



Living Out the WORD

John Bailey, Sallie Bailey, Heidi Hudnut-Beumler, Susan Hassell, Patrick Ren, Terry Allen, Roy Alley, and Janet Kuhn worked at Oasis Center as volunteers during a FaithWorks community opportunity.

Learn more about Oasis Center and how you can volunteer during a Moment for Mission on May 30.

Oasis Center Helps Youth In Our Community

Founded in 1969 as the "Rap House," a simple community center for teens in crisis, Oasis Center has steadily grown into one of Middle Tennessee's most comprehensive youth development agencies. For five decades, Oasis Center's increased capacity to serve at-risk youth has been built on the kindness and support of our community.

Each year, Oasis engages over 4,000 at-risk young people and their families across a broad spectrum of opportunities.

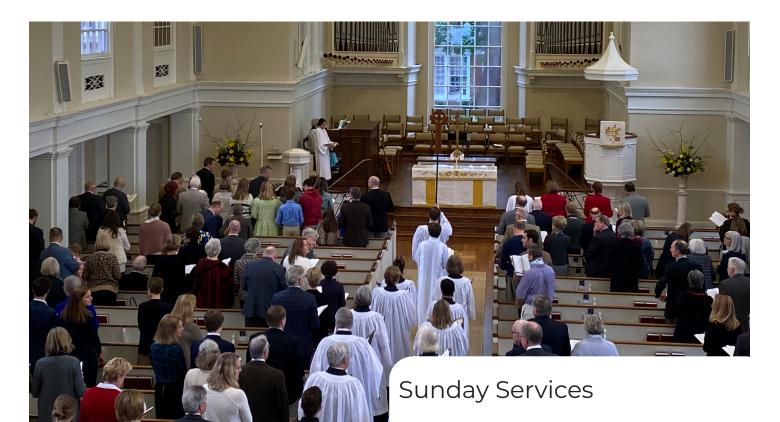
Crisis to Housing & Workforce Development programs and services support marginalized, vulnerable youth in gaining long-term safety, stability and selfsufficiency. Youth Action, Advocacy, and Education programs occur both during and after school and are dedicated to empowering young people to be catalysts for social change and achieve personal and academic success.

Learn more about them at <u>oasiscenter.org</u>.









As more people return to Sunday morning worship, the Security Committee would like to remind everyone to please use the Sanctuary doors facing West End Avenue when arriving for worship. For those desiring to use the elevator or restrooms, you may enter the building at the Mayfair entrance where a security volunteer will be present and happy to assist you. The Security Committee is looking for additional volunteers to help with security on Sunday mornings during worship at both services. For more information, please contact Scott Portis at smportis@gmail.com.

SENIOR SUNDAY May 2



Services 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM North Parking Lot

- No reservations needed
- Bring your lawnchair
- Social distance seating

9:45 AM Celebration of Seniors with their families

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY May 16



Services 8:30 AM Sanctuary Regular service

9:45 AM Celebration of Confirmands and their families

11:00 AM North Parking Lot

COMMUNION KITS



INFO: Sylvia Leins, 615-243-9773 srleins@yahoo.com

If you or a Senior you know living in a residency or at home would like to receive a Communion kit with liturgy for the next Communion Sunday and a check-in call from an elder, please contact Sylvia Leins.

Adult Education Opportunities

SUNDAY MORNING CLASS 9:45 AM · Zoom



INFO: Guy D. Griffith agriffith@nashvillewpc.org

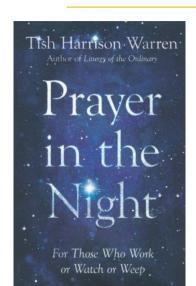
May 2, 9, 16

Off the Page: Church Architecture as Theology Led by Stephanie Downing.

In this four-week course, we'll explore what church architecture says about God and about what Christians have believed

and prioritized theologically across the centuries.

It will challenge us to think about the places where theology comes "off the page" and express itself in ways other than words.



SUMMER BOOK STUDY

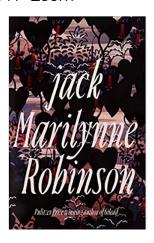
INFO: Guy D. Griffith ggriffith@nashvillewpc.org

June 3 - August 26 9:30 AM

Please join us for an in-depth look into this fascinating book. You do not need to be present at each class to join this study.

WESTMINSTER ACADEMY

Wednesday Night 7:00 PM · Zoom



INFO: Guy D. Griffith agriffith@nashvillewpc.org

May 5, 12

Belmont English Professor, Sue Trout, continues to teach Marilynne Robinson's new book, *Jack*.

WESTMINSTER BOOK GROUP

May 25 10:00 ам · Zoom



INFO: Linda Anderson Indaart@gmail.com

Water From My Heart By Charles Martin

Janice Kemp, Jane Mills and Linda Anderson will lead the discussion.



Faith & Film Festival
Wednesday evenings
7:00 PM
June 2 - August 18

INFO: Guy D. Griffith ggriffith@nashvillewpc.org

Here is the movie lineup for the summer:

June 2

The Black Church Part 1 PBS

June 9

The Black Church Part 2 PBS

June 16

Amazing Grace
Amazon Prime, Hulu, YouTube

June 23

Something the Lord Made Amazon Prime, Hulu, YouTube

June 30

Gentleman's Agreement Amazon Prime, AppleTV, YouTube

July 7

Finding Your Roots, Season 7, Episode 5 Amazon Prime, AppleTV, YouTube

July 14

Soul Disney

July 21

Operation Varsity Blues: The College Admissions Scandal Netflix

July 28

Rocks Netflix

August 4

American Factory
Netflix

August 11

Brassed Off Netflix

August 18

Nomadland Amazon Prime, Hulu, YouTube

Youth Mission Trips

INFO: Margie Quinn mquinn@nashvillewpc.org

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INFO: Kirsten Fox kfox@nashvillewpc.org

We hope your child will be able to join us for one of these fun-filled weeks as we serve the community.

