

June 27, 2015 - Cane Ridge Day

Gathering begins at 9:30 a.m.

Morning Program at 10:00 a.m.



Speaker: Rev. Bill McDonald

Whatever Others Might Do: from the life of L. L. Pinkerton

Bill McDonald is a retired minister of the Christian Church (DOC) and served congregations in Texas, Louisiana and Kentucky (Crestwood Christian, 1995-2008). He recently finished serving as the interim pastor at South Elkhorn Christian Church. He is a member of the Board of Trustees at Lexington Theological Seminary and Board of the World Convention of Churches of Christ.

12-1 p.m. Lunch on the grounds with the Backroom Bluegrass Band performing. Band members include Central members Bill and Jane Johnson.

Afternoon Program at 1:00 p.m.

Speakers: Dr. Guy Waldrop and Rev. Nancy Jo Kemper

Anticipating The Future: Disciples and Higher Education at Transylvania

Central member Guy Waldrop currently serves as Director of the Council of Colleges and Universities of the Christian Church (DOC), which represents fourteen Disciples of Christ church related colleges and universities. He is the former Kentucky Regional Minister and Minister of Evangelism at Central.

Nancy Jo Kemper served as the Executive Director of the Kentucky Council of Churches from 1991 until her retirement in 2009. She is the pastor of New Union Christian Church near Midway. As a writer and speaker, she is a longtime social justice activist about a wide array of social issues facing America.

Bring a picnic lunch and enjoy the fellowship. There are picnic tables scattered about the grounds. North Middletown Christian Church CYF will be selling bottle water and other beverages.

Jane Johnson's CD "Music From The Ridge" is available for \$15 with all proceeds going to Cane Ridge.

Disciples Women Garden Tour and Lunch

Tickets will be available at church Saturday morning, June 13, before the tour leaves (9:45 a.m.).



Adult Summer Camp

Under the leadership of Lisa Maas, the Congregational Care Ministry team is making some of the most memorable pieces of the youth church camp experience available for adults this summer.

- * Saturday, June 13, 10 a.m.-12 noon: "Aromatic Healing Oils of the Bible and How to Safely Use Them Today" with Lee Ball
- * Wednesday, June 17, 6:30-8:30 p.m.: "Writing, Breathing and Prayer" with Susan Brown
- * Saturday, June 20, 10 a.m.-12 noon: "Designing a Devotion: Creating a Personal Prayer Totem with Beads" with Martha Campbell
- * Wednesday, June 24, 6:30-8:30 p.m.: "The Zen of Poker" with Michael Maas
- * Saturday, June 27, 10 a.m.-12 noon: "Multiple Intelligence Toolbox 101: Interpreting Scripture YOUR Way and Having Fun, Too!" with Jennie Shirey
- * Wednesday, July 8, 6:30-8:30 p.m.: "Exploration of Healing Touch" with Drs. Angela and Jon Webb
- * Wednesday, July 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m.: "Yoga" with Megan Murph
- * TBA—"Campfire Songs and S'mores" at Pepperhill Farm with Barb and Don Stephens.

Mark your calendars to join us for one or all of these interest opportunities. There is no cost to attend. Please register by calling the church office (859) 233-1551 or by emailing Elizabeth at elizabeth.n.king@gmail.com.

Crisis Care Becomes *Helping Hands*

The Crisis Care program has changed its name to "Helping Hands" (some of you may remember this name from the past). This better describes the ministry and will allow us to expand our services. This program has evolved over the years to its current format which is organized by lay leaders from our Outreach Ministries Team. The first Monday and Wednesday of each month volunteers have open hours (10 a.m.-noon) during which people in the community can receive helpful items: round trip bus passes, razors, socks, toiletries, etc. As most of our recipients are homeless, or very nearly so, this program has been met with much enthusiasm and gratitude.

We recently surveyed our recipients as to their greatest needs. A consistent answer has been back packs. We would like to be able to provide some; so if you have any used but usable back packs please bring them to the receptionist's desk in the Welcome area. We want to thank everyone for donating toiletries, which has allowed us to restock our dwindling supplies. As you travel this summer, please remember to collect any unused hotel toiletries. There is a collection basket in the Welcome area.

To volunteer for this ministry, please contact Kathryn Zink at KMZNK@twc.com or at (859) 263-8013. Again, thank you for your contributions and your continued prayers for this worthwhile ministry.