

CURRENT SERIES

Crazy Love

The *Crazy Love* series will run through Christmas. Some people are more open to the idea of attending church during the holidays but they're not likely to do so without *being invited*. Ask someone you know to come with you in the coming weeks.

Love isn't about obeying a list of do's and don'ts. It's passionate and irrational. We do crazy things when we're in love. God loves us with this logic-defying love. And when we fall in love with Him, we can stop living a safe, status-quo life. Real, crazy love changes everything.

MAP

We want to be intentional about the activities and opportunities we promote. Our lives are already busy, we don't need more "stuff" to do.

Journey has three types of activities. Look for the letter after each update to see how that event fits into your spiritual life.

[M] Missional Spirituality

We will pursue a lifestyle of outward-focused living; exemplified by acts of service, generosity, and loving-kindness to all.

Communion

The Lord's Supper, Communion, The Eucharist... This practice has several names, but one overarching purpose: to remember the love and sacrifice Jesus demonstrated on the cross. Today, this meaningful reminder will be part of our service. [P]

Winter Xtreme Student & Parent Meeting

Immediately following the worship experience on December 6, we will have an informational meeting for all the parents and students going on the Gatlinburg trip. We will go over itinerary, hotel location, and other important information. Also, the

final payment of \$55 (down from \$69) will be due that day. [A] [P]

Students + Food + Clothes = Serving the Homeless

Mark your calendar! On December 20, Journey Youth will be teaming with the Vineyard Church and Iron Samaritans ministry to help feed and clothe the homeless in Washington Park, downtown Cincinnati. Any donations of food goods, such as cans or cooked meals, and clothes will be accepted and delivered. Stay tuned for the start time. [M]

"It is delightfully easy to thank God for the grace we ourselves have received, but it requires great grace to thank God always for the grace given to others." James Smith

[A] Authentic Community

We value relationships marked by honesty, encouragement, acceptance, accountability and unconditional love.

[P] Personal Wholeness

Personal wholeness will be realized as we individually seek to live in healthy relationships with ourselves, with God, and with others.

JOURNEY KIDS

Sonshine Meadows (birth–pre-K)

In this safe, loving environment, kids experience God's love through teaching, music and creative activities.

The Great Adventure (K–3rd grade)

In this exciting worship experience, kids enjoy age-appropriate large group singing and teaching, as well as grade-specific small group discussions.

Roots (4th–6th grade)

In this interactive experience, kids enjoy age-appropriate worship and teaching, as well as grade-specific small group discussions.

Journey Kids

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Today in Sonshine Meadows

Today, we'll start talking with the kids about the Christmas story.

Today in Great Adventure and Roots

Today concludes our discussion about "cooperation."

Parents: Don't forget to reinforce the teaching this week by using the God Time and Refrigerator Door cards.

JOURNEY STUDENTS

Middle School Discipleship

We meet at 1:30 p.m. every Sunday. For the location, talk with Vinny.

Bible Study & Youth Night

We'll meet from 6–7:30 p.m., tonight, right here.

Middle School & High School

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We love your kids!

Obsessed

We're glad you're here on November 29, 2009