

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

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

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

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."



where kids bring their parents to church

this sunday
 after both services

10:20 am | 12:20 pm
 kidSTUFF Theatre (gym)

Pastors Only

Saturday

6:30 PM
Sunday
 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

Worship
 ADAM ETRIS
 ALL OVER THE WORLD
 JOY TO THE WORLD
 YOUR LOVE NEVER FAILS
 HOW HE LOVES

Offering

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Message
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 CHRISTMAS REVEALED
 PART 1 OF 3: GOD IS RELATIONAL

Communion

Special Music
 LAUREN BYRER
 YOU'RE HERE

Ah...Christmas. Time to put up the tree, drink some hot cocoa, watch some nostalgic television specials and maybe squeeze in some online shopping. Oh, and don't forget the office parties, school parties, secret gift exchanges, and countless trips to the store for more scotch tape. 'Tis the season. Did I forget to mention the Christmas cards? The long checkout lines? Car vultures ready to pounce on your prime parking spot? In all the hurriedness and chaos of the season, it's easy to lose sight of the real meaning of Christmas.

Over the next few weeks, we'll be focusing on what God reveals about Himself through Christmas. Who is He? What does He want us to know about Him?

We will wrap up the series on Christmas Eve with the biggest "reveal" of them all. This will be a series you will want to invite your friends and family to, and the Christmas Eve service will be a celebration not to be missed.

Thanks for joining us this weekend! We are so glad you're here. If you're new and have any questions, please stop by guestCENTRAL in the lobby. You can also learn more about CRC online at chestnutridgechurch.com.

GENERAL INFORMATION

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.

CHRISTMAS COOKIES

We are planning an awesome celebration as part of our Christmas Eve experience, and we need your help. We would like to offer homemade cookies to attendees after the services. If you enjoy baking and can deliver cookies to the church on Wednesday, December 23rd, we'd love to have some of your favorites! Contact Beth Chase at beth.chase@chestnutridgechurch.com for more information.

CHRISTMAS EVE INVITATIONS

We know it can be hard to invite someone you know to church. That's why we work so hard at making everyone feel welcome and at home here at CRC. There is no one better suited to introduce your friends to church than you, and Christmas Eve is a great time to invite them. Invitation cards will be available at guest-CENTRAL beginning next weekend. Please stop by and pick some up for your friends and neighbors.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Services on Sunday, December 27th and Sunday, January 3rd will be "family services." If you have students who are in kindergarten through high school, please take them with you to the main service those weekends. Also, there will be no Saturday evening service on January 3rd.

TAX DEDUCTIBLE GIFTS

If you would like to give a tax deductible gift for 2009, please make sure it is postmarked by December 31, 2009.

RESOURCES AVAILABLE

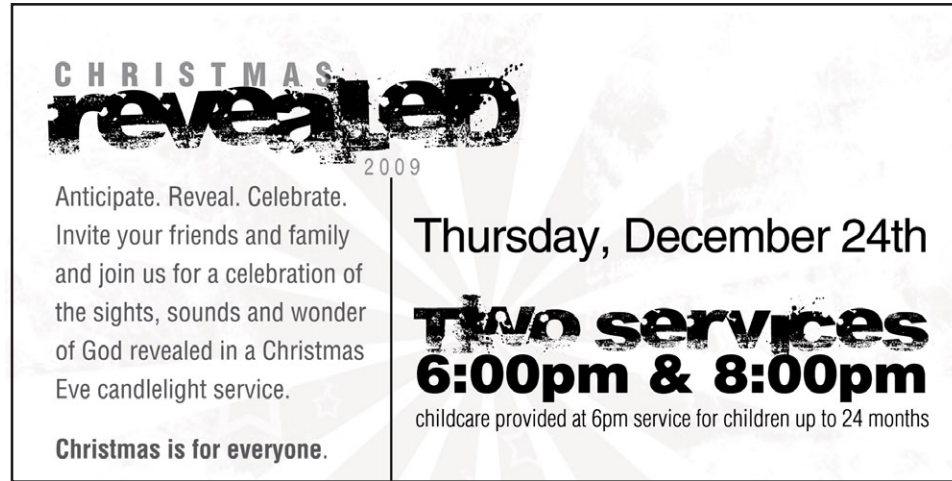
The CRC Library is open before and after each weekend service, and offers many resources relating to this weekend's message. Please feel free to stop in after the service today.

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.

RENEW RECOVERY

Has alcohol or drug use become a habit that you can't break? Renew Recovery Ministry can help. We meet every Monday night from 7-8 p.m. in the Conference Room.



CHRISTMAS
revealed
2009

Anticipate. Reveal. Celebrate.
Invite your friends and family
and join us for a celebration of
the sights, sounds and wonder
of God revealed in a Christmas
Eve candlelight service.

Thursday, December 24th

Two services
6:00pm & 8:00pm
childcare provided at 6pm service for children up to 24 months

Christmas is for everyone.

OUTSIDE THE RIDGE

IMPACT SINGLES

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

12/11 - Billiards @ Mountainlair

12/18 - Christmas Party@Lakeview Clubhouse

12/31 - New Year's @ Lakeview

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

SEW CRAFTY

Feeling creative? Join us for the next Sew Crafty event in the lower chapel this Friday, December 11th anytime from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Bring your own scrapbooking, sewing or other crafty projects, and enjoy fellowship with other crafty ladies. For more information, email Ashley Griffith at ashleydgriffith@gmail.com. Hope to see you there!

EMPTY BOWLS

The annual Empty Bowls Soup & Bread Luncheon is Saturday, March 13th. All money raised supports local feeding programs. Tickets are available and make great gifts. Learn more at emptybowlsmon.org or 304.296.0125

CHRISTIAN HELP

Christian Help is looking for volunteers for their annual Holiday Toy Give-Away. You can help by sorting toys December 14th-16th from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., or December 17th from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, contact Margaret at 304.599.4462.

Date: December 5 & 6, 2009

I am a first-time guest

Please send me information about:

- Chestnut Ridge Church
- Community Groups
- Baptism
- Membership
- How to begin a relationship with God

I prayed to receive Christ today.

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

- How to begin a relationship with God
- 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 |
| 17three (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 |