



Looking Ahead...

As we celebrate this Season of Lent

3.26.23 Travis Whaley Recital

2:00pm SCC Sanctuary

Thursday Night Worship through Lent

6:30pm

4.2.23 Palm Sunday

8:15am Worship

10:15am Worship

4.6.23 Maundy Thursday

6:30pm Worship

4.7.23 Good Friday Worship

Speedway / West Side Ministerial Association

7:00pm @ Speedway Baptist Church
2986 Moller Road

4.8.23 Easter EGGstravanganza

2:00 to 4:00pm

~ 2:30pm Egg Hunt

4.9.23 Easter at SCC

8:15am Worship

10:15am Worship



Celebrating New SCC Member

On Sunday, March 19, 2023 we welcomed
Patrick Kiser
to Speedway Christian Church.

Easter Beautification Work Project

Speedway Christian Church
Saturday, April 1
8:00 -11:00am

Come one, Come all! Please bring your shovels, hoes, rakes, buckets and wagons. As we wind up our Journey through Lent and prepare for Easter, we want our church building and grounds to also have a sense of renewal for our congregation and community. There are numerous projects available, for all ages and abilities, both inside and outside. Feel free to just show up or contact Jeff Hammer, jghammer1@comcast.net, for a list of projects.



To Hannah McDonald & Kelly Ward!

Hannah and Kelly have gracefully volunteered to continue the tradition of decorating the display case located at the triple wooden doors. Our church is blessed with so many talented people, Ann Oliver beautifully decorated the display for many years, Ann has now handed the reins over to Hannah and Kelly.

The Spring display board is beautiful, colorful and welcoming. Thank you Hannah and Kelly for sharing your talents with us.

Greetings Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

Exploring the spiritual gifts of loss and change has been a lot this Lent. When we were meeting with Rev. Dr. Dan Moseley he repeated, often, that this is the toughest work that we as a staff can do. I know that it is equally a tough topic for our entire congregation. Actually, it is exhausting. It brings up things in our past that can open us up to the grieving process all over again. But, that is the reality of grief, of change, and of loss. It is a process.



I have come to understand that like with any process, there are two ways of going about it. We can pretend that it in some way doesn't have an affect on us and try and just power through all that we experience. Or, we can allow ourselves the grace and honesty to go through an intentional process. For us at SCC, we continue to choose the intentional process as we learn to live again in the absence of something or someone that was significant. Together, we have explored the spiritual gifts of:

Naming the loss
Feeling pain and anger
Remembering

As Lent continues, we will explore the spiritual gifts of:

Guilt and forgiveness
Gratitude
Play and practice

This all will lead up the last spiritual gift of loss and change:

Becoming new

The end result of this Lenten journey is that we can become something new. I know this has been hard work. I know that we have explored places and feelings that are full of their own experiences and complications. But, I also know that all of this hard and intentional work, we will lead to something new. Friends, it also follows a holy pattern. In the midst of their experience of loss and change, the disciples experienced new life in themselves and in and through Jesus Christ. That new life awaits us all as well. The work continues!

Shalom, Rev. Kyle



Mark your calendars! Speedway Christian Church is having an **Easter Eggstraveganza** and all are invited!

The **Eggstraveganza** will be **Saturday, April 8 @ 2:00pm**. We will have an egg hunt, photo booth with the Easter Bunny, 3 bounce houses, snacks, games and prizes, and more! The **egg hunt** will begin **@ 2:30pm** for all children **ages 2-10**.



Everyone from our church family, Speedway, and our wider community is invited.

Help is needed and we have many volunteer opportunities if you would like to serve!

Following are additional ways to volunteer and help:

- ◆ Individually wrapped candy, toys, stickers, or anything fun for kids (items must be able to fit inside a plastic egg).
- ◆ Individuals to help stuff the plastic eggs.
- ◆ On April 8, we need volunteers to help with a variety of activities, including the games, monitoring the bounce houses, "laying" the eggs for the egg hunt, etc.

