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We're so glad you've joined us today—whether it's your first time or you've been with us for years, you are family here. The Bible reminds us in Psalm 122:1, "I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD!'"

What a joy it is to gather in God's Presence!

As we gather together in worship, may our hearts be open to His voice and our souls lifted in unity. Like Jesus says in Matthew 18:20, "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them." We believe God is here with us now, ready to meet every need, speak peace into every heart, and transform our lives!

Don't forget to fill out one of our "Welcome Cards!"

Welcome home!

Pastor Greg Smith

Happening This Week...

Wednesday, September 3rd | Wednesday Night Kickoff Picnic | 6-8pm

Join us at Pleasant Acres Lake as we kickoff our fall discipleship groups. Meat is provided. Bring a side dish to share. Address: Lakeknoll St in Louisville- entrance is at the end of the street on the left.

Thursday, September 4th | Thursday Night Discipleship Group | 6-7pm

Continuing our study in the book of John. All are welcome to join!

Saturday, September 6th | Adult Game Night | 6:00-9:00pm

Bring a game and a snack to share!

Sunday, September 7th | Explorers Discipleship Group Breakfast & Bible Study | 9am

Young adults age 18-29 are welcome to join us for our monthly Breakfast & Bible Study in the old Parsonage. Food provided, just bring your Bible!

Help us stay up to date!

Stop by the Welcome Center and make sure your birthday & anniversary are on our calendar!

We have a card ministry here at East Canton Church of God and we would love to have you on our list. If you don't currently get birthday and/or anniversary cards from the Sunday School Department, be sure to stop by the Welcome Center and add your name to the list.

Office Hours

Tuesday 9am-4pm; Wednesday 9am-12pm; Thursday 12:30pm-4:30pm

Messages are checked Monday-Friday, please leave a message if the office is closed.

Upcoming Events...

Wednesday, September 10th | Wednesday Night Discipleship Groups | 6:30-8:00pm

Join a Discipleship Group on Wednesday nights! We have groups for men, women, youth, and kids.

Saturday, September 13th | Stark County Men's Breakfast | 9:00am

A group of men from Church of God congregations gather together on the 2nd Saturday of each month to fellowship and share God's Word. All men are invited to join. August's breakfast will be held at the Louisville Eagles.

Sunday, September 14th | Baptism

If you would like to be baptized, fill out a Welcome Card or contact the church office.

Monday, September 15th | Refuge of Hope | 4:15-6:15pm

Contact Danielle Faulkner at 330-437-5575 if you would like to serve.

Monday, September 15th | Church Council Meeting | 6:00pm

Friday-Saturday, October 3rd & 4th | Men's Retreat | NEO Retreat Center

"Focus on the King" with speakers Ed Uszynski and Wayne Weissman. Tickets are \$50/person and reservations can be made at www.eastcantonchurch.org.

Sunday, October 5th | 75th Anniversary Homecoming Celebration!

Join us as we celebrate 75 years of East Canton Church of God! Immediately following service there will be a meal and fellowship in Schaffter Hall.

Saturday, December 6th | Oglebay Resort Christmas Light Bus Trip

All are invited to join us on a chartered bus trip to Oglebay Resort to view the Christmas lights. The bus will leave at 2pm and return around 9pm. The cost is \$25/person and must be paid by 10/26 to guarantee a seat. The bus is equipped with a restroom and tv screens. While travelling we will play some games to win prizes. Everyone on the bus must sit in their own seat. No holding anyone on your lap. We will be stopping for dinner at Mehlman's Cafeteria in St. Clairsville around 3:30pm. The cost for a meal is on your own. Sign up sheet is in the Welcome Center.

Youth

Sunday, September 14th | Destination Unknown | 5-8pm

Invite your friends to join us as we embark on an adventure to... Destination Unknown!!

Sunday, October 5th | Fall Rally | Leave after church, return at 9pm

Sign up outside the Middle School Youth room by Sunday, September 21st.

November 7th-9th | Ohio State Youth Convention

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