



**LOVING
GENEROUSLY**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2017

WEST CAMPUS

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

November 19, 2017

8:30 A.M.

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Choral Introit

Give Thanks to the Lord

arr. Dennis

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Call to Worship

Projected

- Hymn of Praise

We Gather Together

Kremser

ILLUMINATION, MEDITATION & CONSECRATION

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Projected

Assurance of Pardon

Projected

- Passing the Peace

Pastoral Prayer

Reception of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

For the Beauty of the Earth

Leavitt

- Doxology

Projected

- Corporate Prayer of Dedication

Projected

EXPOSITION OF THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture

Deuteronomy 14:22-27

Sermon

What Tithing is Really All About

Dr. Matthew A. Merrill

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

- Hymn of Commitment

Now Thank We All Our God

Nun Danket

(The congregation is invited to bring 2018 commitment cards to the front during the hymn.)

- Benediction

- Choral Response

A Blessing

arr. Allen

- Postlude
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- For those who are able, please stand

TODAY IS STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT SUNDAY

Today you have an opportunity to commit your financial resources to God's work through Crestwood Church in 2018. We ask that you bring your commitment card forward during the final song. In this act of worship, you are rejoicing in God's provision for you, acknowledging your trust in Him, and partnering with His ministry. If you did not receive a card through the mail or forgot your card, additional ones are available in the Commons Area. If you need more time to pray about your commitment, we are glad to receive your commitment card during the next few weeks. Thank you for your faithfulness in giving to Christ that allows us to do the ministries of Crestwood to His glory.

BLOOD PRESSURE MONITORING...

will be available next Sunday.

NURSERY -

A nursery is provided for infants through younger four-year-olds. Parents should check-in and register at the Child Care Center desk where workers will be ready to receive your child for care during either Worship Service and during the Sunday School hour.

CHRISTMAS CHEER

Join us on Sunday, December 10, 6:00 p.m., at the West Campus for a festive reception and fellowship. More details soon!

A SERVICE OF LESSONS AND CAROLS...

will be held at the East Campus on Sunday, December 3rd, at 4:00 p.m. Let song and scripture prepare you for the coming of Jesus.

ADVENT EVENING OF PRAYER

Please see the announcement on the back panel about this special evening of prayer.

ANGEL TREE MINISTRY

The first wave of Angels is available at both campuses starting today. Please return your wrapped gift(s) with the Angel attached no later than Sunday, December 10. Volunteers are also needed to deliver the gifts. Please consider blessing the children of incarcerated men and women through this ministry.

POINSETTIA ORDER FORMS...

are available in the Commons. The order deadline is Monday, December 11th. Cost: \$9.50 each.



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Advent is a time of reflection, waiting, and seeking. We have hope because of His love for us. We invite you to PrayIN and LoveOUT with us in worship, songs and prayer. We will PrayIN as we pray for our outreach ministries, those who need God's healing and restoration, and opportunities to share our hope with others as we LoveOUT, INvest and INvite. Join us on Tuesday, November 28, at the West Campus from 6:45-7:45 p.m. for this special time of prayer. Nursery care will be available for children age 5 and under.



We are a congregation in the ECO denomination - *A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians*. Find out more at www.eco-pres.org.
