

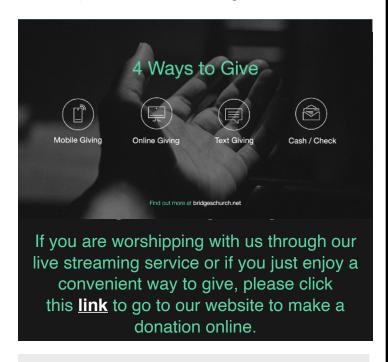
# **BRIDGES CHURCH**

December 5, 2021



To get on our guest wifi, click on the Bridges Guest network.

The password is "bridgeschurch".





The Middle and High School Youth Group meets on Wednesdays at 6pm.

Contact Jacob with questions at jacob@bridgeschurch.net.



After months of dealing with Covid and all the changes in our world and in our church, we want to take time to check in with everyone to see who we are as a church now and who are our regular attenders.

Check in by clicking this link: CONNECT CARD

# **GET OUR CHURCH APP**

Download our church app to stay connected. You will be able to access our sermon notes, podcasts, announcements have access to online giving and submit prayer requests.

Click the link below to your app store, download and then search for "Bridges Church" inside the app.



Apple App Store Link



Google Play Store Link

Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you have prayer requests, please go to our church app or email us at info@bridgeschurch.net to let us know how we can pray for you.



# To Volunteer...

### **Food Pantry Morning:**

Contact Vera Cowan ladyofcakes@gmail.com

### **Food Pantry Evening:**

Contact Stacey Norris siknorris@yahoo.com

### **Clothes Closet:**

Contact Melanie Newsome mnewsome0306@gmail.com

# FOOD PANTRY & CLOTHES CLOSET DISTRIBUTION

Friday, December 17, 2021

Morning: 9:30-11:00am

Evening: 6:00-7:00pm

Volunteers are always needed and appreciated.









# MISSION TRIP TO MAYTOWN, KY June 19-25, 2022

This is a week long missions trip to Eastern Kentucky open to all middle school and high school students as well as adults. We will likely do some home repair projects and help with a kids camp that the local community center puts on. CrossRoads Missions facilitates most of the logistics for us while we are there from lining up projects and planning meals.

You can find out more information about CrossRoads by clicking here: CrossRoads Missions

To sign up for this mission trip, click the register button below. Contact Jacob Harden with any questions at jacob@bridgeschurch.net.

## **REGISTER**



# By Faith – Consider Him

Guest Speaker - Brandon Peak

- 1. What is *Faith*?
- 2. How should this *Faith* change my *Race*?

# **Faith Defined:**

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. Hebrews 11:1 (NASB)

- 1. What do I <u>hope</u> for most?
- 2. Just how <u>convinced</u> are you about the things you cannot <u>see</u>?

# Faith in the midst of the race:

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith, who for the joy set before him, endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

-Hebrews 12:1-2 (NIV)

1. Command #1 – we are to actively <u>repent</u>.

"...let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles."

2. Command #2 – we are to <u>run</u> with <u>perseverance</u>.

"...and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us."

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." 2 Timothy 4:7

"You were running a good race. Who cut in on you to keep you from obeying the truth?" Galatians 5:7

3. Command #3 – we are to fix our eyes on *Jesus*.

"...let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith."

# Faith to Consider:

Consider him who endured such opposition from sinful men, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart. Hebrews 12:3 (NIV)

Working definition of "Consider": Deep <u>contemplation</u> that leads to a <u>decision</u> to <u>act</u>.

# **Homework Challenge:**

- 1. Is your story about *Him*?
- 2. Is your story marked by this kind of *faith*?
- 3. Are you willing to *consider* the *commands* of Hebrews 12:1-3?
- 4. If He speaks to you, are you willing to faithfully *obey*?