

VCDC NEWSLETTER

VINEYARD CHURCH DELAWARE COUNTY EVENTS & MINISTRY NEEDS

BWFWS Hot Cocoa Mix Collection

Now through November 26th

Each year VCDC has the privilege of partnering with Big Walnut Friends Who Share to come alongside the local community with Christmas boxes. This year we have been asked to supply 100 boxes of 8-count hot cocoa packets. These will be included in a gift that each family receives to help with their Christmas meal. Please drop off your donations at the table in the lobby during the week or at our weekend services.

Holy Spirit Conference (The Kingdom Way)

November 17th, 18th & 19th

We are excited about an upcoming Holy Spirit Conference hosted by Vineyard Columbus (6000 Cooper Rd, Westerville, 43081), featuring Jay Pathak, National Director of Vineyard USA. "Come, Holy Spirit!" is a prayer that is foundational to the Vineyard Movement as we long to be equipped people of the Spirit, remembering God is near to us, and that where His presence is, His power is there as well. This is a free event that you don't need to register for, but if you'd like to sign up for a workshop, register for the Kid's Experience, or checkout the schedule, please click on the Vineyard Columbus link in our Church Center App or online at vcdc.org.

Thankful Giving for Refugees

November 18th-December 3rd

In the next few months, the Columbus-based non-profit agency, Community Refugee & Immigration Services (CRIS), is set to resettle dozens of families here in Central Ohio. CRIS strives to resettle each refugee individual and family into a furnished living space stocked with the basic items necessary for daily living. They do this through a "Welcome Kit", which is a collection of the essential items each family needs upon arrival. They anticipate welcoming a Syrian family of four who have been living in Turkey as refugees (likely since war broke out in their homeland). They have two young children--both with disabilities/special needs. We are excited for the opportunity we have as a church to participate in collecting items towards these Welcome Kits. For more info, please stop by the table in the lobby.

Food Pantry & Free Medical Clinic

Monday, November 20th, 5pm

Our Food Pantry has an URGENT NEED of chunky style soup. You may drop off items on the rack in the lobby. If you would like to volunteer, email Jim & Shalon Larmour, vcdcfoodpantry@twc.com. Interested in volunteering for our Medical Clinic? Email Sandie Fisher at vineyardfmc@vcdc.org.

Community Thanksgiving Service

Monday, November 20th, 7-8pm

Each year the churches in the Sunbury area come together to welcome in the Thanksgiving holiday. Pastor Richard McIntyre from The Bridge will be speaking at this year's Community Thanksgiving Service, held at The Journey Galena, 70 N. Walnut St. in Galena.

Quick Connect

December 2nd & 3rd in the Hub off the Welcome Center

This gathering, offered after each service the first full weekend of the month, is a great time for guests to explore their next steps as they move towards greater connection in our church community. No registration is necessary & children are welcome.

Women's Christmas Brunch

Saturday, December 2nd, 10am-12pm

It's that time of year again to mark your calendars for our Next is our annual Women's Christmas Brunch, "A Simple Gift", on Saturday, December 2nd, from 10am to 12pm. We'll be having food, fellowship, special music, and testimonies from three of our women: Alison Kitchen, Beth Hackworth, and Devin Mowery. This event continues to be one of our largest outreaches at VCDC, so be praying for all the guests that will be attending. We still have several opportunities for men to serve before, during, and after the event, so stop by the table in the lobby after the service to sign up to volunteer. If you'd still like to donate toward the event, you can also give at the tables in the lobby or online as well. We're excited to celebrate the simple gift of our Savior's birth together this Christmas season.

Vision & Values

Tuesday, December 5th, 7-9pm

Whether you are a long time attender or are newer to VCDC, if you have never attended this class, please join Michael & Andrew as they share the vision and values of VCDC. This is an opportunity to ask questions, find out how you can get involved and become a member. Childcare is available with advanced registration. Registration is coming soon!

Snow Policy

Level 1* - Church Open

Level 2* - Church Open (unless informed otherwise)

Level 3* - Services Canceled

For ministry events during the week, watch for an email or call the church. (*Levels for Delaware County)

Adult Changing Area Available

If you have an adult child with disabilities who deals with incontinence, we have a private room available with an adult changing table. Just ask any staff person for help.

Calling VCDC Artists

If you are an artist, we'd love to display your original pieces. Please email us at info@vcdc.org or call the church office if you'd like to share your art with our church family.

Missionaries of the Month

Please pray for Rick & Dee Bergen who are currently serving in Brazil.

MINISTRY NEEDS

Medical Clinic Foreign Language Interpreters

Our Medical Clinic is in need of language interpreters. If you speak a fluent Spanish or Portuguese and would like to volunteer to translate via speakerphone on an as needed basis, contact Sandie Fisher at vineyardfmc@vcdc.org for more information.

Medical Clinic Prayer Need

Our Medical Clinic is in need of people to pray for the patients who come to the clinic on the 1st & 3rd Monday from 6-7:30pm. If interested, contact Sandie Fisher at vineyardfmc@vcdc.org.