

HAPPENING NOW AT CORNERSTONE...



WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES: Created for Connection - Developing Strong Relationships, November 29 (Dr. Kris DeJeet): God has wired us to build relationships with the people around us, but let's be honest, it is difficult to create deep and meaningful relationships that last. Join us on how to cultivate holistic community in your life.

Shining a Light on the Darkness of Dating & Domestic Violence, December 6 (Dr. Gary Cuccia): Join us as Dr. Cuccia shares his testimony and heart through losing his daughter, Demi, to dating violence. We will dig into warning signs of control and violence in dating, how to prepare your kids for dating, and more! Dr. Cuccia has spread Demi's story to thousands of teens and has appeared on multiple national news outlets.



YOUNG ADULTS FRIENDSGIVING: Calling all Young Adults, don't miss our Friendsgiving on Tuesday, November 21st. We will have some great fellowship and a full thanksgiving dinner before our all-church Thanksgiving Service. Then let the competition begin with some flag football and other games following the service. For more information and to register, scan the Happening Now QR code and let us know what dish you're bringing to share! Questions? Email youngadults@cornerstonelive.net.

Happy Thanksgiving

FAMILY THANKSGIVING SERVICE AT CORNERSTONE

Join us on Tuesday, November 21 at 7 p.m. for a Family Thanksgiving celebration service. It will include worship, a children's message, a Thanksgiving message, and our annual offering for the 172 orphans in Africa supported by Cornerstone.

SCAN FOR
HAPPENING NOW



SCAN THE QR CODES!

For all church events coming up, see our "Happening Now" page online at cornerstonelive.net and view the church calendar. (Kids events can be found at cornerstonekidslive.net)

SCAN FOR
C-KIDS EVENTS



SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION

Available Sunday mornings @ 11 a.m.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Need Each Week:.....\$73,000.00 Need to Date:.....\$3,358,000.00
Rec'd last Week:.....\$57,895.08 Rec'd to Date:.....\$3,366,256.89

CRY ROOM

Need a place to care for your baby or toddler? The Cry Room (located at the end of the Balcony seating) is available during all services or watch the live service feed from the Lobby Café tables.

FIRST TIME GUEST? WELCOME!

If you are a new guest, you can exchange your Connect Card (located in the pocket of the seat in front of you) at the Info Center in the Lobby for a free gift! We would love to get to know you and make you feel welcome.

NEED PRAYER?

If you have a prayer need, you are always welcome to either leave a prayer request on the Prayer Boards in the hall or if you prefer to talk and pray with someone, we also have a prayer room, out the back of the Auditorium and turn left.

QUESTIONS?

Ask one of our volunteers at the Info Center in the Lobby or contact our office:



724.733.0070



info@cornerstonelive.net

CONNECT WITH US

Connect with our online church community during the week by following us on our social platforms.



