic people skills, a high level of ability with MS Office products (including Publisher), and excellent organizational skills.

The **Custodian/Building Manager** position is responsible for performing primarily interior maintenance and custodial duties with limited exterior responsibilities. Job duties include performing specialized tasks necessary for cleaning and maintaining church property/equipment, making specialized repairs, and working with the Board of Trustees on major repairs, preventative maintenance, and vendor relationships. This will be a full-time position working 40 hours a week both during and outside of normal business hours (8am-5pm), including weekends as necessary. Qualified candidates must successfully pass drug screening and criminal background checks, be able to lift, move, and carry 50 pounds, and be reliable, hard-working and friendly.

The **Youth Pastor** will lead and coordinate our ministry to middle and high school youth (6th - 12th grade). Primary responsibilities include leadership of Sunday morning and Sunday evening youth activities, development of a school year-long confirmation program, coordination of mission experiences, and integration of youth into the overall ministry of the church. This will be a full-time position working 40 hours a week. Qualified candidates must have a passion for youth ministry, the ability to develop meaningful relationships with youth, great communication skills (including use of technology and social media used by youth), outstanding organizational and leadership skills, and the ability to recruit and involve adult volunteers.

If you or someone you know would like to apply for one of these open positions, please send your resume and references to jobs@indianrun.org and we will contact you if we feel you meet the requirements we are looking for.

Coming soon...

Watch for the job posting for the Director of Parents' Morning Out (part-time) position.



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 AND KINDERGARTEN

April Theme: Jesus in #1 - <u>Link for video preview!</u> **Basic Truth:** Jesus wants to be my friend forever.

Key Question: Who is the best? **Bottom Line:** Jesus is the best!

Memory Verse: "God loved the world so much that He gave His only Son." John 3:16, GNT

Bible Story Focus: We can praise Jesus. Palm Sunday * Matthew 21:1-16

1ST-6TH GRADES

April Theme: Goal! - Link for video preview!

On break, but we invite and encourage parents and their children to read these words together and begin a discussion using this as a guideline.

April Memory Verse: Don't do anything only to get ahead. Don't do it because you are proud. Instead, be humble. Value others more than yourselves. Philippians 2:3 (NIrV)

This verse is part of a passage that describes Jesus' humility. Jesus left everything He deserved to humble Himself to save us. As we respond to Jesus' love, we can show humility as we love on those around us. As we celebrate Jesus' life, death, and resurrection this Easter season, we'll be taking a closer look at the way humility shows up throughout the end of Jesus' time on earth.

In Matthew 26:36-56, we take a look at the very garden where Jesus showed an unbelievable understanding of how important it was to put the will of the Father ahead of His own. Jesus knew why

He came to earth. While He prayed for His Father to make another way, ultimately Jesus knew that He had to let go of what He wanted for the sake of saving the world from sin.

Bottom Line: I can put others first by letting go of what I want. At some point in our lives, we'll be faced with a decision to give up something we want for what someone else wants. For Jesus, this was a matter of life and death. While that may not be the case for us, showing humility in these situations is still important. We pray that kids will realize that showing humility is often more important than getting their way.

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



We're Still Accepting Hotel Toiletries for New Life

We hope you had a wonderful spring break and remembered our friends at New Life by bringing home your extra hotel toiletries. Don't forget to bring them to church with you this Sunday and drop them in the special box near the New Life Bins in Fellowship Hall.

Hotel Toiletries are accepted throughout the year for New Life. If you travel for work or any time your vacation, please scoop up these complimentary items and bring them home to help our friends in need. Thanks!



Sign Up Sheets for 2017 Altar Flowers Available

Altar flowers are the perfect way to honor loved ones or celebrate birthdays, anniversaries and other special occasions! If you would like to donate an arrangement in honor, celebration or memory, the sign-up sheets are available on the Community Bulletin Board in Fellowship Hall or you can contact Ginger at office@indianrun.org, 614-889-7728. Remaining dates are: June 11, 18, 25; July 9; September 24. The cost for the flowers is \$50 and you can take the flowers home any time after the 11am service.

New Life

Urgent Needs for Our Friends at New Life

We have received word from our friends at New Life that they are currently in EXTREME community outreach need of underwear in the following sizes:

- Girls 2T to 8 and 12 to 14
- Boys 2T to 8 and 12 to 14
- Women 5 to 10
- Men small to xx-large

Please drop your donations in the bins in Fellowship Hall. Thanks!

Upcoming Events

(Link to the Church Website for additional information)

4/9 - Palm Sunday

Bunny Bash

4/13 - Maundy Thursday Service

4/14 - Good Friday Service

4/16 - Easter Sunday

No EDGE

4/19 - 1-2-3 Magic Sessions Begin

4/22 - OWLS Ladies Tea

4/29 - Spring Clean-Up

4/30 - Connection Point