

Crescent Hill This Week
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WEEKLY CALENDAR
SUNDAY, APRIL 17

- 9:00 Karen Announcements (Chapel)
Fellowship Coffee (Birchwood)
- 9:15 Karen Worship (Chapel)
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 12:15 Personnel Team (Parlor)
- 12:30 Citizenship Class (Youth Room)
- 1:00 Chin Worship (Chapel)
- 5:00 Divorce Support Groups (2nd floor)

MONDAY, APRIL 18

- 11:00 Live Wires (Fellowship Hall)

TUESDAY, APRIL 19

- 1:15 Staff Meeting (Parlor)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20

- 10:30 New Testament Class (Parlor)
- 3:30 Homework Help (Youth Room)
- 5:15 Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:00 Announcements/Prayer (Fellowship Hall)
Youth & Children's Activities
- 6:30 Prayer Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:10 Chancel Choir (Choir Room)
Finance Team (Parlor)

THURSDAY, APRIL 21

- 5:55 Change of Heart (Heritage Hall)

FRIDAY, APRIL 22

SATURDAY, APRIL 23

THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

Ushers April 17: Rae Taylor, leader; Ron Horn; Janet Miller; Melinda Stricklen

Extended Session April 17: Melanie Bunger, Kelley Woggon, Diane Robl, Marjorie Ash, Bobbie Thomason

Coffee April 17: Jane Hardin

Sunday Evening Childcare April 17: TBD

NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

Ushers April 24: Glen Bellou; HB Brady; Bob Hieb; Bobbie Thomason

Extended Session April 24: Calrie, Debbie Brashear, John Birkimer, Faith Bushnaq

Coffee April 24: Gail and Dale Tucker

Sunday Evening Childcare April 24: John and Sharleen Birkimer

WORSHIP AT CRESCENT HILL

April 24 – Fourth Sunday after Easter

Mark Howell preaching

WEDNESDAYS MOVING AHEAD ARE:

April 20 Update from Andrea

April 27 Practicing Resurrection

May 4 Practicing Resurrection Reports

May 11 Haleh Kirimi, an Iranian Muslim woman who serves as Director of Interfaith Paths of Peace, will share about her spiritual journey and her work.

LIVE WIRES

Everyone is invited to join the Live Wires on **Monday, April 18** at 11:00 AM in Fellowship Hall. Kelley Woggon will present a program on the benefits of making and expressing end-of-life decisions. Making your wishes known to your loved ones, your healthcare providers, and even your friends can relieve them of the need to guess what you would want.

CYCLOUVIA

Cyclouvia is returning to Frankfort Avenue for the 3rd time on **Sunday, April 24** from 2 to 6 PM along Frankfort Avenue. The street will be open to all non-motorized users from Stilz Avenue to Pope Street with police facilitated motor crossing at Ewing Avenue. Many businesses along the corridor will be open with specials for the event. Please note that our parking lots will not be available.

KBF SPRING GATHERING: "Living as Covenant Community"

Join friends from Kentucky Baptist Fellowship at Campbellsville University as we celebrate 25 years of being a Fellowship, **April 22-23**. Our keynote presenter for this gathering is Rev. Karen Thomas Smith, president of the Protestant Church of Morocco. Breakout Sessions **Saturday Morning** include the refugee crisis, CBF Global Missions, EmpowerWest, predatory lending and human trafficking. Presenters will include Steve, Annette and Jason.

PRACTICING RESURRECTION

In two of the gospels our resurrected Savior appears to his followers during a meal. That's telling. We experience resurrection in the breaking of bread (Luke's gospel) and when eating fish for breakfast (John's gospel).

Jesus portrayed in the gospel of John also tells us post-resurrection people to go and feed

others as Jesus feeds us. "Do you love me?" Jesus asks Simon Peter. "Then, go, and feed my sheep."

Jesus invites us to not only experience resurrection, but, to borrow a phrase from Wendell Berry, practice resurrection. We practice it in all kinds of ways, but the gospels emphasize that food is a central element of experiencing and practicing resurrection.

At Crescent Hill Baptist Church, we have been blessed with many assets. One of the best assets at our disposal is our Wednesday evening meal. The food is delicious, healthy, and plentiful. My busy family always looks forward to this mid-week respite from our kitchen. I do not think we are alone. Other busy families need meal help too, as do older people for whom cooking is a laborious chore. Others, I know, grow weary of eating alone.

On the Christian calendar, the season of Easter runs from Easter Sunday until Pentecost Sunday, May 15. During this season, let's experience and practice resurrection by following Jesus' instruction and utilizing a valuable asset available to us - food! Let's go and feed God's people.

1. Think of somebody or somebodies who could use a good, home-cooked meal in the middle of the week.
2. Call and ask if they would like for you to bring them a meal on **Wednesday evening, April 27**. (The menu for the evening will be: lemon chicken, jasmine rice, steamed broccoli, garden salad and dessert.)
3. Tell us by the end of the day **April 20** how many meals you would like to purchase the following week.
4. Pay for the meals (\$7.00 each), pick them up, then deliver on April 27.

We will gather for our Wednesday evening Fellowship Meal as we usually do that evening. We will eat together. Then, following a brief time of prayer and sharing, we will disperse with meals in hand for delivery by 6:30.

Of course, if you just want to pick up a meal for yourself and/or delivery you can do so anytime between 5:15 and 6:30. Experience resurrection. Practice it too.