@LifeWithCornerstone

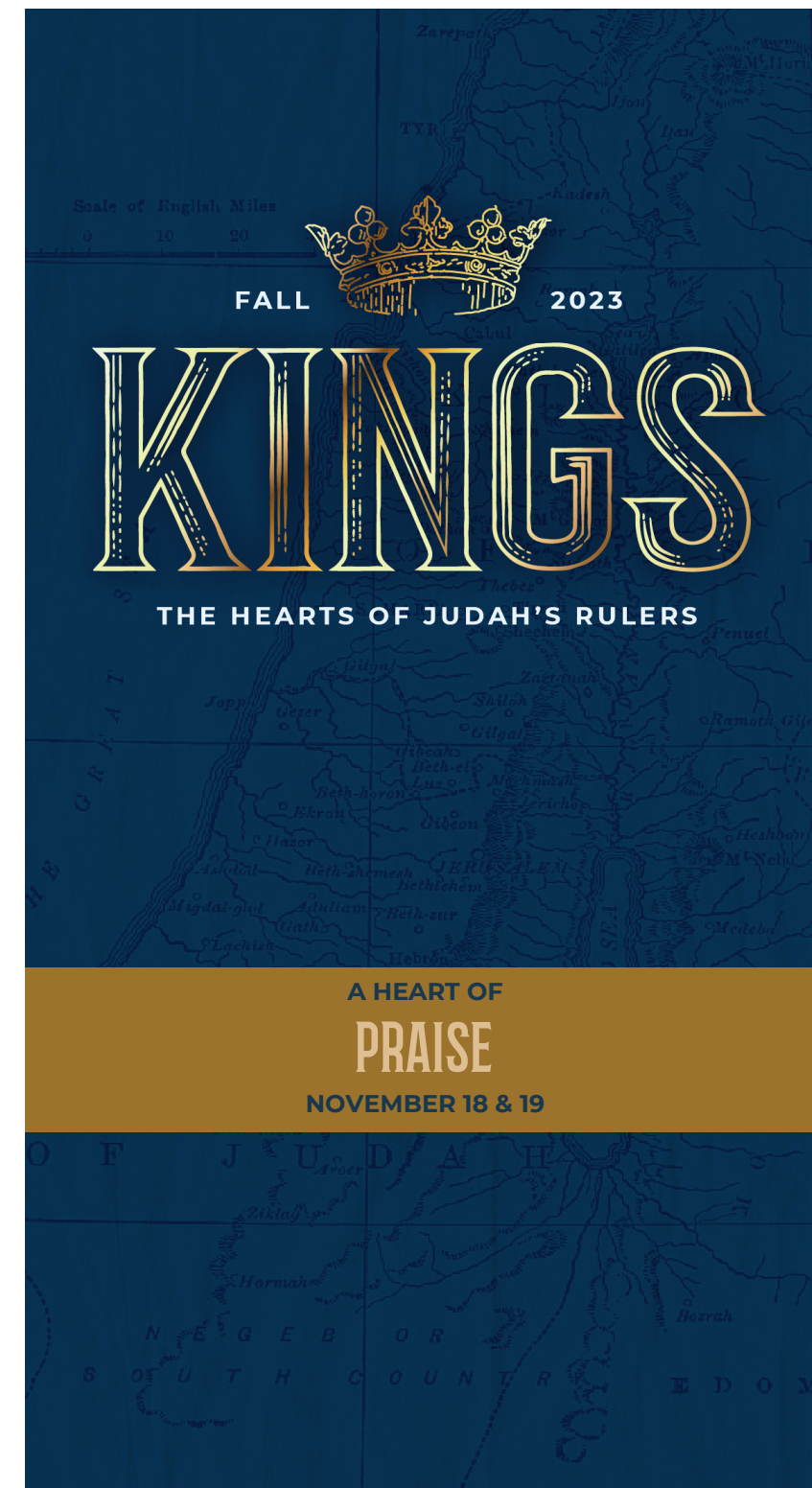
MEET OUR TEAM



Need to talk to a Staff member? Scan the QR Code to view the Staff Directory, or pick up a printed version at the Info Center in the Lobby!

PLEASE NOTE: Photographs and video footage are taken throughout weekend services. The church uses these on our website, social media, and in our publications. Please contact Tom Payne, Director of Operations if you have any concerns or wish to be exempt from this activity.

2200 CORNERSTONE LANE, MURRYSVILLE, PA 15632



A CLOSER LOOK AT THE TIMELINE FOR THIS WEEK'S KING

ISRAEL

JUDAH

SAUL 1051-1011

DAVID 1011-971

SOLOMON 971-931

KINGDOM SPLIT

REHOBOAM 931-913

ISH-BOSHETH 1006-1004

ASA 911-870

JEHOSHAPHAT 873-848

ABIAH 913-911

JEHORAM 853-841

JOASH 835-796

AMAZIAH 796-767

UZZIAH 792-740

JOTHAM 750-726

AHIAH

JEHU

MICAIAH • ELIJAH

ELISHA

JONAH • AMOS • HOSEA

SHEMAIAH

HANANI

JOEL

ISAIAH

ATHALIAH 841-835

**= S. KINGDOM
PROPHETS**



MAP OF THE KINGDOM (C. 800 BC)

(MEDITERRANEAN SEA)
THE GREAT SEA

ISRAEL
NORTHERN KINGDOM
★
SAMARIA
● SHECHEM
● JAFFA

JUDAH
SOUTHERN KINGDOM
★
JERUSALEM
● BETHLEHEM

(SYRIA)
● DAMASCUS
ARAM
SEA OF GALILEE
JORDAN RIVER
AMMON
DEAD SEA
MOAB
EDOM
(JORDAN)
PHILISTIA
(EGYPT)

CHRISTMAS *events*



DECK THE HALLS: Christmas is just around the corner, and that means it's time to decorate for the Christmas season! We invite our Church family this Sunday, November 19 after the 11 a.m. service to join in a fun time of decorating and fellowship with friends and families. Lunch and hot chocolate will be provided, we also ask you to bring a side dish to share. Walk-ins are welcome to join us!



