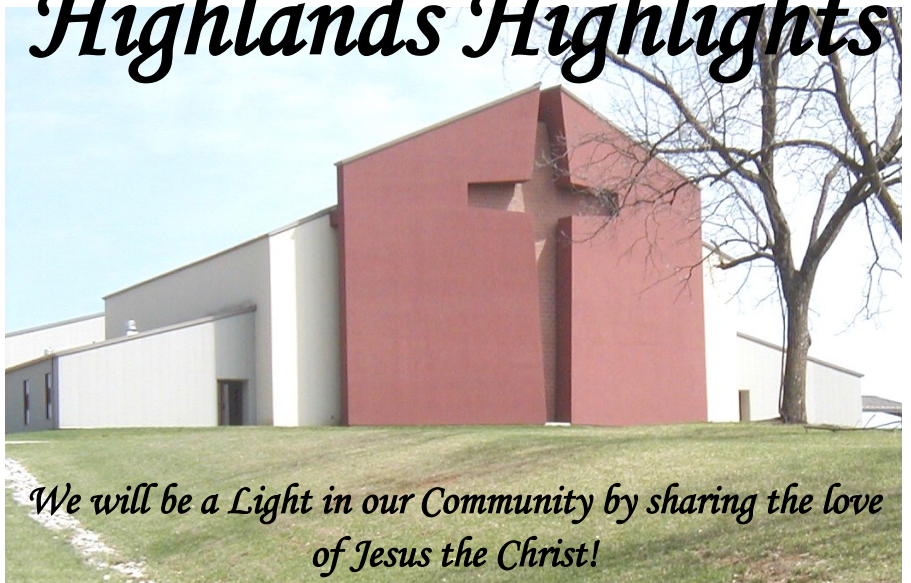


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Highlands Highlights



*We will be a Light in our Community by sharing the love
of Jesus the Christ!*

June 21, 2020

MATTHEW 10:24–39

Discipleship and the Cross

Additional Scripture

*Genesis 21:8-21; Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17; Romans 6:1b-11; Alma 16:182, 184;
Doctrine and Covenants 163:1, 2a*



How To access Zoom:

<https://zoom.us/j/99900587892>

Meeting ID: 999 0058 7892

If you prefer to just call and listen: 312-626-6799

Sunday, June 21st Order of Worship

Reflections of Fatherhood

Songs of Preparation

Make a Joyful Noise unto the Lord

Welcome and Announcements

Wendy Gunn

Dad Jokes

A Call to the Reflection of Fatherhood

Wendy Gunn

Centering Prayer

Hymn "Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love"

CCS 367

Prayer of Intercession for Father's Day

Father I Adore You

Prayer of Intercession for Father's Day

Jesus I Adore You

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Spirit I Adore You

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Message:

Michael Fletcher

"How Can You Draw Close to God Like a Child Draws Close to Their Father?"

Disciples' Generous Response

Closing Hymn "Would You Bless Our Homes"

CCS 629

Sending Forth Prayer

Wendy Gunn

(Thank you for worshipping with us today! After the closing prayer, please remain on zoom for a few moments of fellowship.)

DISCIPLES GENEROUS RESPONSE



Financial Status as of June 14, 2020

Sunday's Local contributions:	\$ 795.00
Goal for June	\$ 16,475.00
Received in June (2 weeks)	\$ 7,590.00
YTD status thru May (below goal)	\$ (32,851.11)

* The monthly goal is calculated as follows:
Annual budget of \$197,700.00 /12 = \$16,475.00

Campership Fund Raising Status

Status as of June 14, 2020

Amount since last Sunday: \$ n/a
YTD Amount: \$ 572.41
(Goal \$ 4,500.00)

You can still tithe!

As you share your mission tithes or if you give regularly through eTithing, use this time to express gratitude for God's many gifts in your life and to reflect on how we respond faithfully to those blessings. When we understand God's love and grace are given freely to us, we respond out of gratitude and are liberated to share freely in return.

