

**SUNDAY SCHOOL / ALDI
10:00 TO 11:00 A.M.**

Sunday School Room Locations

*Infant Nursery – Room 105

*Young Toddler Nursery – Room 106

*Available during all services.

Children's Classes

Ages 2 and 3 – Room 107

Pre-K & Kindergarten – Room 144

1st to 2nd Grade – Room 146

3rd to 4th Grade – Room 141

5th Grade – Room 143

Special Needs – Room 145

Youth Classes

Middle School (6th - 8th grades) – Room 8

High School (9th - 12th grades) – Youth Room

College Class

Room 7 – Rick Whitmire

ALL OF LIFE DISCIPLESHIP INSTITUTE

The Book of Proverbs

Chapel – Francisco DeSouza

Parenting Toddlers - Part 2

Room 2 – Jon & Simona King

Gospel Forgiveness & Gospel Freedom

Fellowship Hall – Cliff Boone

Life in the Body of Christ

Rooms 42/44 – Glenn Felty

Doctrine of Sin and Man

Rooms 41/43 – Chris Von Holt

How to Study the Bible

Room 1 – Dan Waterman

**ALDI (All of Life Discipleship Institute)
Fall Semester Brochures are at the
Connect Center.**

**DO YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE
ABOUT CHRIST?**

If you would like to know more about trusting in Christ, fill out a "Plug Into Cedar Crest" card located in the rack on the back of the pew and hand it to the attendant at the Welcome Center.

PLUG INTO CEDAR CREST – In the card rack on the back of the pews you will find an information card titled "Plug Into Cedar Crest." Its purpose is to gather information from guests, attendees and church members who are interested in knowing more about the ministry here at Cedar Crest.

MEN'S MINISTRY BLOCK

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Men's Breakfast – November 10 at 8 am

Special Speaker: Jason Romano

Join us for a men's breakfast with guest speaker, producer, and author Jason Romano. Bring your friends, neighbors and relatives for breakfast and hear former ESPN producer and author of "Live to Forgive" speak on the topic of gospel forgiveness. Tickets are \$20.00 or \$30.00 with a book copy. RSVP to Andrew Parry.

NEXT MEN'S GAME NIGHT

Friday, December 7

**UPCOMING OPPORTUNITY FOR A
SHORT TRIP TO NEPAL**

Push The Rock and Life Change Ministries International are coming together for a short trip to Nepal January 23 to February 4, 2019. This ministry opportunity is about partnering with local churches in Nepal to use sports to help them make disciples, to help them building relationships with children, and to share the love of Jesus Christ. During this trip, there will be opportunities to share the gospel message through verbal and nonverbal testimonies using soccer and other recreational games. For more information, go to <https://pushtherock.org/missions/trips/nepal-life-change-ministries-international/>

COMMUNITY ENCOUNTER

Come out next Sunday, September 30 at 6:00 pm in the Activity Center for a time of prayer, encouragement, and dessert. We are having a Fresh Encounter for LIFEgroups and for anyone interested in joining a LIFEgroup. Sign up today at the LIFEgroup table or e-mail lifegroups@cedarcrest.church and let us know you are coming. Childcare is provided, but you must register in advance.

**LEHIGH VALLEY INTERNATIONAL
FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM**

The Lehigh Valley International Friendship Program is a series of events hosted by area churches for the purpose of introducing students and scholars from other countries to the people in our community. We want those coming from other cultures to feel welcomed and at home while they are studying here. Cedar Crest Church is one of the participating churches, and will once again host a Thanksgiving Dinner on November 17. We are looking for volunteers to help with the dinner, but are also looking for people who are willing to be a Friendship Partner for an international student for the 2018-19 academic year. Training for Friendship Partners will be provided. If you are interested in participating in any of the IFP activities, helping with the Thanksgiving Dinner, or becoming a Friendship Partner, please contact Al Jibilian.

**NEW CHURCH EMAIL ADDRESSES
FOR THE CHURCH AND STAFF**

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Emails may be found in CROSSROADS.



CEDAR CREST
Bible Fellowship Church



SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

1151 South Cedar Crest Blvd., Allentown, PA 18103

610-432-2200 Email: info@cedarcrest.church www.CedarCrestBFC.org

Announcements

Brianna Parsons, Director - Children's Ministries

Worship in Song*

Tim Schaeffer, Worship Leader – 8:30 am

Luke Walters, Worship Leader – 11:15 am

Prayer

Pastor Adam Crain

Offering

Message

"Truth and Love" – 2 John 1:1-13

Pastor Cliff Boone

Response Song

Benediction

***Note:** There may be an extended time of standing during the "Worship in Song" portion of the service. Please do not hesitate to sit down if you feel the need to do so.

