



United Church of God
an International Association
Cincinnati East

Announcements – December 1, 2018

	<u>11:00 A.M.</u>	<u>2:30 P.M.</u>
Songleader	Chris Collins	Ryan Hall
Pianist	Ronda Creech	Troy Phelps
Sermonette	Roy Fouch	Scott Delamater
Special Music	Elizabeth Tinkler	Libby Walker
Sermon	Steve Myers	Steve Myers

Teen Bible Study, Today: Rudy Rangel will lead the next Teen Bible Study, which will be held in the Conference Room at 1:30 p.m. today.

Council of Elders Meeting, 12/3-6: The Council of Elders will be meeting at the Home Office, December 3-6. Your prayers for God's guidance are greatly appreciated.

Teen Speech Club, 12/8: The Cincinnati East Teens will be hosting the Columbus Congregation's Teen Speech Club here at the Home Office on December 8. All teens and their families are invited to attend the Speech Club. We will have a meal prior to the club meeting starting at 6:00 p.m. with the Speech Club starting at 6:45 p.m. The cost will be \$5 per person or \$20 max per family for the meal. If you plan to attend, *please sign up today* with either Duane or Lisa Phelps.

Gym Night, 12/8: Our annual local gym night is only a week away! The evening will be held at the M. E. Lyons YMCA, located at 8108 Clough Pike, Cincinnati, OH 45244, on December 8 from 5:30-10:00 p.m. If you missed the signup but would still like to attend, please contact Nathan Creech at na.creech5@gmail.com.

Teen Lock-in, 12/8-9: Following the annual gym night all teens are welcome to stay overnight at the M. E. Lyons YMCA on December 8. As a reminder, the cost will be \$5 per teen or \$10 max for 2 teens or more. For anyone driving the next day and needing to sleep, quiet places will be provided, but please bring your own sleeping bag, pillow, etc. For parents with other sleeping arrangements, please return to pick up the teens between 8:00-8:30 a.m. on Sunday, December 9. If you plan on attending, please let Nathan or Courtney Creech know or respond online to the Facebook Event.

Living 1835, 12/14: The next meeting of the Living 1835 Discussion Group will be held at the Home Office at 7 p.m. on December 14.

Youth Instruction/Sabbath School Classes, 12/15: Classes meet in the Warehouse at 1:25 p.m. on December 15.

Class	Lesson	Teachers
1	God Created All Non-Living Things	Valerie Creech, Caleb Creech, Joy Porter, Jennifer Phelps
2	The Days of Creation	Laurel Krenz, Linda Merrick, Amber Hodge
3	Following God	Brittany Ballo, Tori Phelps
4	Being a Disciple of Christ	Duane Phelps, Lisa Phelps

The Children's Choir will meet for rehearsal in the Mail Room immediately after class.

Volleyball, 12/15: The next volleyball games will be held at Positively Charged at 6 p.m. on December 15.

Sabbath Services During Winter Family Weekend, 12/22: On December 22, the Sabbath during Winter Family Weekend, we plan to open the hall here at the Home Office for brethren who prefer not to drive to Great Wolf Lodge. We will show the webcast of those services. We would like a show-of-hands indication of how many will attend here, rather than at Great Wolf Lodge.

Pinecrest Camp – 2019 Staff Needed: Camp is a long way off but advance planning for 2019 is necessary to ensure a successful camp. Camp Pinecrest is in need of the following staff in order that we can continue swimming programs, dance classes, and low ropes:

- Waterfront Coordinator – someone with water safety and rescue certificates along with lifeguard certification
- Certified Lifeguards
- Low Ropes Coordinator – someone with either experience or a willingness to learn "the ropes" in order to continue this program
- Dance Instructors – individuals with the skills and willingness to instruct teens in dance.

If you would be willing to help in one of these areas, please contact Gary Smith, Pinecrest Camp Director at 713-582-0050 or by e-mail at: gary.smith@ucg.org.

Inside United Podcast: In this week's podcast, Victor Kubik and Steven Britt continue with part two of their discussion on the spirit in man, contrasting it with the Spirit of God. You can listen to this and previous podcasts at <https://www.ucg.org/members/united-news/inside-united>.

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BT #	Title	Host	Literature Offered	Dates
359	Am I a True Disciple? Is a believer in Jesus automatically a disciple? Discover Christ's own definition about those who are His genuine followers.	Steve Myers	<i>Beyond Today, Transforming Your Life: The Process of Conversion</i>	December 2-8
340	Help Your Kids Keep the Faith Learn how Christian families can raise God-centered, biblically moral children in an increasingly secular society.	Gary Petty	<i>Beyond Today, Marriage & Family: The Missing Dimension</i>	December 9-15
341	The Sabbath: Yesterday, Today and in Prophecy Jesus kept the seventh-day Sabbath. His followers through history did too. Learn its value for you.	Darris McNeely	<i>Beyond Today, Sunset to Sunset: God's Sabbath Rest</i>	December 16-22
258	When Was Jesus Born? Did His birth occur on December 25th? Can we even know when Christ was born? And, should we really be celebrating His birth?	Darris McNeely	<i>Beyond Today, Jesus Christ: The Real Story</i>	December 23-29