E-tithe:

1. <https://app.securegive.com/cofchrist>
****Select our congregation: The Highlands (Hint: you have to scroll down to the T's.)

Or mail a check to:

Highlands Community of Christ
7615 N Platte Purchase Dr
Kansas City, Missouri 64118

Or to:

Gary Libeer
6705 N Broadway St
Gladstone, MO 64118

GRADUATION CELEBRATION



We have **SIX** graduates to Celebrate this year!
Since we can't congratulate them in person, we will do it
by way of Highlights! Each week we will feature one of
the grads! You are invited to send them cards and well
wishes! We asked them all to write a few words and
share some photos!

Our next featured Graduate is:
Chante' Campbell-Nixon

Cards may be sent to:
Dr. Chante' Campbell-Nixon
2801 NE 57th Terrace
Kansas City, MO 64119

Or email to:
campbellnixon7@outlook.com





In fall semester of 2010, I began a ten-year long journey. First, there was my Associates of Arts from Blue River college. Then I managed to survive the eighteen-month grueling nursing program at Graceland University. Finally, I have spent the last five years obtaining my Doctorate in Nursing Practice with a Family Nurse Practitioner specialty and a Minor in Nursing Education from the University of Missouri (#MIZZOU MAD).

Through those five years, I have seen God's hand work in my life. Many times, I felt as though I would never survive to graduation, and every obstacle that could be thrown in my path was. Often, I could sense God asking me, "Do you trust me or not?" Sometimes I was better at trusting than others, but every time God opened the doors I needed to walk through.

Even though I was honestly disheartened to have my graduation ceremony canceled, I held a small ceremony with family and friends. Having my hood placed on me by my husband and being surrounded by some of my favorite people is a moment I will never forget. Nor will I forget how proud I was to wear that apricot colored hood or how I cried when I passed my DNP final project and heard my professor—who had cheered me on for the last three years—say: "Please join me in congratulating Dr. Campbell-Nixon."

Currently, I have accepted a job as an adjunct professor at University of Kansas and Graceland University for the fall semester and continue to work agency work in the NICUs in the metro (though admittedly it's slow right now). I am applying and seeking a position as a Nurse Practitioner, but that's quite difficult right now for many reasons. I'm also enjoying the extra time to pursue my hobbies, mainly working on my next novel.

I miss all of you so much and look forward to seeing you all soon. Thank you for all the support you have given me as a member of The Highlands.

JOIN YOUR HIGHLANDS FAMILY ONLINE!!!

**You do not have to have a camera to participate!
Just a computer where you can view the screen.**

Highlands Game Night **Church History Trivia!!!**

Saturday, June 20, 2020 7:00pm

You will need a computer screen and a smart phone/iphone

Zoom link:

<https://zoom.us/j/98352328700?pwd=OHVqeU1Fa2tGM01tVU5rTlcrbmw2Zz09>

Meeting ID: 983 5232 8700 Password: Highlands

How To access Zoom:

- 1. Follow the link listed in the activity above to join Zoom**
 - 2. Prior to Saturday, click the link and download zoom onto your phone or computer.**
 - 3. On Saturday when time to join, click the link again.**
 - 4. On Saturday when time to join, click the link again.**
 - 5. Select Join Meeting.**
 - 6. Enter your name and click OK**
 - 7. You will be in a waiting room until the meeting starts. (this is for additional security)**
 - 8. On the screen you should see start video. (this will allow you to be seen by others, however, this is not mandatory!)**
 - 9. Join Audio will allow others to hear you speak. This is optional as well.**
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Highlands Church Project: If you were on zoom with us for church on May 31st, you know that we are asking each family to create something that shows their family during these last few months. Here are the instructions in case you have forgotten

Each family should have some kind of material. Old T-shirt, Pillow case etc. Then have either markers or pens or paint.

Questions - What has your family looked like during this pandemic? Has it changed? Have you learned anything new? What positive actions have you noticed during this time?

Have you seen Christ during this pandemic? Where? In Who?

Draw a picture of your family in these new times. This can be an actual drawing or it can be built with words. Make sure everyone in the family has an opportunity to "make their mark".

