

Join us for "Coffee Talk"

Just a chance to get together and chat about happenings in the Mission Center, World Church, and in your congregation and life. Open to all congregations! **Pick which location is closest to you.**



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9:00 AM

- Friday, Feb. 10 Perkins, 6292 North Oak,
Gladstone (Highlands, Excelsior Springs,
Liberty, Leavenworth,...)
- Friday, March 3 Shawnee Drive Congregation, 4440
Shawnee Drive, KC, KS
- Friday, April 7 Topeka Congregation, 5252 SW 19th St.
Topeka KS
- Friday, May 12 Mission Road Congregation
7842 Mission Road, Prairie Village, KS


Wichita area "Coffee Talk", 3rd Thursday of each month at
3:00 PM at Panera Bread at 3337 E Central Wichita

February 2017

- 10 Coffee Talk, Perkins, 6292 North Oak, Gladstone
- 14 Valentine's Day 
- 18 Celebration of Peace, Temple, 7:30 pm 
- 25 Pursuit of Peace, 9am-noon, Good Shepherd Cong,
4341 Blue Ridge Blvd, Kansas City, MO



March 2017

- 3 Coffee Talk, Shawnee Drive Congregation
- 3-5 Women's Retreat, Camp Doniphan 
- 18 Encountering Mission, The Temple, 9:00-3:00



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UMKC CELEBRATION OF PEACE FESTIVAL

**Saturday, February 18, 2017
7:30 p.m.
Community of Christ Temple
1001 West Walnut Street
Independence, MO 64050**

**Sponsored by UMKC Conservatory of Music and Dance
and Community of Christ**

The UMKC Conservatory Choirs join with several area high school choirs to present the fifth annual Celebration of Peace Festival, a concert to benefit the Rose Brooks Center. (The Rose Brooks Center provides emergency shelter to women and children escaping life-threatening abuse.)

FREE admission, donations accepted to benefit the Rose Brooks Center.



**Women's Retreat
March 3-5, 2017 at Camp
Doniphan**

Cost: \$98

Our guest minister is one of our favorite ladies, Kris Judd. Kris has served in many areas of ministry—most recently as a president of seventy and missionary coordinator, pastor of a multicultural urban congregation, and minister of children, youth, women, and families from disadvantaged situations. Kris is also Staff Pastor for Community of Christ Headquarters.

Kris will be returning this year to share our theme of “Love, Joy, and Song.” Music fills and feeds our souls. Love and Song fills and feeds our souls and brings us Joy in good times and especially those really tough times—a joy that only God can give. Together in our praises, worship and meditations, Love, Joy, and Song keeps us devoted to following God and His direction for our life.

As we listen and/or sing the words of our favorite hymn or contemporary Christian music, faith and love help us to develop a closer relationship with God and with others. I invite you to come celebrate with us and discover how Love, Joy and Song is an expression of who you are and who you are to become in Christ. Your sister in Christ, Wendy Gunn

Check www.midlandsmc.org for more information and a registration form for the Women's Retreat.



RECENT COMMUNITY OF CHRIST THEOLOGY DEVELOPMENT –

The Pursuit of Peace in Community of Christ

Saturday, February 25, 2017,

9:00 to Noon,

Presenter: Lach Mackay

Good Shepherd Congregation, 4341 Blue Ridge Blvd, KCMO

ENCOUNTERING MISSION

Saturday, 18 March 2017
The Temple, Independence, MO



8:30 AM Gathering and Greeting

9:00 Opening Worship:

The Journey to Encountering Mission

- Christ's Mission Our Mission

9:45 FIRST PRESIDENCY PRESENTATION: Understanding Vision and Mission of the Church Today

- What it means to fulfill God's ultimate vision
- Understanding the 5 mission initiatives
- Connecting Members to their role in that Vision
- Opportunity for dialogue

10:40

11:00

Mission Moment

Break

Bishopric: Discipleship/Sustainable Growth

- Spiritual nature of Stewardship towards abundant generosity
- Integrated giving
- Opportunity for dialogue

Mission Moment

11:50

Break for lunch

12:00PM

LUNCH- Boxed lunches

LUNCH AND LEARN SESSIONS (12:00-12:25,
12:30-12:55)

Q & A with FP

Q & A with PB

Invitation and Witness

Formation and Resources

Latter-day Seeker Ministry

Partnering in Mission

Open Table

1:00

Daily Prayer for Peace—Mission Moment

1:30

Field Presentation

- Celebrating mission in CMF
- Opportunities for mission in CMF
- What is the calling of CofChrist to do Mission worldwide & USA
- Roles of USA Apostles, FSMs, and P70 in the mission of CofC
- Connecting members to USA & World Mission stories- eg. WH/TL

2:50

Closing Devotion/Blessing/Sending Forth

3:00

Adjourn






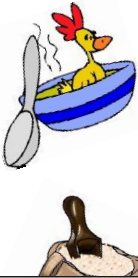
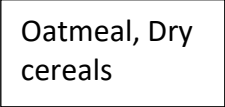
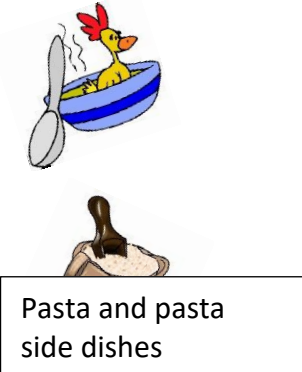



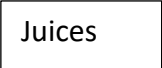

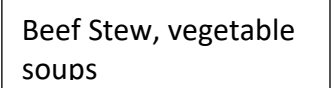

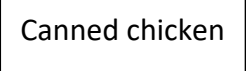
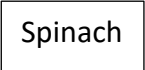

**MIDLANDS MISSION CENTER
2017 SUMMER
CAMPING PROGRAM**

Sr. High Camp: June 11 – 16
Doniphan Reunion: June 25 - 30
Youth Quest KC: July 6 - 8
Chihowa Reunion: July 9 - 14
SPEC: July 22 - 29
MITIOG: July 23 - 28
Junior Camp: July 30 – Aug 3



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Holidays are over! Hunger goes on...
CENTRAL AVENUE NEEDS:



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