

Newsletter

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Kirksville First Assembly of God

Christ-Centered, Bible-Engaged, Spirit-Empowered, Missions-Participating

From Bobbie's Desk...

He is Risen!

Christmas time is my favorite time of the year. Our Savior coming in the most humble way to save us from our sins and bring us from death to life. But, it's Easter that really makes me excited. Easter is the day that our Savior rose from the dead and lives forever more - and we get to celebrate it on a day like no other before or after.

I think one of the most realistic adaptations of the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ was the movie, "The Passion of the Christ." It's very difficult for me to watch the beating scene in the movie. I know the person getting the beating is an actor, but to think that Christ endured such torture brings me to tears and heartache. They humiliated Him, spit on Him, pulled out His beard, and placed a crown of thorns on His head. Then, they drove the nails in His feet and His hands. 1 John 2:2 says: "He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world." Jesus took all of that on for you and for me - for EVERYONE.

I often think to myself, would I have been one of those who had yelled, "Crucify Him!" Part of me says, "No way!", while another part says, "I don't know." One thing I do know is I'm so thankful I don't have to worry about that now. I have a risen Savior who loves me - all of me and my flaws. I can celebrate Him not only on Easter Sunday, but every day of the year.

How does Easter fit in your life? Is Jesus the risen Savior over your life? Have you begun the salvation process? Are there areas that YOU still reign over your life? I'm sure there are areas I need to let go of and allow the Savior to have complete control. Let's work together to not only celebrate Christ this Easter holiday, but allow the risen Savior to have complete control over our lives. And if you don't know the risen Savior, you can. Romans 10:10 says: "For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved."

One of my favorite hymns is, "He Lives." It starts out saying: "I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today." Christ is alive. How do I know? I know because "He lives within my heart." My prayer is the same for you. 😊

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Assembly of God
Kirksville, MO

Ministry Updates

Kid's Ministry

Kid's Camp is coming!
Mark your calendars for
July 8-12.

Youth Ministry

Youth Camp is coming!
Mark your calendars for
June 24-28.

“Use your ministry to
build people, not
people to build your
ministry.”

Jacquelyn K. Heasley

Missions/Outreach Ministry

2024 Missions Conference

Three great speakers, great
fellowship, and time spent with the
Savior.

April 21, 2024
Doors open at 9 a.m.
Dinner at 6 p.m.



Our Guest Speakers:



Kevin Donaldson

Administrator of the Assemblies
of God World Missions (AGWM)

9:30 am



Missi Trask

Chi Alpha Missionary/feedONE
Collegiate Coordinator

10:40 am



Frank & Lois Mayes

CompassionLink Community
Development Specialist

6:00 pm

Pastor's Thoughts

The final aspect of a disciple of Jesus is being Mission-participating. As a loyal and committed follower of Jesus in all aspects of our lives, we then live our lives on mission in ALL areas of life. So we are able to share the gospel with those whom we come into contact with and disciple new believers into an ever more committed walk with Jesus. Some of us will be called into full-time or part-time ministry at the church as a pastor or even as a teacher or nursery volunteer. But all of us will be called to the mission of spreading the Good news at our workplace and clubs and in the store and everywhere we go. In this way, we become disciples who make disciples who make disciples who make...

-Pastor Shawn



Dates to Remember

guest
speaker

Sunday, March 17, 2024: 9 a.m. Speaker Carla Marroquin.

Sunday, 24, 2024: 6:00 p.m. Fellowship Meal



Sunday, March 31: Easter

*"Easter, the celebration of Jesus' resurrection from the dead, is the event that separates the Christian faith from all other religions and gives to it its power."
~Author Unknown~*

Birthdays

- Denita Ackley 3/6
- Pierce Meintz 3/10
- Twyla Tracy 3/14
- Holden Powless 3/15
- Carlana Shimek 3/26

Anniversaries

- Toby & Kelli Nigh 3/5

Missionary Birthdays

- Kristi Robinson 3/1
- Lisa Ridpath 3/22

Missionary Anniversaries

- Joe & Noemi Szabo 3/15
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2024

March

	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 Kristi Robinson	2
	3 Groups 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:40 a.m. Groups 9:30 a.m.	4 College and Career 7:00 p.m.	5 Toby and Kelli Nigh	6 Denita Ackley Family Night 6:30 p.m.	7	8	9
Pierce Meintz	10 Groups 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:40 a.m. Prayer Mtg. 6:00 p.m.	11 College and Career 7:00 p.m.	12	13 Family Night 6:30 p.m.	14 Twyla Tracy	15 Holden Powless Joe and Noemi Szabo	16
Carla Marroquin	17 Groups 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:40 a.m. Groups 6:00 p.m.	18 College and Career 7:00 p.m.	19	20 Family Night 6:30 p.m. Board Mtg. 8:30 p.m.	21	22 Lisa Ridpath	23
	24 Groups 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:40 a.m. Fellowship Meal 6:00 p.m.	25 College and Career 7:00 p.m.	26 Carlena Shimek	27 Family Night 6:30 p.m.	28	29	30
EASTER	31 Groups 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:40 a.m.	College and Career 7:00 p.m.					