



Geist Christian Church E-News November 4, 2021

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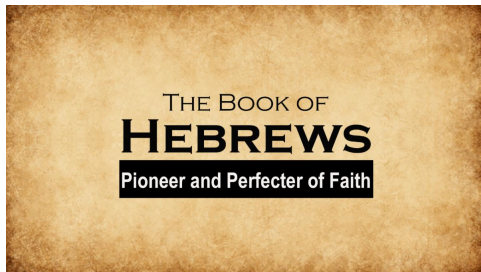
Turn Back the Clocks Saturday Night



Daylight Saving Time Ends on Sunday, November 7, 2021 @ 2:00 am

Be sure to set your clocks back before bed on Saturday, November 6 so you get to church on time!

Worship Sunday, November 7



“Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses...” (Hebrews 12:1a)

In this second of a three-week Hebrews series, today's passage points to those who have gone before us as reason we can be assured of the love of Jesus Christ. Because of him, our burdens become lighter so that we can run the race of life with perseverance. Pastor Ryan Hazen preaching.

In-person worship 9 & 10:30 am
Mud Creek Campus
8550 Mud Creek Road, Indianapolis, IN

Live stream service @10:30 am [HERE](#).



Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us Hebrews 12:1

We welcome Andra Moran as guest artist and worship leader this week. Andra has released six full-length albums and one Christmas EP, as well as a bilingual album. Andra's songs have been published in contemporary song and hymnal collections and are sung in churches, summer camps, and dorm rooms in the United States and Europe.

Pastor Danny Gulden's message is *Surrounded*.

In-person worship 10:00 am
Promise Road Campus
12756 Promise Road, Fishers, IN

Upcoming Worship

Promise Road Campus New Worship Schedule begins November 14- As we have been planning for November 14, we discovered and heard that there was a better option for a new worship schedule at the Promise Road Campus. Worship services at Promise Road will take place at **9 AM and 10 AM**.

We are calling the **9 AM** worship **Simple Worship**. It will include the Praise team, the message, and communion, but will be shorter in length, running about 40-45 minutes. This is the perfect service for those who wish to worship in a shorter time frame. Children are invited into worship during this service for those who desire to worship together as a family.

The **10 AM service** will be the same as it always has been, led by the Praise Team, with message and communion. Children's Sunday School will be offered at 10 AM and a Nursery will be available at both services. We believe this gives people two great options on Sunday mornings.

The "new" new schedule begins Sunday, November 14

2022 General Fund

#beGenerous - Pledge Now!

If you have not made your pledge for 2022, we encourage you to do so as soon as possible. Your pledge to make a difference in the coming year will help the church leadership plan for the ministries that are ahead for Geist Christian Church. Pledge [online](#) or [download and print a pledge card](#) to return. What does your pledge support at Geist Christian Church? Find out [here](#).



Connect

Veterans Appreciation Dinner

- Wednesday, November 10
- 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm at the Promise Road Campus

Those who have served our country in the military will be honored at this event. All veterans and their families are invited to gather for food, fun, and fellowship with one another. Enjoy a meal, music, and musings by guest speaker, Janet Brothers as she shares a powerful story of her family's experiences in the World War II era. Please RSVP by using the QR Code here, or by contacting Michelle Latty at lattyfamily@yahoo.com.



Serve & Donate

Season of Giving - Thanksgiving It's the Season for Giving

The annual Season of Giving project has begun! Already the bags that will be filled with nonperishable food for 120 families have been distributed to the congregation. They are due back at church by **Wednesday, November 17**. Potatoes, bags of apples and a turkey will be added to the bag of non-perishables for each family. Here are more ways you can still help:

- Volunteer to deliver the groceries to the families homes on **Saturday, November 20**
- [Donate money](#) for the purchase of

turkeys and fresh food item

Contact serve@geistchristian.org to volunteer.



Poinsettias for Advent

During the season of Advent which begins Sunday, November 28, poinsettia plants decorate the worship spaces. Donations of plants can be given 'in honor of' or 'in memory of' friends, family and events. The cost to donate poinsettias is \$10. There is also an opportunity to donate to the Christmas Concerts on December 12 which will be held at all worship services.



[Donate Here](#) or use the QR code.

Afghan Evacuee Assistance Will Continue

There are thousands of evacuees from Afghanistan. We at Geist Christian have been very generous to assist those who are processing through Camp Atterbury. Now we are ready to take a next step. Plans are being made for the church to be a co-sponsor with Exodus Refugee and Immigration in resettling an evacuee family. We are a congregation with many gifted people from furniture to finances, translators to transportation. Your gifts may be just what are needed! And many hands will make light work. Might you be interested in joining us to welcome and settle a family into our community?



A Come and See Information meeting will be held on **Sunday evening, November 14: 5 pm pitch-in meal, 5:45 pm, Info Session**. Make plans to join us by signing up with the QR code. Questions can be directed to [Deb Strock-Kuss](#) or [Kyle Brown](#).



A New Set of Long Johns! Long John Sunday, November 21

That's right. Geist Christian Church is looking for new sets of long underwear for the Fishers/Indianapolis at-risk population. A thermal set of tops and bottoms are gifts to the folks most in need during these cold winter months. We recommend that the sets be Large or X-Large (better too big than too small). Men's, women's and children's sets are all acceptable. All underwear sets will be blessed for distribution on Sunday, November 21.

2022 Sanctuary Flowers at the Mud Creek Campus Now Available!



The online Sanctuary Flower Chart is now available for 2022. The cost is \$80 per bouquet and may be given in honor or in memory of family, friends, and events. Reserve your dates for 2022! **There is one bouquet is left in 2021 on December 19.** If you would like to donate this

bouquet, please contact esther.sickle@geistchristian.org.

[Online Sanctuary Flower Sign-up](#)

HIGH SCHOOL LOCK-IN

High School Lock-In

- Saturday, November 6 - Sunday, November 7
 - 8 pm-8 am
 - Mud Creek Campus
- Youth in grades 9-12 are invited to the High School

Lock-In this Saturday! Snacks, drinks, and breakfast on Sunday morning will be provided. Please be sure to eat dinner before drop-off. The lock-in will end at 8 am but anyone who would like to stay for the 9 am service is welcome!

To help us prepare enough food for everyone, please [RSVP](#). As always, friends are welcome to join!

Youth Group: Gratitude Night & Capture the Flag

- Sunday, November 7
- 5-7 pm
- Promise Road Campus

Join the youth for a night of gratitude and fun! We will share dinner together, focus our hearts and minds on gratitude and then finish up the night with a game of capture the flag. Don't forget \$5 for dinner.



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