Drop items off at church in the box outside the front doors.



YOUTH /YOUNG ADULT CALENDAR

SUBJECT TO CHANGE/CANCEL!!!!

Events scheduled by the Highlands and the Midlands Mission Center. Any questions please see Dawn Pagat Highlands Pastor of Youth/Young Adults or any Youth Leadership

July 12	Youth Activity, Swimming, Tiffany Springs Water Park 1:00-3:00 pm
August 15	Back to School Party, Highlands, 10:00 – 2:00 GAP, Highlands, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
September 19	GAP, Highlands, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
September 20	Youth Activity, Corn Maze, Kearney 1:00 – 3:00 pm
September 26	Youth Fundraiser, Chili Cook-off, Highlands, 5:00 – 8:00 pm
October 11	Congregational Activity, KC Zoo, 1:00 – 5:00
October 17	GAP, Highlands, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
October 31	Trunk or Treat, Highlands, 2:00 – 4:00 pm
November 1	Youth Activity, Kansas City in a Day, 1:00 – 4:00 pm
November 6-8	TWIST, Host Congregation TBA
December 12	Breakfast with Santa, Highlands, 9:00 – 12:00
December 19	GAP/Christmas party with caroling, 4:00 – 8:00



1. Start calling other church members! Let's stay connected during these stressful times!
2. Join us online Saturday evenings for games!
3. Join us online for Sunday Morning Services
4. Wash your hands and take care of yourself!

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 Submissions, questions or to contact Congregational Leadership, contact the church office:
 kchcofc@kchighlands.org or phone 816-468-7878,
 9am-4pm, Mon - Thurs

2020 CONGREGATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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Wendy Gunn

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Rob de Zwart

Historians

Sandy Allen, Missy Shields

Counselor to Pastorate

Marty Jenson

Highlands Publicity/Nursery Coordinator

Chris German

Worship Team

Kathy Ruoff, Missy Shields, Nancy Short, Dawn Pagat, Mary Libeer, Rob de Zwart

Highlands Leadership Board

Bob Mallett, Russ Gunn, Harriett Ramey, Rob Campbell-Nixon, June Tygart, Jack Cavitt

Prayer Service Coordinator

Linda Minthorn

Sunday Breakfast

Carol Gist

Priesthood Leadership

Lehi German

Classic Choir Director

Barb Siebert

Sharon Pierce, Assistant

Stewardship

Gary Libeer-CFO

Marty Jenson

Allen Keehler

Communion to Shut-ins

Gary & Mary Libeer

Pastoral Care to the Congregation

Elaine Bradford

Building Improvement Committee

Sandy & Terry Allen, Bob Gauper, Tom Gist, Marty Jenson, Gary Libeer, Russ Gunn, Pastorate

