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Return service requested.

Thomas Graves Men's Group will meet on Saturday, May 4th at 9 a.m. for breakfast, fellowship and a short devotion. All men of the church are invited. Scriptures are John 6:40 & Luke 24:36-37

Elders Meeting will be Sunday, May 5 following church service in the chapel for a short meeting.

Friendship Circle will meet on Monday, May 6th at 12 noon at Kayla's Diner for lunch.

L.I.N.C.S. will meet on Tuesday, May 7th at 6 p.m. at the home of Barb Yeast (129 Aspen Ct.) for potluck.

Wise & Wonderful Dinner Club will meet on Tuesday, May 21st at 5 p.m. in the church kitchen.

General Board will meet on Sunday, May 19th at 5 p.m. in the fellowship hall. All elders and deacons are encouraged to attend.

#### Sack Lunch Sunday **Sunday, May 12 & 26**

We will meet every 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month to pack lunches for Mercer Transformation. We will meet at 9 a.m. in the church kitchen. We are making 80 sandwiches as they hand out over 200 bag lunches each week.

### Congratulations

Congratulations to Brehnan & Paige Miller on the birth of a daughter. Hattie Tames born on April 22. She weighted 8 pounds 5 ounces and 19 inches long. Her grandparents are Tack & Cala Coleman.



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## The Church Messenger

HARRODSBURG CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 305 SOUTH MAIN STREET, HARRODSBURG, KY, 40330 To be Christ-Centered by living, sharing, proclaiming, and celebrating God's Word.

#### **SERVING IN MAY ELDERS**

Carolyn Royalty Kenny Wade Barb Yeast Larry Royalty

#### **DEACONS**

Beverly Royalty Simon Louallen **Audrey Lester** Elizabeth Springate

Church Office Will be closed Monday, May 27th



#### **HOMEBOUND** COMMUNION

Will be served on Sunday, May 5th



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#### A Moment with Micki

#### **NEXT STEPS FOR** HARRODSBURG CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Over the last several months we have had three gatherings where we have begun the conversations of who are we as Harrodsburg CC. What are our passions, hope and joys? What are we doing well? What might we need to let go of? What needs more attention and resources so we can do it well? It was not a time to come up with solutions or plans. It was time to listen.

We had around 50 people take part. I began each meeting sharing that my hope for these meetings is that in our conversations we begin to see the ways God is already at work among us, showing us the way to what is next. I did not have any real concrete expectation for the outcome for these gatherings except for it to be a place to listen to one another. Thank you for all those who took part and the beautiful way you listened to one another, heard each other's concerns, and smiled at each other's expressions of joys and hopes.

The unexpected gift that came from these meetings is a sense of joy, love, and excitement for our shared ministries at HCC and who we are as a community of faith. Maybe some of what was shared was not new and you might think, "well, we knew that already." There is power in coming together and hearing in many different ways our shared passions and joys. I'll be sharing more from the pulpit of where I saw and heard God in our conversations.

For now, I want to share two undeniable and strong common threads that wove through all three gatherings as we answered the first question. What are we most passionate about? These two answers were shared with such excitement and with everyone around the table in complete agreement. First: WE ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT BEING INCLUSIVE. Being inclusive was the first mentioned in each meeting and stories were shared in the many ways this is important to us. Second: WE ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT SERVICE. It is in our DNA. Long time members shared that they cannot remember a time when outreach and care for others was not a huge part of HCC. New members shared it is one of the many things about HCC that they love.

After each gathering, many shared how glad they were that they took part. They were not aware that HCC does so much. They loved hearing the stories and the joy in those stories. They appreciated the honesty as hopes were shared. Church, I am excited too and I can't wait to share more about these conversations with you. God really is leading the way.

Pastor Micki

#### Birthdays & Anniversaries in May

#### Birthdays

- 1 Melissa Gribbins, Donna Holiday
- 3 Brent Moseley
- 4 Dan Chilton
- 5 Louise Ransdell
- 15 Andrew Martin . Linda Standau
- B. J. Burton
- 25 Peggy Gillette
- 26 Jennifer Baxter
- 31 Joy Stevens

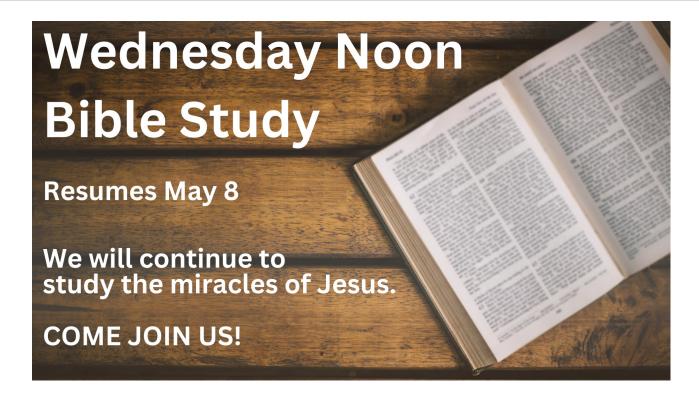
#### **Anniversaries**

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- O Andrew & Ali Martin
- Jon & Sharon Clark
- 27 Steve & Claudia Hall
  - Paul & Ellen Campbell



#### WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY



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#### **MAY SERMON SERIES**

May 5	I am the Good Shepherd John 10:11-18
May 12	I am the Resurrection and the Life John 11:17-27

May 19 Pentecost Sunday Act 2:1-21

## **Summer Preaching Series Prayers for Everyday**

May 26	Psalm 1	Grounded in Prayer
June 2	Psalm 113	Praise Matters

June 9 Psalm 9 Prayers that are honest and real



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# Ladies Tea



### Saturday, May 11 2:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall

Call the church office to make your reservation (ages 5 to 105)

# Delicate Delights

Scones with Devonshire Cream & Lemon Curd Finger Sandwiches, Desserts & Tea

#### **MAY SERVING SCHEDULE**

May 5 May 12 May 19 May 26	Nursery Donna Holiday Lesley Powell Ali Martin Barb Shewmaker		
May 5 May 12 May 19 May 26	Sound Tonya Schroeder Sadie Peavler Paul Campbell John Perkins	Camera Dianne Oliverio Dianne Oliverio Chandler Royalty Chandler Royalty	Media Shout Jack Coleman Jack Coleman Jack Coleman Jack Coleman
<u>Elders</u>	Bread	Wine & Peo	nle's Praver
May 5 May 12 May 19 May 26	Carolyn Royalty Carolyn Royalty Barb Yeast Barb Yeast	<u>Wine &amp; People's Prayer</u> Kenny Wade Kenny Wade Larry Royalty Larry Royalty	

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## **May 2024**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			8:30 am TicToc 9:30 am Yoga 12 pm Rotary 6 pm Choir	5 pm TOPS 6 pm Commu- nity Choir 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm National Day of Prayer	<b>3</b> 8:30 am TicToc	4 9 am TGMG
5 Homebound Communion 11:30 am Elders Meeting	6 8:30 am TicToc 9:30 am Yoga 12 pm Friend- ship Circle 5:30 pm Yoga	7 6 pm LINCS	8:30 am TicToc 9:30 am Yoga 12 pm Rotary 12 pm Bible Study 6 pm Choir	5 pm TOPS 6 pm Commu- nity Choir 6:30 pm Girl Scouts	8:30 am TicToc 9:30 am Yoga 1 pm Setup for Ladies Tea	2 pm Ladies Tea
Mother's Day 9 am Sack Lunch Sunday	8:30 am TicToc 9:30 am Yoga 5:30 pm Yoga	8:30 am TicToc - Last Day	9:30 am Yoga 12 pm Rotary 12 pm Bible Study 6 pm Choir	5 pm TOPS 6 pm Community Choir 6:30 pm Girl Scouts	<b>17</b> 9:30 am Yoga	4 pm Boyle Co. Band Banquet
19 Pentecost 5 pm General Board Meeting	5:30 pm Habitat Meeting	5 pm Wise and Wonderful Dinner	9:30 am Yoga 12 pm Rotary 12 pm Bible Study 6 pm Choir	5 pm TOPS 6 pm Commu- nity Choir	<b>24</b> 9:30 am Yoga	25 6 pm Rose Hill Alumni Banquet
<b>26</b> 9 am Sack Lunch Sunday	OFFICE CLOSED 9:30 am Yoga	28 5 pm Family Ministry Team	9:30 am Yoga 12 pm Rotary 12 pm Bible Study 6 pm Choir	5 pm TOPS 6 pm Community Choir	<b>31</b> 9:30 am Yoga	
9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Services					es	

#### OUTREACH MINISTRY TEAM

The wheels on the bus ...

We're headed back to the bus garage at Mercer school for our follow-up appreciation mission and invite you to be a part of this special outreach!

### Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> 7:30 am - 9:00 am

We will be offering food and a small token of appreciation to the bus transportation employees as they finish up this school year. Come show your support to these valuable, but often overlooked, group of workers! There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the sanctuary or you can contact the church office to let us know you're interested.

#### **PENTECOST SUNDAY**

Pentecost Sunday falls on May 19th this year. This special day commemorates the Holy Spirit's descent, which ignited the birth of the church. We invite you to join us in celebrating this significant milestone! Wear red and come rejoice with us as we honor the continuous presence and work of the Holy Spirit in our lives.



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#### **FAMILY MINISTRY TEAM**

The Family Ministry Team will meet on Tuesday, May 28 at 5 p.m. in the library to discuss details for the brunch potluck on Sunday, June 30th. Watch for more information in the bulletin.

#### **CCK REGIONAL ASSEMBLY**