CHILDREN'S BELL CHOIR: The five-year-old and kindergarten Bell Choir will perform during weekend services of December 16 & 17. Register your child with the "C-Kids Events" QR code on the Fun Events page at www.CornerstoneKidsLive.net by December 3.



CHRISTMAS OUTREACH:

Would you like to encourage families going through economic challenges during the Christmas season? Stop by the Angel Tree table in the Lobby this weekend and pick up gift ideas for a boy or girl, purchase a gift, and return your wrapped package to the church by Sunday, December 11.

You may also join us Saturday, December 16 as we hand out gifts and distribute food baskets. Available opportunities include: packing or distribution of food baskets and sorting or distribution of Angel Tree gifts. Sign up online using the Happening Now QR code.



LADIES' CHRISTMAS BRUNCH AND SIMULCAST

Ladies, join us for a fun, inspiring Christmas brunch on Sat., December 2 from 9-11:30 a.m. in the Loft. The morning will include praise and worship plus a Simulcast with teaching by Kristi McLelland on a view of the first Christmas through Middle Eastern eyes. The cost is only \$10 (\$15 at the door) and registration is available online under "Happening Now." Casual Christmas pajamas or holiday apparel are all welcome attire! All ladies ages 13 and up are invited!





EVERYTHING I NEED TO KNOW, I LEARNED AT CHRISTMAS

November 25/26 - Hope

December 2/3 - Peace

December 9/10 - Joy

December 16/17 - Love

Come on a journey with us for our Christmas Weekend Series as we delve into the historical significance of Jesus as our Savior and examine how this impacts our lives in the modern world. Our exploration will be guided by four key themes: Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love.



CHRISTMAS AT CORNERSTONE

Friday, December 22 @ 7 p.m.

Saturday, December 23 @ 5 & 7 p.m.

Sunday, December 24 @ 11 a.m., 1 & 3 p.m.

Join us for our Christmas Services as we celebrate the birth of our Savior! As you know, the services fill up quickly, so we encourage you to reserve your seats as soon as possible. It's completely free to reserve seats for you, your family, and your friends. You can scan the QR code in your bulletin or go to the Happening Now tab on the website. Sign language interpretation will be available at the 7 p.m. service on December 22 and the 11 a.m. service on December 24. *(For the weekend of December 23 & 24, there won't be traditional weekend services. All times listed will be the Christmas at Cornerstone services.)*

King Jehoshaphat: A Heart of Praise

Kings – The Hearts of Judah's Rulers

Week 7 | November 18 & 19, 2023

I. GOOD King Jehoshaphat

The LORD was with Jehoshaphat, because he walked in the earlier ways of his father David. He did not seek the Baals. (2 Chronicles 17:3)

II. The Good King's FATAL FLAW

Now Jehoshaphat had great riches and honor, and he made a marriage alliance with Ahab. (2 Chronicles 18:1)

III. GOD'S Great Victory

You will not need to fight in this battle. Stand firm, hold your position, and see the salvation of the Lord on your behalf, O Judah and Jerusalem. Do not be afraid and do not be dismayed. Tomorrow go out against them, and the Lord will be with you.

(2 Chronicles 20:17)

Cornerstone Ministries

2200 Cornerstone Lane ~ Murrysville, PA 15632 ~ 724.733.0070

Today's Speaker: Dr. Donn S. Chapman, Senior Pastor

All scriptures, unless otherwise noted, are English Standard Version (ESV).

Messages can be watched online at www.cornerstonelive.net.

"ONE OF THE GREATEST BLESSINGS IN LIFE HAPPENS WHEN WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIFE OF A HURTING CHILD.