OUR WORSHIP SERVICES

Heritage Service (8:30 a.m.) – blends hymns and praise songs. This service is led by a worship leader and choir, and accompanied by organ, piano and occasional orchestra.

Celebration Service (11:15 a.m.) – features current worship songs and contemporary hymns. This service is led by a worship team and accompanied by a worship band.

Parents: There are **Kid's Worship** programs during the 11:15 Worship Service for Preschool through 5th graders! Check-in for these programs is at the Kid's Welcome Kiosk outside of Room 108. **Nursery** is available for children up to age 3 during all services in rooms #105 - 107. A special room for **Nursing Mothers** is located across from the restrooms of the Worship Center. If you have a **restless child**, please take your child to the Lobby where you will still be able to hear the service. We also provide a quality nursery and would be happy to care for your child while you worship. Program for children with **Special Needs** is in room 145.

Cliff Boone
Senior Pastor

Jon King
Executive Pastor

Adam Crain
Assistant Pastor – Congregational Care/LIFEgroups

John LoRusso
Associate Pastor – Outreach

Brianna Parsons
Director – Children's Ministries

Tim Schaeffer
Director – Worship & Music Ministries

Chris Von Holt
Assistant Pastor – Youth Ministries & Discipleship

Luke Walters
Director – Contemporary Worship

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK:

Haleigh Ott

SHUT-IN OF THE WEEK:

Dorothy Steckel

COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK:

Parents: If your children are attending college this fall (new or returning), email lraines@cedarcrest.church with their name and school address or call the church office.

THE ROSE ON THE ORGAN is to welcome Hadley Patricia Klase, born to Steve & Kendall on September 9th. Hadley weighed in at 8 lbs. and is 20 inches long.

SEPTEMBER IS . . .**NEW CHOIR MEMBER MONTH!**

Teens, young and older adults are welcome to join the choir family. You can even "test-drive" the choir experience by attending a few rehearsals before you decide. Pick up a Choir Info Flyer at the Connect Center.

PINEBROOK BIBLE CONFERENCE**SENIOR SAINTS RETREAT****For the 50's and Beyond****October 8-12 – *Pressing Forward***

If interested, brochures are available at the Welcome Center desks in the Activity Center.

NEW CHURCH MAILBOXES ARE READY

There are two ways to find out your new mailbox number. First: There are several books in The Hub to help you locate your new number. Second: Go to your profile on CROSSROADS. Under the new profile page, go to 'ABOUT' and your mailbox number will be listed below. If you still use the old profile page, to go 'INFO' and scroll down and your mailbox number will be listed.

LAUNCHPAD CHILDREN'S**MINISTRY CORNER**

KID'S WORSHIP – 11:15 a.m.

BLAST-OFF! Kids Worship (PK and K)

meet in Room 102.

SKYROCKET Kids Worship (1st-5th)

meet in the Activity Center.

ESL MINISTRY HELP NEEDED

Are you fluent in English? If the answer is 'Yes,' then the ESL Ministry can use your help! We are looking for at least three more teachers to help with classes this fall, as well as helpers who simply talk to students in English. Build relationships just by making conversation! Contact Betsy Gahman. Classes begin on Monday, September 24 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

SEASONED CITIZENS**SHOE BOX BUILD – SEPTEMBER 27**

The first meeting for fall startup is on Thursday, September 27 at 10:00 a.m. We will now be meeting in the Worship Center Lobby (enter through Worship Center Door #1). Bring a bag lunch. Dessert and drinks will be provided. We will be putting shoe boxes together with Nelson Randolph. Sign up at the Connect Center in the Worship Center Lobby.

CONFERENCE ON**REFORMED THEOLOGY**

The 2018 Quakertown Regional Conference on Reformed Theology will be held on November 9-10 at Grace Bible Fellowship Church, 1811 Old Bethlehem Pike North, Quakertown, PA. This year's theme is "The Glory of the Cross," with speakers Dave Garner, Ray Ortlund, and Richard Phillips. Cost is \$45 per person; a group rate of \$35 is offered to senior citizens, pastors, students, and groups of five or more. Lunch is available for an additional \$7. To register, contact the Alliance of Confessing Evangelicals at 1-800-488-1888 or register online at www.alliancenet.org. Brochures may be found at the Connect Center.

