

- New/Changed Information
- I am a first-time visitor

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Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

- Male
- Female
- Parent
- Family
- Child
- Married
- Single
- College
- High School



sunday, nov. 22
12:30 pm | crc lobby & gym

register at the groupLINK kisok in the lobby
or at chestnutridgechurch.com

Comments, Questions, Prayer Requests, or Praise Reports:

Prayer requests will be e-mailed weekly to the church's Prayer Team. To have requests emailed to you, list your e-mail address and write "Prayer Team."

Pastors Only

www.chestnutridgechurch.com

Saturday

6:30 PM

Sunday

9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

Special Music

SCOTT SIMONS
START OF SOMETHING

Offering

Worship

CAMERON KING
HOW GREAT THOU ART
OH HAPPINESS
UNASHAMED LOVE
REVELATION SONG

Host

TREY DUNHAM

Special Music

SCOTT SIMONS
KEEP ON

Message

TIM HARING
THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS
PART 1 OF 4

I'm writing this sitting in Kroger's. I was between meetings and it was the easiest place to pull aside and write. The scents and sounds took me back to my first "real" job working in the produce department of our local A&P grocery store. It was there that I learned a whole new meaning to the word "fresh." We like things fresh. Fresh fruit. Fresh air. Fresh sheets. What's up with that?

Perhaps it's the way God wanted it. Could it be that God is wanting us to experience him in a fresh way? I think so. He's always fresh, even when our lives get stale. Church can get stale too. It takes intentionality to fight against this tendency. Here at Chestnut Ridge we believe church does not have to get "old." We like to see people encountering Him in fresh and meaningful ways....so we work at keeping it fresh. Every year we spend time reflecting on the meaning of the holidays, this year will be different. What we hope will be different is our approach, our sense of anticipation, our attitude. We hope that he does something fresh and new in our lives, after all he calls us a "new creation." Ahhh, fresh!

We're glad you took time to be here this weekend. If you're just checking things out and have any questions, someone is waiting to help you at guestCENTRAL in the lobby.

GENERAL INFORMATION

GUEST ARTIST

We would like to thank Scott Simons for being part of our services this weekend. To learn more about Scott and his music, visit his website at scottsimonsmusic.net

No STRINGS ATTACHED

If you are a guest here today, please feel no obligation to give in the offering. If you consider Chestnut Ridge Church your home, we invite you to give joyfully.

PASSION AUDITIONS

Auditions for adult lead roles for *The Passion 2010* will be held on Sunday, December 6th at 1:15 p.m. in the auditorium. *The Passion* is a musical about the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Please bring a prepared worship song with music or chord chart, or an instrumental track on CD. We are looking for individuals with stage and solo experience, and this audition is only for those not in the cast last year.

Hoss FOUNDATION GIFT PROJECT

Every year the Hoss Foundation, sponsored by CRC attendee and former NFL quarterback Jeff Hostetler, pays for Christmas presents for less fortunate members of our community. If you know of a family in need, you can direct them to go online at hossfoundation.com and complete a needs form for review. The deadline to submit a needs form is Sunday, December 6th.

PARKING

For the safety of our guests, we request that there be no parking on the main entrance road at any time during the weekend. Thanks for your cooperation.

RESOURCES AVAILABLE

The CRC Library is open before and after each weekend service, and offers many resources relating to this weekend's message. Please feel free to stop in after the service today.

MESSAGES ONLINE

The message from each weekend is available for you on our website at chestnutridgechurch.com. The current and previous series are featured on the main page, while older series can be found by clicking "All Media" on the right-hand column.

KIDZCRIB ROCKERS

We are in need of a few good-quality rocking chairs for our kidzCRIB (nursery) environment. If you have one you'd like to donate, please contact Kelly at kelly.acheson@chestnutridgechurch.com

RENEW RECOVERY

Having trouble asking for help with an alcohol or chemical addiction? You are not alone. Other Christians who have been there are willing to help at Renew Recovery Ministry. Weekly meetings are held every Monday night at 7:00 in the Conference Room (across from the main office.)



58 CONFERENCE

The *58 Conference* is a state-wide youth conference helping students to love God and love others. Volunteers from CRC have the opportunity to help raise up a new generation of students who will transform our state.

There are a few volunteer positions still available on the safety, environmental and party teams. Contact laurenbyrer@hotmail.com for more info or to volunteer. The *58 Conference* runs Friday and Saturday, Nov. 20-21 at Chestnut Ridge Church. For more about the *58 Network* and the *58 Conference* visit 58net.org

58 FOOD DRIVE

The *58 Food Drive* is a state-wide effort of multiple agencies and organizations with the goal of stocking every food bank and distribution center in West Virginia this fall. If you'd like to participate in the food drive, please bring non-perishable food items with you to the weekend service. Shelves are setup near the coffee bar in the lobby. Monetary donations are also being accepted, and must be made payable to the participating agencies. Contact trey.dunham@chestnutridgechurch.com if you'd like to make a monetary donation.

OUTSIDE THE RIDGE

MOM HEART CONFERENCE

The Mom Heart Conference, a two-day hotel conference and getaway designed for Christian mothers, is coming to Raleigh, NC March 12-13. Sally Clarkson will be sharing insight on how to be renewed in your habits, heart and home to live joyfully for God everyday. Early registration ends November 30th. Visit wholeheart.org for more information, or contact Teresa at h-tmartin@msn.com.

IMPACT SINGLES

Singles age 35+, join us any Friday night for these events:

- 11/13 - Bible Study @ CRC
- 11/20 - Thanksgiving @ Lakeview Clubhouse
- 11/27 - Movie Night @ Hollywood Cinemas

For details, visit wvimpact.com or call Mark (296.0612) or Cheryl (376.3440)

HOMESCHOOL CONNECT

If you homeschool or are interested in homeschooling, please join with other families at CRC and in the community at groups.yahoo.com/group/theRidgeHomeschoolConnect, or contact Teresa Martin at h-tmartin@msn.com

MON VALLEY HOMELESS INITIATIVE

The Mon Valley Homeless Initiative will be holding a community meeting on Tuesday, November 17th at 7 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church to discuss an ongoing effort to help and serve the homeless in the area. Local officials and community organizations will also be represented.

Date: November 7 & 8, 2009

I am a first-time visitor

Please send me information about:

- Chestnut Ridge Church
- Membership
- Home Groups
- Baptism
- How to know for certain I'll go to heaven

I prayed to receive Christ today.

I'd like to talk with a staff member about:

- How to know for certain I'll go to heaven
- Being baptized
- My decision to receive Christ
- _____

Please get in touch with me about:

Children's Ministries

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| Nursery | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Pre-School | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Elementary | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |

Student Ministries

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| Middle School | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| High School | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |

Adult Ministries

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| MOPS (Mothers of pre-k) | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Renew Recovery | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Mercy (Hospital visits) | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| h2o (College) | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |

Weekend Services

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| Ushers | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Greeters | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Parking | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Refreshments | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |
| Genesis Arts/ Technical Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Info | <input type="checkbox"/> Serve |