Please contact a member of the Youth department with questions or for more information.



Senior High

Mission Week
June 6-10

Cost: \$100

Junior High Mission Week June 27-July 1 Cost: \$100

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Montreat July 25-31 Cost: \$500



INFO: Sophie Maness smaness@nashvillewpc.org

June 6 • 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Join us as we package up 10,000 meals for hungry folks around the world.

All ages may participate!!

Come for the whole event or whatever portion fits your schedule!



INFO: Roger Maness roger.maness@comcast.net

October 18
Springhouse Golf Course
\$100 entry fee

All skill levels welcome!

HIKES AND DEVOTIONS **Sundays, May 16 & 23** 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM 3rd - 5th grade children



INFO: Sophie Maness smaness@nashvillewpc.org

Join us at Edwin Warner Park. Come to the entrance off of HWY 100. Follow the signs for the Nature Center, but once you have entered the park, turn right into the parking lot, NOT left towards the nature center. I will be there to greet you. We will hike, have a devotion and a snack.

OUTDOOR CHALLENGE June 18-25 4th & 5th grade children



INFO: Sophie Maness smaness@nashvillewpc.org

It's not too late to sign up. Your child will enjoy a week of camping, rappelling, caving, and good ole fashioned fun.

Space is limited, so contact me soon.

SECOND SUNDAY **GATHERINGS**

May 9

Preschool Children & Parents



INFO: Sophie Maness smaness@nashvillewpc.org

Come hangout during the Sunday School hour, 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM, pre-school children will ioin our nurserv staff on the playground to just play and hang out together. Parents will gather together outside the youth café to visit and check-in. Sophie will be with you to listen and be present. If it rains, we will bump to the third Sunday of the month.

Sunday School This Fall



We plan to have regular Sunday School beginning this fall. We will follow COVID guidelines.

Ready to get out of the house? Children's Ministry is looking for volunteers to be with our children during the time frame of late August 2021 through the end of May 2022 for Sunday school from 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM each week.

There are all kinds of jobs. If you are interested in helping in any way, please contact Sophie.

Especially this year, as we come back together in person, your gifts are needed and appreciated.



TO THE CHURCH TRIUMPHANT



April 11, 2021

Mrs. Mary Jean Nixon, wife of John B. Nixon and mother of Cathy (David) Hill.

April 5, 2021 **Elizabeth Porter Zarabi**,
mother of Robert H.

Zarabi (Clisby Hall) and
grandmother of Josh Zarabi,
Alex Zarabi, and Jack
Barrow.

BAPTISMS



May 9 • 8:30 AM **Emerson Anne Grote**Parents: Frances and Carl

Grote

May 9 • 11:00 AM **Douglass B. Smith III**Parents: Jennifer and Doug Smith, Jr.

Magnolia June Marrow-Wilsey

Parents: Amber Marrow-Jones and Anthony Wilsey

May 23 • 11:00 AM **Harrison Lake Eakin**Parents: Haley and Rob

Eakin

Hospitalizations

INFO: Heidi Hudnut-Beumler hhudnutbeumler@nashvillewpc.org

Please contact the church office (615.292.5526) or church staff when you know about someone in the hospital who needs a pastoral call from the church or to spread words of joy.

Prayer Support

INFO: Heidi Hudnut-Beumler hhudnutbeumler@nashvillewpc.org

Would you or someone you know love the support of a prayer team, in time of need as well as in time of joy, to share in prayer with God? Confidentiality requests respected.

BIRTHS



March 22, 2021
Katie Koban Braddy and
William Braddy are excited
to announce the arrival of
Charles Michael Braddy,
Pam and Mike Koban are
proud grandparents.

March 22, 2021
Mary Brette and Cook Wylly are excited to announce the arrival of *Elizabeth*Jennings Wylly. Frances is a proud big sister. Pam and Tom Wylly are proud grandparents.

March 23, 2021 Samantha and Taylor Tate are excited to announce the arrival of **Bennett Taylor Tate**. Debi and Bill Tate are proud grandparents.

March 24, 2021 Nick and Hannah South are excited to announce the arrival of *Willow Grey South*.

April 8, 2021
Sarah Carl Croset and
Sam Croset are excited to
announce the arrival of **Tess Evelyne Croset** born in
Basel, Switzerland. Theresa
and Norm Carl are proud
arandparents.





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WINDOW

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Music Camp 2021

GET A LIFE!

A musical about the Good Samaritan by John Arnn and Donovan Drake.

CAMP

REHEARSAL

PERFORMANCE

July 12 - 16 8:30 am - 12:30 PM July 17 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

July 18 9:45 AM



All children who have completed kindergarten through rising 7th graders are welcome to participate. The cost is \$35 (scholarships available, as needed).

THERE WILL BE REHEARSAL AUDITIONS FOR ALL SPEAKING AND SOLO ROLES Wednesdays, May 12, 19, & 26, 5:15—6:00 pm, PARLOR COURTYARD (outdoors).

For more information, please contact <u>John</u>
<u>Semingson</u> or <u>Sally Mae Arnn</u>.
To register, please visit nashvillewpc.org.