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Sunday Service | 10:30 am**

October 4 - Dick Emery
October 11 - Steve Roberts
October 18 - Matt Marrs
October 25 - Jeffrey Hon



I have found life and music have many similarities. Both music and life have general principles that help determine their success.

Harmony is defined as a pleasing combination of different parts or peaceful agreement. We add harmony to a melodic line because it's different, but also complimentary. A melody line can stand alone but when we add harmony it makes a beautiful melody even better. So is life...harmony is words of wisdom or selfless acts of service that are done by church members to help those in leadership as they strive to improve the church as a whole.

Balance in music is when all the parts are equally heard and they blend together to form one unified sound. Church life is also balanced when we are all working together toward a common goal.

Transition is the movement from one section of the piece to another. Transition is hard because it is a bridge going from familiar to unfamiliar. Transition in life is also difficult. It is going from the known to the unknown. Musical transitions give the listener a hint about what's coming. It sets us up for something new like a key change or even a brand new melody.

Life's transitions are the same...we really don't know what's coming but as we go through the process it's easier to do so with a sense of anticipation. Weston Christian Church is transitioning and there will be some changes, but like a new section of a song, I can't wait to hear what the new melody will sound like.

Melissa

Brittany's Sweets & Treats

Reminder that Brittany Swetnam offers a large variety of baked treats for your enjoyment. She offers gluten-free products as well.



To place an order, just text or call her and she will give you a link to place an order.

740-501-5780

~ Weston's Applefest ~
Saturday & Sunday,
October 3rd & 4th

Your help with selling our famous apple dumplings is
~ wanted ~ needed ~
and most appreciated!!!

This is WCC's BIGGEST fundraiser!

Sign-up sheet is on the card table
at church

Hillcrest Success Story...



When Aryann arrived at Hillcrest Platte County at 20 years old, she was navigating a new city, uncertain circumstances, and the challenge of building a future largely on her own. But Aryann has always been determined to do things her way, and to do them well. While working two jobs, including early mornings as a school crossing guard, she began steadily building the life she wanted. She saved diligently, carefully purchased a reliable car, and eventually moved into a townhome of her own with significant savings still in the bank.

Along the way, the once quiet, reserved young woman blossomed into someone known for her intelligence, wit, and wonderfully unique personality. She strengthened family relationships, built meaningful connections through her church, and learned to move forward with confidence and healthy boundaries.

Today, Aryann is settling into her new home and was finally able to fulfill a childhood dream: having a dog of her own. She recently adopted Riley, a Labrador-Collie, knowing she had built the stability to afford and care for a pet. At graduation, she reflected on the people who became points of light along her journey - supporters she didn't always realize were there. "You don't even know their name, but they're rooting for you," she shared. Like stars that are there even when we can't see them, Aryann discovered that an entire community had been quietly cheering her on. Aryann, we're proud to be among them.

We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.
As part of the one body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.

Our Vision

To be a faithful, growing church, that demonstrates true community, deep Christian spirituality and a passion for justice.
– Micah 6:8

Our Mission

To be and to share the Good News of Jesus Christ, witnessing, loving and serving from our doorsteps "to the ends of the earth."
– Acts 1:8

Our Confession

As members of the Christian Church, We confess that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God,
and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world.



2026 REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

Every two years we gather as a region for fellowship, worship, regional board elections, and discussion of any other pressing issues for the Greater Kansas City Region of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

2026 is extra special with leadership from our new Regional Minister, Rev. Dr. Lara Blackwood Pickrel and an Installation Service for our Regional Youth Cabinet.

As we reflect on Being the Body of Christ, we're reminded that it takes all of us - lay members, lay leaders, ministers, and regional ministry leadership to do the work of Christ in our congregations and in our communities.

Our Regional Assembly builds on this by offering a laity and family focus on Friday evening with a Regional focus on Saturday.

All sponsors will be given a 6ft table, a 1/8 page advertisement in our event booklet, and free registration for up to two representatives.



Please note: an email about this, with active links for registration and sponsorship, was forwarded to the Congregation from WCC on Thursday, August 27th. Please use that email in order to register electronically for the Assembly.

Scan the QR code for tickets. If you have questions, want to donate or volunteer reach out via email or text!

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TALL OAKS CAMP AND
CONFERENCE CENTER'S

Green Gala

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO TALL OAKS CAMP
AND CONFERENCE CENTER'S ANNUAL GALA NIGHT,
A CELEBRATION OF UNITY, GROWTH, AND
SUSTAINABILITY.

TALL OAK'S GROUNDS
12778 189TH STREET
LINWOOD, KS 66052

14TH NOVEMBER
2026 AT 5:00PM



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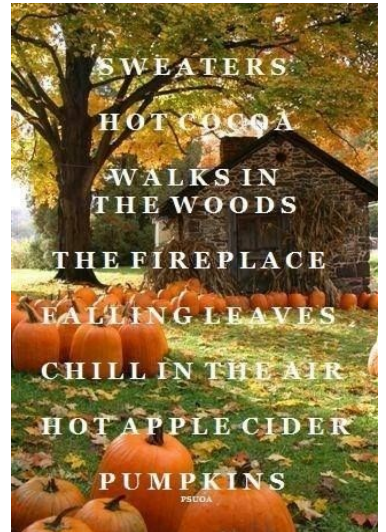


Micah Ministry at IBCC...

Next Dinner is October 12th at IBCC
~ 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. ~

Bristol Manor...

We are grateful for all who support our outreach to the residents of Bristol Manor and look forward to our next opportunity on **Tuesday, October 6th at 1:30 p.m.** for our worship service/tea party. See you there...



Good morning and hello, *October*.

You arrive dressed in gold, reminding us
that change can be *beautiful*.

The leaves begin to fall, the mornings grow quieter,
and the days gently ask us to *slow down*.

Maybe this season isn't asking us to hold on tighter,

Maybe it's asking us to appreciate what is here,
release what has passed, and trust what is still unfolding.

May we stop measuring our lives by what we haven't
accomplished and start noticing the *quiet victories*—
the peace we've found, the boundaries we've learned
to keep, the strength we didn't know we had,
and the moments that still make our hearts feel full.

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October Church Calendar

October 2026							Month ▾			Upgrade	
Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today	Today
SUN 27	MON 28	TUE 29	WED 30	THU Oct 1	FRI 2	SAT 3					
● 9:30am Sunday School/Service ● 10:30am Worship Service	● 6:30am Men's Bible Study ● 7pm Church Board Meeting		● 9:30am Wednesday Prayer			Applefest					
4	5	6	7	8	9	10					
Applefest ● 9:30am Sunday School/Service ● 10:30am Worship Service	● 6:30am Men's Bible Study	● 1:30pm Bristol Manor-Tenants' Meeting	● 9:30am Wednesday Prayer	● 8am Ministerial Alliance							
11	12	13	14	15	16	17					
● 9:30am Sunday School/Service ● 10:30am Worship Service	Columbus Day ● 6:30am Men's Bible Study ● 5pm Micah Ministry at IE	● 8am WMA - Ministers' Bible Study	● 9:30am Wednesday Prayer								
18	19	20	21	22	23	24					
● 9:30am Sunday School/Service ● 10:30am Worship Service	● 6:30am Men's Bible Study		● 9:30am Wednesday Prayer								
25	26	27	28	29	30	31					
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