Our Africa Children's Project does this every day. Think how incredibly blessed we are! With just one offering, we can express our thanksgiving to God for His bounty in our lives. At the same time, you are making a transformational difference in the lives of 172 orphans who now have a hope and a future. But the blessing doesn't stop there. We are also able to provide a meal program at the local schools for children who are not orphans but cannot afford to bring lunch. Few things touch my heart like knowing that God has allowed us to play a part in making these children feel safe, secure, and hopeful for their future. I pray that you can join me in making a difference in the lives of these kids again this year.

- Dr. Donn S. Chapman
Senior Pastor, Cornerstone Ministries

The impact of this program is irresistible and life-transforming. Orphan life can be the most hopeless and complex in countries like ours where social services are non-existent. The work that Cornerstone Ministries is doing in partnership with Great Commission International Ministries here in Zimbabwe and Malawi is way beyond human comprehension. It's priceless and God alone in his faithfulness will reward the entire membership of Cornerstone Ministries that contribute faithfully towards this cause. We enjoy the bonds of family with you all. Long live Cornerstone Ministries. With love,

-Reverend Gift Makumbe
Great Commission International Ministries



TO SUPPORT OUR

CORNERSTONE
AFRICA
CHILDREN'S PROJECT

Our Africa Children's Project has been a part of Cornerstone Ministries since 2009 and has impacted many children in need. Your support is just one way of showing the love of Jesus to these children! If you would like to support the Africa Children's Project, here are three ways to give:

1. ONLINE GIVING



To give online, scan the QR code above to take you to our website's "GIVE" tab. From the FUND dropdown menu, choose *Special Offering - Thanksgiving.

2. TEXT-TO-GIVE

Text: GIVE

To: 724-414-MYCM (6926)

Click on the link to take you to our website's "GIVE" tab. From the FUND dropdown menu, choose *Special Offering - Thanksgiving.

3. THANKSGIVING FAMILY SERVICE

There will be an offering taken at the Thanksgiving family service for the Africa Children's Project. Write "Thanksgiving Offering" in the memo line of a check and/or on the giving envelope.



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THE LIVES YOU'VE TOUCHED...



TAPIWA

The church has brought us, the underprivileged, hope that none of our extended families would ever give us. I am working hard so that my academic results may represent my level of appreciation. My special thanks to God, our church leadership and all that are involved in making sure that we are cared for. May God richly bless you.



ANITA

Your support in every aspect of my life gave me back my dignity as a child. The church has covered my shame and I can't be identified as an orphan anymore. Thank you very much. Keep up the good work. I am working hard and I hope I will not disappoint you.



DID YOU KNOW

Cornerstone Ministries supports
a total of **172** orphans



52 IN KENYA

110 IN ZIMBABWE

10 IN MALAWI

*16 in trade school/college



THE COST OF ONE LIFE

KENYA:

\$70/month
OR **\$840/year**

ZIMBABWE & MALAWI:

\$75/month
OR **\$900/year**

TO CARE FOR ONE ORPHAN

* Unlike Kenya, the governments in Zimbabwe & Malawi do not pay for education; different grade levels have different educational costs.

OUR FEEDING PROGRAM

In addition to supporting our orphans, we also provide a daily feeding program for hungry children through the local schools.



256+ IN KENYA

60+ IN ZIMBABWE

Education is a vital component in shaping the future of any society. Unfortunately, not all students have equal financial means. We are incredibly grateful for the fees for the less privileged children.

-Pastor of Marondera Church, Zimbabwe

"We aren't orphans anymore.
We are Cornerstone kids!"



"Pure and genuine religion in the sight of God the Father means caring for orphans and widows in their distress."

James 1:27a

GLORIA



I thank God for all those who have come to my aid. I am now being assisted in a great way with school fees, books, clothes, spiritual and moral support. I feel highly favored to be chosen to benefit whilst others are looking for such an opportunity. To me, this is the manifestation of God's grace in my life. My life was so dry. My situation was so desperate, but I feel relieved from the burden. I feel like the God of Orphans is saying yes to my life and no one can say no!

MAFLET



I am pleased to be in this family called Great Commission International Ministries. I was identified by the church leadership to be a beneficiary of the orphans program. The church is paying fully my school fees and my Pastor has taken full responsibility to accommodate me at his house as I was desperate for a conducive home.