A WEEKEND TO REMEMBER**November 16-18**

Marriage is a lifelong adventure of growing together through every age and stage of life. The happiest couples are those who commit to learning skills that help weather difficult seasons and deal confidently with relationship challenges. Find out what over 1.5 million couples worldwide have experienced at FamilyLife's Weekend to Remember®. It's your turn to make a great marriage happen. The cost is \$149.99 per person plus \$112 per night at the Crown Plaza King of Prussia = \$524. For a special discount on the seminar, use the group name cedarcrest to get \$100 off when registering, or register by midnight September 24 and receive \$150 off the cost. To register: <https://shop.familylife.com/p-5184-philadelphia-king-of-prussia.aspx>

LEHIGH CHRISTIAN ACADEMY**Texas Roadhouse Business Partner**

Join us at Texas Roadhouse, 6268 Hamilton Blvd., Trexlertown 18106 on Monday, September 24th to support Lehigh Christian Academy. Dining hours are from 3:00 to 10:00 pm. Take Sunday's bulletin with you, hand it to your server, and LCA will receive a 10% donation from your check.

YOUTH BLOCK**Tonight**

Youth Group – 6:00 p.m.

September 28**Game Night – 6 to 9 pm**

Games in Activity Center and board games in Chapel. Bring a drink, snack, or dessert to share.

New to the Church?

If you are new to youth group and not receiving a newsletter, please contact Chris Von Holt so he can add you to the list - cmvonholt@cedarcrestbfc.org.

Youth Web Page<http://www.cedarcrestbfc.org/youth>**WOMEN'S MINISTRIES****TUESDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY**

– Ladies of All Ages –

9 to 11 am in the Chapel

"Becoming a Woman After God's Own Heart" – A study in 1 Samuel

Invite a friend or two!

WEDNESDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY

7 pm – Room 42

A Book Study for Women

"Adorned" by Nancy DeMoss Wolgemuth

No need to register. Hope to see you!

For more information, contact

Jane Handwerk

AWAKEN*Utilizing Spiritual Disciplines to Grow Closer to God*

A local, one-day retreat for women

January 12, 2019 – 9:00 am to 6:30 pm

Bear Creek Mountain Resort

Lehigh Valley, PA

Registration will open this fall!

SAVE THE DATE**2019 Women's Retreat****March 8-10, 2019 at Ladore**

Speaker will be our very own

Jennie Harclerode!

CASES FOR SMILES**"Helping Kids Feel Better"**

The dates to sew pillow cases for the rest of the year are, October 4, November 1, and December 6. Call Phyllis Beahm.

HIRING ASSISTANT PASTOR OF**ADULT MINISTRIES AND CONNECTIONS**

The church is looking to hire a Pastor of Adult Ministries and Connections. You can find out more information about the position at <https://cedarcrestbfc.org/jobs/>

VAN DRIVERS NEEDED

We are still in need of van drivers, especially for the second service. Time needed: one Sunday per month. Contact Pete Rex.

WEEKLY CALENDAR**TODAY**

- * 8:30 a.m. Heritage Service
Cliff Boone, Preaching
- *10:00 a.m. ALDI/Sunday School
- 11:15 a.m. Blast-Off (PK-K) – Room 102
- 11:15 a.m. Skyrocket (1st-5th) – Activity Center
- *11:15 a.m. Celebration Service
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Group

MONDAY

- 6:30 p.m. Adult Volleyball – Activity Center
- 6:30 p.m. Women's Aerobics – F.H.
- 7:00 p.m. Women's Stretching – Nursery
- 7:00 p.m. ESL Class – Chapel

TUESDAY

- * 9:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study – Chapel
- 11:00 a.m. Quilters – The Hub
- 7:00 p.m. Board of Deacons – Room 115
- 7:00 p.m. Financial Peace – Room 41
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Basketball – Activity Center

WEDNESDAY

- * 7:00 p.m. *Wednesday Night Clubs*
Pioneer Clubs, Girls Quest,
Christian Service Brigade
- 7:00 p.m. Men's Fraternity – The Hub
- 7:00 p.m. Ladies Bible Study – Room 44

THURSDAY

- 10:00 a.m. Seasoned Citizens – The Hub
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal – Chapel

FRIDAY

- 6-9 p.m. Youth Game Night

NEXT SUNDAY

- * 8:30 a.m. Heritage Service
Cliff Boone, Preaching
- * 10:00 a.m. ALDI/Sunday School
- 11:15 a.m. Blast-Off – (PK-K)
SKYROCKET – (Grades 1-5)
- * 11:15 a.m. Celebration Service
- 6:00 p.m. Community Encounter – A.C.
Youth Group with Community
Encounter followed with Open Gym

*Nursery available