

April 14, 2017



Good Friday Service Tonight at 7pm

All are invited to a special Good Friday service this evening 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." Children's

programming will be available for all children ages 6 weeks to 3rd grade.



All Invited to Easter Sunday Services

Celebrate Jesus' resurrection and learn how the story of the death and resurrection of Jesus can become our defining story at Easter Services THIS Sunday morning. 9:30am - Traditional Worship

10:30am - Continental Brunch 11:00am - Contemporary Worship

Grace Place, Nursery and Y2Y Programming will be available. Be sure to link to <u>goo.gl/f54R8Y</u> to invite your friends and family via Facebook.



Sermon Series

This Sunday, as we celebrate Easter, we'll wrap up the special Lenten sermon series and church-wide small group study of *The Way: Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus* with the sermon "Our Defining Story".

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



Easter Schedule for Y2Y & EDGE

As we celebrate Easter this Sunday, we will have Y2Y as usual in Room 203 during the 9:30am Service. EDGE will be cancelled, so everyone can enjoy the holiday with their families. Have a great Easter!



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! Thanks,

The Welcome Team



Reminder...Office Closed on Monday, 4/17

The church office will be closed on Monday, April 17 in observance of Easter. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, April 18.



Register for VBS 2017 Today!

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 Magic discipline with humor, keen insight, and proven experience. The technique offers a foolproof method of disciplining children ages two through 12 without arguing, PARENTING yelling, or spanking. By means of three easy-to-follow steps, parents learn to manage trouble-some 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

Meeting Dates and Time: Wednesdays, April 19 & 26 and May 3 at 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.



New Sermon Series Begins 4/23

Beginning on Sunday, April 23, our focus in worship will be "The Essentials: Exploring our Faith" for the next few months. We'll explore in detail many of the essential elements of a life of faith - practices and concepts that help us know and follow the way of Jesus. Topics will include baptism, communion, worship, prayer,

scripture, the character and nature of God, and more. It will be a great introduction for those who are new to the faith and a great refresher for those who are continuing the journey of faith. Join us!



ASP Stock Sale Continues on 4/23

If you missed it last week, the 2017 Appalachia Service Project (ASP) Stock Sale will take place again before and after worship services on Sunday, April 23rd. This is your opportunity to 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@gmail.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.



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 quest 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 INDIAN RUN new 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



Annual Night with the Clippers Scheduled for 5/5

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 pre-game "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.



Bunny Bash Thank You!

Thank you, Indian Run, for everything you did to make our Bunny Bash as great as it was!!! Through your support, we were able to grow love in our community by connecting with at least 1000 people. The number of participants exceeded any of our expectations. This could have created major difficulties, but your willingness to jump in and help wherever needed enabled us to keep it a positive experience for

everyone.

- 5000 Easter Eggs were hidden and found, with kids wishing we had more. •
- Over 600 ice cream sundaes were served (thanks to those who ran to the store to get more ice cream!)
- 1000 crafts were made by the kids.
- Hundreds of pictures were taken with the Easter Bunny.
- Well over 40 people from the church gave of themselves to help make things happen. •
- And so much more...

Once again, THANK YOU for all you are doing to serve the Lord and grow love in our community!

Amv Catanella Director of Children's Ministry



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 <u>jobs@indianrun.org</u> 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:** God sent Jesus to be my friend forever. Easter * Matthew 26:20-30; 27:45-50; 28:1-7

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)

We're excited to celebrate Easter as we spend time in John 18:12-20:23. We'll start with Jesus' trial and end with celebrating the resurrection. The religious leaders are up in arms because Jesus has claimed to be God. Doesn't matter that it's TRUE; they're still ready to dish out the ultimate punishment. And Jesus chose to give up everything and take that punishment, so that no one else has to.

Bottom Line: I can put others first because Jesus put me first. It cost Jesus everything to put us first. He gave up His life, so we could be with God forever. As we respond to God and His gift of salvation, we can follow Jesus' example and put others first.

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



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

guests 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 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 <u>office@indianrun.org</u>, 614-889-7728. Remaining dates are: June 11 & 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.

Urgent Needs for Our Friends at New Life

New Life We have received word from our friends at New Life that they are currently in EXTREME 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)

- 4/14 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