



## Church Staff

Minister: Rev. Heather McColl

Interim Choir Director: Melissa Askew

Interim Accompanist: Dayton Harris

Secretary: Joni Angus

Custodian: Jestine Johnson

Office Hours:

Monday-Friday

8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.

Worship Service....10:55 am.



## Our History

Between 1840 and 1850, great leaders and missionaries emerged in the Christian Church. Among them were men like John T. Johnson, James Ware Parrish, and L.L. Pinkerton in Midway.

Although they met before it was formalized, the Christians at Midway were incorporated by the Kentucky Legislature on March 2, 1844. On Christmas Day of that same year, minister Dr. L. L. Pinkerton preached the dedicatory sermon for the congregation's new, one-story rectangular building.

The congregation eventually outgrew the small church. It was razed and the present structure was erected and dedicated in 1896 on the original site.



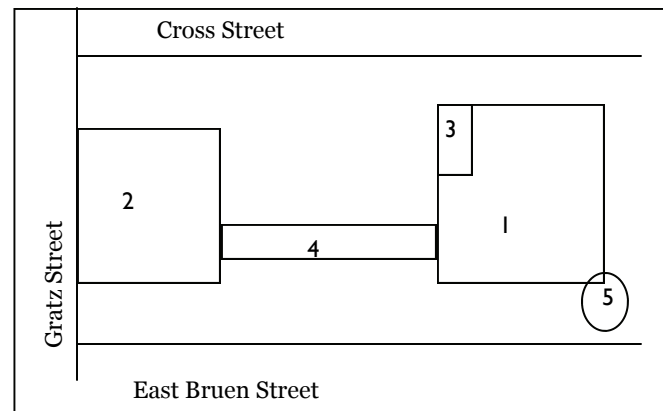
## Directions to the church

From I-64 East: Take Exit 65. Turn right at the Stop sign. Follow Road until the yield sign. Turn right. Follow Hwy 421. Turn left onto Hwy 62. Follow 62 through town and over the railroad tracks. Turn left at the stoplight (Bruen Street). Church will be on your right.

From I-64 West: Take Exit 65. Turn left at the top of the ramp. Continue to follow the direction above.

From Lexington: Follow Leestown Road out of Lexington. This will become Hwy 421. Continue to follow the directions above.

## Outline of the Midway Christian Church campus



- 1-Sanctuary
- 2-Fellowship Hall
- 3-Office
- 4-Breezeway
- 5-Main Entrance

# Midway Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)



## Our Vision

The vision of Midway Christian Church is to be a Christ-centered, welcoming community of faith, building on its historical mission of loving God and one another, in an atmosphere of spiritual growth, worship, and witness.

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## Our Mission

The mission of Midway Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) is to serve God and welcome all through:

Worship  
Education  
Love  
Community  
Open Table  
Mission  
Evangelism

## Worship

Worship Service is at 10:55 a.m. on Sundays.

## Education

### Adult

Each Sunday at 9:30 a.m., an adult class gathers to explore contemporary issues and our Christian faith in a workshop form of class.

### Children and Youth

Each Sunday at 9:30 a.m., the youth and children gather together to learn the stories of our faith as part of our Sunday School program.

Children from age 3 to 5th grade are invited to participate in Worship & Wonder. Following the “Children’s Moment,” children will be guided from the sanctuary to the Worship & Wonder Room where they will have their own worship experience. It is an exciting, innovative approach to teaching Bible stories to children based on the Montessori Method.

### Nursery

A nursery is provided for babies and toddlers in the lower level of the sanctuary.

## Love

Our faith is most profoundly expressed by our love for the world in which we live. We are a church that values justice, believing that followers of Jesus are called to be partners with God in creating on earth the way that it is in heaven.

## Community

Our church membership is divided into flocks with the elders of the church as the shepherds of the flocks. The purpose of these groups is to support members in times of joy and trouble.

### Disciples Women

The Disciples Women’s Group meets on the second Sunday of each month, except July.

### Disciples Men

The Disciples Men’s Group meets on the third Saturday of each month, except July. This group also hosts the church’s Fat Tuesday pancake dinner.

### Chancel Choir

The Chancel Choir meets on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Our choir worships with music that ranges from early Christian to contemporary.

### Children and Youth Activities

Activities for children and youth are planned throughout the year. Many of our children and youth participate in the summer camp program sponsored by the Kentucky region and in mission trips offered through the church.

### Keenagers

Keenagers is a gathering of retired people, regardless of age. This group meets once a month for lunch.

## Open Table

We celebrate the Lord’s Supper every Sunday. The table is open. That means that all Christians are invited to respond to Christ’s invitation. For Disciples, the open table is a powerful symbol of our deep commitment to Christian unity. All are welcome.

## Mission

We engage in community service ministries such as Meals on Wheels, Habitat for Humanity, providing worship services at Taylor Manor, Thanksgiving Dinner, adopting families for Christmas, serving meals at the Hope Center for men and the Hope Center for women, and collecting food for the Woodford County Food Pantry. We also support outreach through donations to Lexington Theological Seminary, Christian Care Communities of Kentucky, and Week of Compassion.

## Evangelism

We believe that we are called to be the lights of God to a world that is in darkness and offer the hope and grace of God to all through service and hospitality.

We believe that we are called to create a warm, welcoming place where all are invited to worship and to serve.

We believe in the “priesthood of all believers” and look for ways to encourage all members to exercise leadership and to engage in active ministry.

We believe that we are all called to be a part of the community of faith through our own unique gifts and talents.