

September 14th, 2025

Welcome! If you are visiting with us, we want to extend a heartfelt welcome. Please help us connect with you by filling out the connect card and placing it in the offering plate during the service. We're honored that you've chosen to join us today.

Wednesday Night Live—Enjoy a meal and Discipleship

Every Wednesday night we can enjoy some fellowship around a table before we break off to attend classes. Even if you cannot attend a class, join us for a meal. Food service begins at 5:30 with classes starting at 6:15. The main dish for this week is Turkey Tetrazzini!

And . . . it isn't too late to sign up for a class. Call the church office to hear what classes are available. We know there is one for you!

Young Adult Retreat | Sept 26th-28th

All Young Adults are welcome to join us at our retreat this fall at Aldersgate Camp! We will be joining other YA's from around Kentucky in a time of rest and renewal. Interested? Contact Eliza at elove@kyumc.net or call the church office for details. We'd love to have you join us!

Men's Ministry Road Clean-up | September 22nd-28th

The Men's Ministry Group is partnering with Madison County to clean up Crooksville Road. They need volunteers to help in this endeavor. It is the Men's group biggest fundraiser of the year. Please see Bryan Gardner or Mike Ballard if you can help! Remember many hands make light work.

Women's Retreat | Oct 11th

The Richmond FUMC Women in Faith will hold a one-day retreat. It will be held here at the church in the Fellowship Hall from 9:00am to 2:00 pm. Breakfast will be available at 8:30am and lunch will also be available. The theme for the retreat is "Practicing Hope". We hope you can join us for the day of fellowship and

learning. The QR code for registration is shown on the included handout (or just fill out the handout and drop it in the offering plate).

Wesley Foundation | Tuesday night meals

Help support the Wesley Foundation and the EKU students by providing a meal. Richmond First has a rich history of partnership with the Wesley at EKU. There are only 2 slots that need to be filled this semester. Can you help? September 23rd or November 4th. Talk to Eliza if you are interested.

FUTURE HAPPENINGS:

- Church-wide <u>Fall Festival</u>. Held in the MMC October 15th. Volunteers and donations are needed. See Amanda if you have questions.
- ❖ Emmaus Community Men's Walk; October 16th 19. Held in the MMC. Talk to David Rice if you are interested in attending or volunteering.
- ❖ <u>Fall Retreat</u> at Aldersgate camp for the Youth Group; November 7th-9th. Donations/scholarships are always appreciated.
- ❖ Youth Famsgiving; November 20th in the MMC. Join us if you are a youth alumni, volunteer or just love the youth!
- ❖ <u>Popcorn, cocoa & cider on the steps</u>; December 5th during the Richmond City Christmas parade. Join us as we enjoy fellowship, a little singing and some snacks as we watch the parade and greet our fellow Richmond residents from the steps of our beautiful church!
- ❖ <u>Women's Tea</u>; December 6th in the Fellowship Hall