

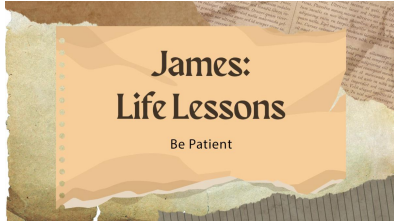


Geist Christian Church E-News May 9, 2024

Looking for any kind of information about worship? YouTube links, attendance registration, prayer requests, and announcements? Find it all in one place on the [worship page](#).

Worship Sunday, May 12

Mud Creek Campus



"You also must be patient. Strengthen your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is near" (James 5:8).

The Book of James is a small book in the New Testament filled with words to live by—life lessons that would serve us well to practice every day. On this last installment in the series, and on Mother's Day, it is good to look at the virtue of patience. Most adults look back at their mothers as examples of patience. It is difficult to demonstrate patience while holding fast to faith.

Mud Creek Campus Weekly Worship

- In person at 9 am and 10:30 am
- 10:30 am live stream online youtube.com/mudcreeklive

Promise Road Campus



"Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus" (John 8:10-11a).

We close the series by examining wholehearted living. The courage to be vulnerable transforms how we live, love, parent, and lead. What does this look like every day?

Promise Road Campus Weekly Worship

- Worship at 10 am and 11:15 am
- 10 am live stream online youtube.com/promiseroadlive

Connect

May Pickleball

- Wednesdays, 4-8 pm (May 15 & 29)
- Promise Road Campus

All skill levels are welcome to play on one of three indoor courts at the Promise Road Campus! Come and go for the 4 hours that the courts are open. [Join our email list](#) to stay in the loop on all things pickleball.



Mother's Day Dessert Auction—This Sunday!

- Sunday, May 12
- Both campuses

A live auction will take place at the Mud Creek Campus place after the 9 am and 10:30 am services. All proceeds will support this summer's mission trips to Nashville, Tennessee, and Panajachel, Guatemala.

Retirement Celebration for Rev. Carolyn Reed

- Saturday, May 18, 2-4 pm
- Promise Road Campus

Geist Christian Church member Rev. Carolyn Reed is retiring after 25 years as the associate regional minister for the Indiana region of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). The Promise Road Campus is hosting the region-wide celebration for her, and you are invited.

Keenagers Outing—Hilbert Circle Theatre

- Thursday, May 30, 10 am-2:30 pm
- Cost: \$15

Step into the world of classical music with the Keenagers as we embark on an unforgettable journey to the Hilbert Circle Theatre for the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra's Coffee Classical performance of Grieg & Sieblius. Following this abbreviated concert experience, we'll reconvene for a delightful lunch at AMP before returning to the church. To reserve your spot email trips@geistchristian.org.



Calling All Graduates

As the end of the school year approaches, do you have someone who will be graduating from high school or college? We'd love to know! On June 9, we will recognize all graduates. Please submit your student's name as well as school and post-graduation plans (i.e., college, trade school, workforce, military, graduate school). Send information to amy.kellogg@geistchristian.org.

Service

What's For Dinner Event—Thank you!

Thank you to those who attended our "What's For Dinner" event on Monday. We learned a lot of information about The Society of St. Andrew's, Come To Me Food Pantry, The Sharing Place, and Hancock County Food Pantry. Donations and volunteers are needed at all locations!

Thank you to those volunteers who made the wonderful beans & rice and cornbread we all enjoyed.

Vegetable Gardens @ Promise Road and Mud Creek

"The love of gardening is a seed once sown that never dies."
—Gertrude Jekyll

Did you know we have raised beds at both campuses? We need your help! Let's get these beds in order. We need more good dirt at Promise Road and could use fencing around the beds at both locations to keep the deer out. Volunteers are needed to help plant, weed, water, and harvest throughout the growing season.



This is a wonderful opportunity for families, those who need some quiet time, and anyone who likes to play in the dirt! All are welcome! Vegetables will be donated to the food pantries. Fresh vegetables are in HIGH demand!

Please email michelle.latty@geistchristian.org if you are interested in helping at Promise Road and innanddiboyd@att.net if interested in helping at Mud Creek.

Children & Youth

GCC Kids Mud Creek Campus

Sunday School at 9 am and 10:30 am.
The nursery is open for children 6 weeks to 3 years old in room 202 (Nursery).
Sunday school has moved to Pastor Crystal's classroom (209 near Altered).

GCC Kids Promise Road Campus

Sunday School at 10 am and 11:15 am for ages 4-4th grade in Room 108.
Childcare for children 6 weeks through 4 years old is located in Room 106 in the Children's Wing at 10 am and 11:15 am.



No Youth Group: Mother's Day

- Sunday, May 12th

No Youth Group this Sunday. Enjoy time with your moms and the women you love!



VBS @ Promise Road—Registration Now Open!

- June 18-21, 9:30 am-12 pm
- Promise Road Campus

Wild Life is a 4-day adventure where kids discover how special they are to God and how wild it is that they can share their story, use their gifts, spend time with God, and spend time with others!

[Register here!](#)

Volunteer for Promise Road VBS! [Sign up here.](#)

Weekday Ministries

Weekday Ministries is currently enrolling for kindergarten, transitional-kindergarten, pre-K, preschool, and Child's Day Out. Both of our Weekday Ministries campuses provide a safe, secure environment where God's love is integrated throughout the day. We invite families to explore our website, geistwdm.org, or contact the director at either campus for more information and to schedule a tour:

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Other

Welcome New Members

Welcome to Pat and Chan O'Connor, who joined Geist Christian Church on May 5. Pat and Chan serve on the Hospitality Team at the Promise Road Campus. We look forward to continuing to serve with you both.

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