

Take Note



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COVID-19 UPDATES

World Church buildings and historic sites remain closed. Congregations can work with mission center leadership to decide when and how to reopen. The upcoming World Conference has been delayed until 2023.

SAVE THE DATE

Mission:Learn	9 am – 12 pm Saturday, March 26
MMC Worship	10:30 am Sunday March 27
TWIST	April 1 – 3
Young Adult Retreat	April 1 – 3 http://centralmission.org/yam/
Chihowa Work Day	9am Saturday, April 21
Worldwide Worship	June 12

SUMMER 2022

June 2 – 12	Senior High Caravan
June 19 – 23	Junior Camp @ Chihowa
June 19 – 24	Middle School Camp @ Chihowa
June 29 – July 3	Reunion @ Doniphan
July 10 – 15	Reunion @ Chihowa
July 16 – 23	Spectacular @ Graceland **NEW DATES**
July 28 – 30	Youth Quest @ TBD



Norton Heights Congregation Seeking Congregational Leaders
One or more experienced, ordained ministers are needed to join the pastor team effective March 1, 2022. Interested individuals should be comfortable with inner city culture and social justice challenges, be passionate about ministry with all ages, and share Norton Heights’s commitment to inclusivity. Contact Janet Dellinger: 816.868.8237 or jdellinger1@gmail.com

Headquarters Survey for Individuals Aged 18 – 50
CofChrist in the USA and Canada is curious about the needs and desires of our younger members and friends. Many people have a connection to the church from childhood or through camps and reunions but may not be active in regular church activities. Please encourage friends and family ages 18 – 50 to share an email or mobile number to participate in a simple survey. <https://bit.ly/18-50survey>

Historic Sites Summer Interns
Come share the history of Community of Christ with visitors from all over the world! The Kirtland Temple (Kirtland, OH) and the Joseph Smith Historic Site (Nauvoo, IL) are looking for summer 2022 history interns. In addition to interpreting the past, interns assist in museum store sales, help host congregational retreats, special events, and evening hymn festivals. For more information and to apply: <https://cofchrist.org/careers/> (click “pro/skilled”)

Midlands Mission Center

Historic Caravan

2022



Midlands & Farwest Mission Centers Senior High Youth (finishing 9-12 grades) are invited on a bus trip June 2–12 to Community of Christ historic sites and other cities to explore our past and how it affects our future.



To prepare for the trip, we are hosting six zoom sessions with guest speakers to connect with each other and learn CofChrist history.

8 – 10 pm Wednesdays April 6 through May 18

(No meeting April 20 during Easter week)

Financing the Caravan and Youth Programming:

Midlands MC is having an ONLINE auction and we need your help!

- Join the Facebook group “Midlands Youth Fund Auction”
- Donate NEW or CRAFTED items for the auction (individual items, themed baskets, sports tickets, handcrafted items, etc.)
- Bid for items beginning April 3 – rules are on the Facebook page

To contribute in lieu of traditional fundraisers:

- Mail a check to MMC with “Youth Fund” in the memo line
- Choose “Youth Fund” under MMC eTithing
- Contribute through the link on the Facebook auction page
- Coordinate with your Congregational Financial Officer

Thank you for your support and your investment in youth.

Lenten Path Series

Making a Way out of No Way

March 1 – April 11

Wander the Lenten path with sacred invitations to alternative ways of being and seeing in our world. Led by The Center for Living Water, we will root ourselves in liberation, justice, and a holistic vision of salvation, here on this Earth. For more information visit www.centerforlivingwater.org/lent-2022

Ash Wednesday Worship – Available 7pm March 2 via Facebook & YouTube

Each Friday of Lent – Explore weekly questions and different interpretations of a new song, “From No Way.” To submit a vocal or instrumental contribution, visit www.centerforlivingwater.org/participateinlent.

Daily Bread – Scriptures, reflective writings from diverse, global perspectives, and daily questions exploring the theme will be released every Monday.

JPATKC Book Study

7–8:30 pm Tuesdays 3/1, 3/15, 3/29, 4/12, 4/26, 5/10 & 5/24

Central and Midlands Mission Centers are invited to read and explore “How the Word is Passed: A Reckoning with the History of Slavery Across America” by Clint Smith. To register: <https://bit.ly/JPAT-HowTheWordIsPassed>

USA Field Conversations on Non-Violence

Discussing WCR 1319 for World Conference 2023

7 pm Thursdays March 28 – May 5

All are invited to join these conversations, and we welcome the diversity of voices that shape our journey as a church community.