

THE CONTACT

Sunday, October 1 is World Communion Sunday

Midway Christian Church will gather on Sunday, October 1 at 10:30 a.m. for a Midway Ministerial Association Community Worship Service. It will be at Midway Presbyterian Church. Following the service, there will be a potluck lunch. Everyone is invited to please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

“A Movement for Wholeness in a Grief Stricken Life”

*Dates: October 8, 22, November 5, 19,
December 3 and 17
6:30 pm to 8:30 pm
Fellowship Hall*

We are starting a new opportunity for gathering and community. Beginning on Sunday, October 8, everyone is invited to join us as we explore movements of grief, from fractured, to flow, to full. Wendy Sue Wahl from Within Integral Healing will lead the sessions. Wendy Sue is a Reverend with Universal Brotherhood Movement in Coral Springs, FL, and an APP Polarity Therapy Certified Practitioner. Please invite your friends and community to join us!



WORSHIP THEMES

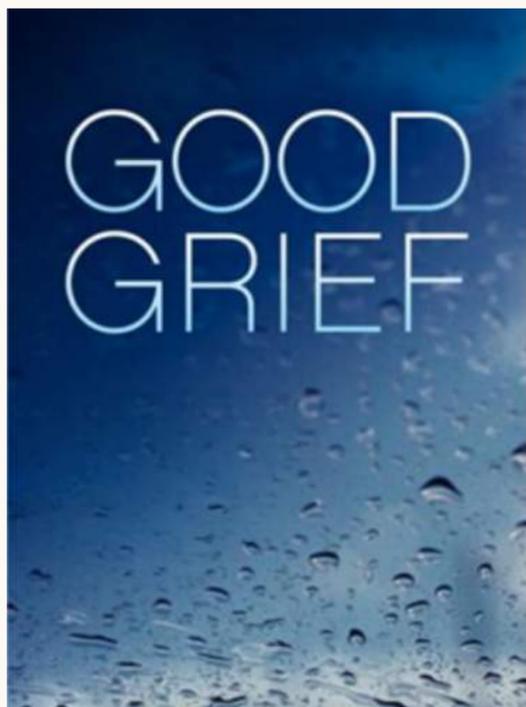
Sunday, October 1, 2023
Eighteenth Sunday after
Pentecost
World Communion Sunday
Community Worship Service at
Midway Presbyterian

Sunday, October 8, 2023
Nineteenth Sunday after
Pentecost
Scripture: Psalm 13
Title: “God, Are You
Even There?”

Sunday, October 15, 2023
Twentieth Sunday after
Pentecost
Scripture: Psalm 139
Title: “God Do You Care?”

Sunday, October 22, 2023
Twenty-first Sunday after
Pentecost
Scripture: Job 3
Title: “God, Why Are You
Punishing Me?”

Sunday, October 29, 2023
Twenty-second Sunday after
Pentecost
Scripture: Psalm 22
Title: “God, Why Have You
Abandoned Me?”



New Worship Series: "Good Grief"

"We spend a good portion of our lives working diligently to acquire those things which make life rich and meaningful—friends, a partner, children for some, a home, a job, material comforts, money and security. What happens to us when we lose any of these persons or things that are so important to us? Quire naturally we grieve over the loss of anything important. Sometimes if that loss is great, the very foundations of our life are shaken, and we are thrown into deep despair. Because we know so little about the nature of grief, we become panicky when it strikes us, and this serves to throw us deeper into despondency"
(Good Grief, pg. 1)

Every loss, whether the loss is from a physical death, a divorce, declining health, bankruptcy, life transitions or some other wound, deserves a fitting grief.

For the next several weeks, we will be journeying together, considering questions about what has changed in our lives as a congregation and as individuals. Our readings and sermons will begin by centering on grief and God's presence in the midst of it, then moving towards finding God who is already at work bringing hope beyond what we can see or even imagine.

SERVING THIS MONTH

Elders: Etta Manor
Ouita Michel

Worship Leaders:
10/1: Community Worship
10/8: Shirley Eckels
10/15: Gloria Batts
10/22: Dick Murphy
10/29: Janine Damran

Technology:
James Batts, Ray Clark,
Dick Murphy

MCC LEADERSHIP

Congregational Meeting
Sunday, October 8
12:30 pm

Care Team
Tuesday, October 2
6:30 pm

Elders
Monday, October 13
6:30 pm

Cabinet Meeting
Wednesday,
October 18
6:00 pm

Worship Team
Monday, October 23
7:00 pm

Budget Update

Budgeted to Date: \$
Received to Date: \$

Congratulations to Jestine Johnson!

On Monday, September 18, at the Midway City Council meeting, Jestine Johnson was recognized for his 50 years of service as a Midway City Fire fighter and for his 67 years of caring for Midway Christian Church as a custodian.

Tuesday, September 19, 2023 was proclaimed as Jestine Johnson Day in Midway!

We give thanks for all that Jestine does to care for our Midway community.



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, November 18

Board Retreat

9 am to noon

MCC Fellowship Hall

More October Events

Wednesdays, October 4, 11, 18, 25

Choir Practice 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 19

Keenagers 11:30 am

Tuesday, October 10, 17, 24

Cub Scouts 6:00 pm

Thursday, October 26

Green Chalice 6:30 pm

Monday, October 30

Community Dinner 6:30 pm



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on Sunday mornings
at 9:30 am
for Sunday School

Midway Christian Church
123 East Bruen Street #4548
Midway, KY 40347-4548

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Sunday Worship
10:55 a.m.
In-person and Virtual



Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Heather W. McColl- Minister
Teena Chinn-Music Director
Jestine Johnson-Custodian
James Batts-Audio Visual Technician
Karen Murphy-Book Keeper



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