If you would like to volunteer, please call or email Katie at kgriffin@speedwaychristian.org or Ashleigh Oldfather at ashkebler@gmail.com. The event is 2:00—4:00pm, volunteers will be needed at the church from 1:15 – 4:30pm.



Church camp season is upon us! This year's theme will be, "Fruitfull Faith: A Spirit-filled Faith."

All of the information you will need, including prices, dates, and how to register can be found at our region's website, www.indianadisciples.org. Speedway Christian Church will pay half of your camp fee, however if you need further assistance, please do not hesitate to ask. Scholarships are available through the region (more information is available through the above website). Contact Katie for more information at kgriffin@speedwaychristian.org. Please also talk to Katie if your camper shows interest in going to camp, but is experiencing some understandable anxiety about going.

Holy Stories in Holy Week with Mark Yaconelli

- **Wednesday, April 5**
6:30 – 8:00pm (Light refreshments provided)
- **Geist Christian Church, Promise Road Campus**
12756 Promise Rd. Fishers, IN 46038

In an increasingly fast-paced and fractured world, sharing stories can be a radical and deeply human practice for uncovering the ties that bind us to one another. Story invites us to step into the reality of another person's existence and instead of judgment feel kinship. Wednesday, April 5 at 6:30 pm, Geist Christian Church at the Promise Road Campus, invites you to join storyteller and author Mark Yaconelli sharing from his recent book, [**Between the Listening and the Telling: How Stories Can Save Us.**](#)

During our time we will explore the holy stories in our individual and collective lives and how those stories can heal our families, our world, ourselves. *To RSVP use the link <https://forms.gle/4CiEy946v2MLn9MC8>.*



Please keep in Prayer

Brian Feely (John & Sandy Feely's son)
Betsy Enerson



Our Sympathy and Prayers

To the family and friends of
Marjorie Hayes, who passed away on
March 1, 2023.



Week of Compassion Gifts

Thank you to all who generously gave to
Week of Compassion!

\$4,067.00

Information Needs Updated?

Does the church office have your -

- ♦ **Correct address?**
- ♦ **Correct telephone #?**
- ♦ **Correct email address?**

If not, please let the church office know.

Stewardship/Finance February 2023

February 2023 Funds Received	\$	39,843
February 2023 Expenses	\$	34,320
February 2023 <i>Income greater than expense</i>	\$	5,523

2023 Year to Date (January—February)

2023 YTD Funds Received:	\$	77,837
2023 YTD Expenses:	\$	67,445
2023 YTD <i>Income greater than expenses</i>	\$	10,392

Speedway Christian Church
5110 West 14th Street
Speedway, Indiana 46224

Sunday Family Funday

Family Funday is our monthly opportunity to gather with our church family for fellowship, food, and fun. On the last Sunday of every month, we meet after church for lunch.

All are invited and welcome!

Sunday, March 26, 2023

11:30am—1:30pm

**Los Patios Mexican Restaurant
Speedway Shopping Center**



**Next Official Board Meeting
Tuesday, April 11, 2023
6:30pm**

Men's Bible Study

The Men's Bible Study group meet on **Monday evenings at 7:00pm in the Bethany Room.**

A Zoom link is also available. Please contact Bob Parke at rparke@att.net or Art Vermillion at artpaulinev@sbcglobal.net they will send the zoom link to you prior to starting the group study. Please join us!



Lunch & Learn

Please join us each Monday at noon in the Bethany Room, as we discuss the scripture for the following week's Worship sermon.



A Storehouse Story

John Knox Presbyterian Church has been holding small group meetings as they gather information in the process of deciding the future of their church. Those ideas were aggregated together, and a strong voice was heard that they wanted to become more involved in the feeding of the hungry in their community.

As they gathered to share the results of those ideas, there was a slide shown with Matthew 25:35 on it. This scripture is also the foundation of 'The Storehouse Food Pantry'. The church plans to resurrect the garden previously grown at the pantry.

Following the meeting there was a chili dinner planned for those in attendance. During the set-up of this meal a man came into the church and stated he was hungry, and they invited him to join them in the meal. His name was 'Matthew'.

Thanks Be to God,
Rich Hoerger