Prayer Circles

Beverly Gauper, Nancy Short

Christian Education

Chante' Campbell-Nixon

Signs and External Outreach

Chante' & Rob Campbell-Nixon

Women's Ministries

Mary Jane Stafford

Highlands Technology Team

Russell Gunn- Tech Advisor

Sound/Video Bryan Parrott,

Missy Shields

Computer/Website

Larry Ragan

Social Media

Chante' Campbell-Nixon, Manager, Briana Gist, Ashli Gunn-Young Adult Website

Men's Ministries

Larry Paradine

Young Adult Ministries/Website

Ashli Gunn

Hospitality/Outreach

Sue Williams

Security Committee

Bryan Parrott, Nancy Short, Mary Jane Stafford, Jeri Lynn Dobson

Wedding Coordinators

Ashli Gunn, Wendy Gunn, Sharon Bongiovanni

Fellowship Coordinator

Kathy Ruoff

Scout Troop 447 Chartered Organizational Rep

Preston Pagat

Fine Arts Coordinator

Sharon Bongiovanni

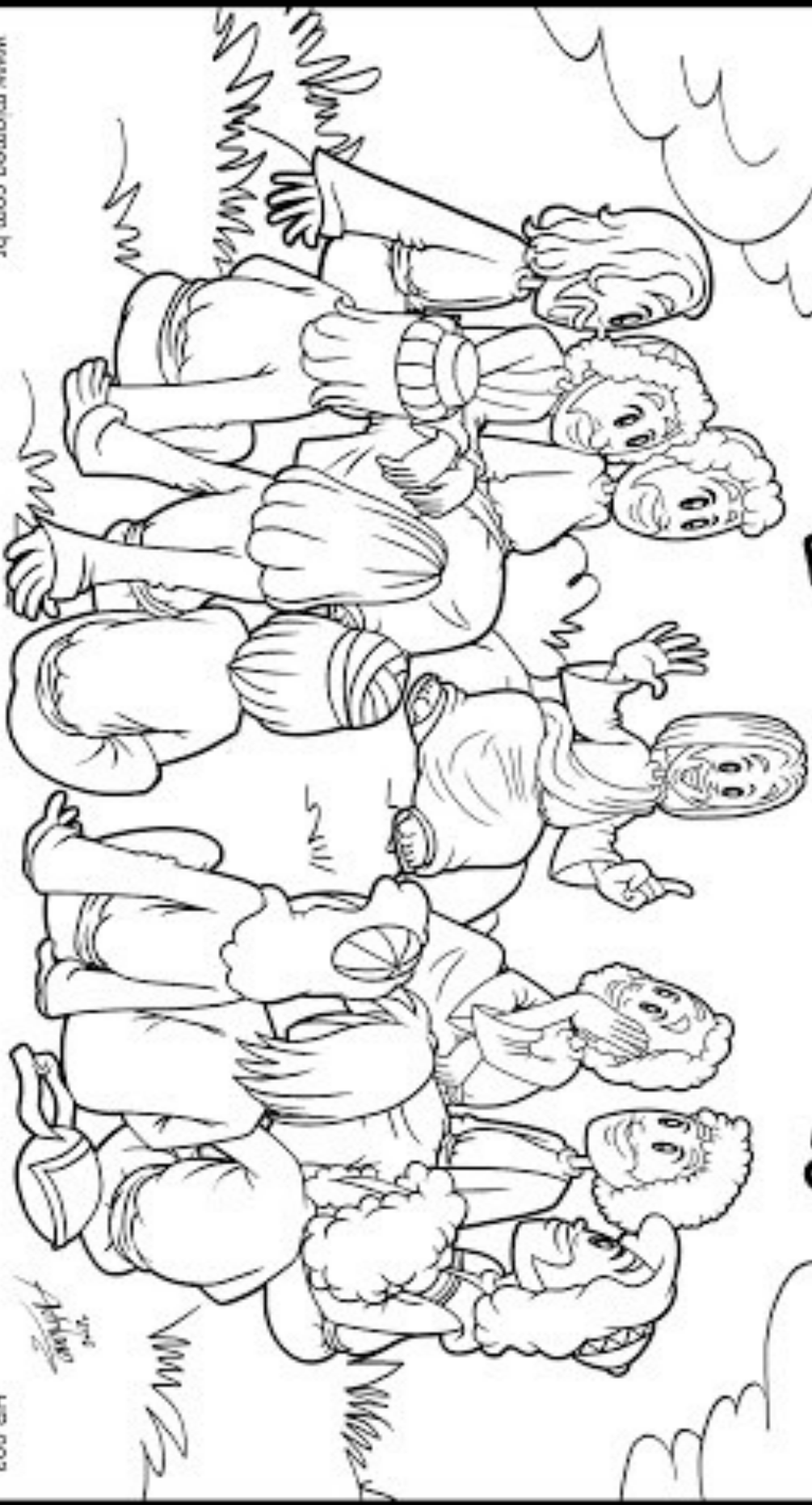
Multi-Cultural Liaisons

Bob Gauper, Jes & Juli Albert, Dennis & Jeanne Payea

Wednesday Evening Meals

Bob Gauper

JESUS CAILS - EACH PERSON IN A SPECIAL WAY!



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