

One Church - Chester  
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## One Church - Chester Mission & Vision

One Church is a multiethnic church who exists to:

- *UNITE* people through a common story
- *EQUIP* people for a common life
- *SEND* people in a common mission

“May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God!” – Romans 15:5-7

## One Church is Moving!

After 12 weeks, we have outgrown the Alexander living room! On Sunday, September 19, the Leadership Team decided to secure a lease for a unit in the Cyclone Restaurant plaza at 249C Columbia Street in Chester. We will be in the new facility for the first time on October 1, which will be our Celebration Service! Stay tuned to find out how you can help in preparing the unit for that day. Also, see the back of this edition for a list of needs for the new space. Let's keep moving together!

## Chester Park Elementary—COLT

Our partnership with Chester Park Elementary—COLT is growing quickly. Seven people have submitted applications to serve at COLT, and 5 have already scheduled their first day. We have set a church wide goal of 10 hours of service at COLT by October 31. We are well on our way! Please continue to pray for this partnership.

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## Community Day at Wylie Park!

Our first Community Day at Wylie Park is in the books. During our discipleship time on Thursday September 7, we visited over 60 homes. We walked through the neighborhood around Wylie Park, knocked on doors, and invited people to a day of fun at the park. Thanks to Rhonda Price, Jessica Price, Trina Alexander, Shirley Roberts, Johnny Price, Sam Price, Priya Alexander, Leedia Carswell, and Brandon Keathley for serving!

On Saturday, we set-up games and grilled hotdogs, and then welcomed over 60 people! Gagaballs were bounced, jungle-gyms were climbed, and friendships were built! Six families shared their information with us asking to learn more about One Church! Two of those families joined for worship on Sunday! Thanks to Roger Thomas, Tammy Thomas, Omar Kennedy, Ebony Kennedy, Paris Kennedy, Karrington Kennedy, C J Price, Jessica Price, Johnny Price, Sam Price, Trinity Vincent, Jackson Alexander, Shirley Roberts, Mickey Roberts, Brandon Keathley, Leedia Carswell, Joey Keathley, Trina Alexander, and Priya Alexander for serving!

## Community Day at Wylie Park: TAKE 2

On September 30, 2017, we will be hosting our second Community Day at Wylie Park. Again, the purpose is simple: serve and build relationships. On Thursday, September 28, we will go door-to-door inviting families in the community to join us. Please plan to arrive at the park at 9am to set-up, and please pray for September 30 and for the families of Chester!

## Advent Conspiracy!

Advent is the season of four weeks leading to Christmas, intended to be a time of preparation and waiting for the coming of Jesus. A culture of consumerism tempts us to skip the waiting and jump right into celebrating, which can lead us to think that the purpose of this time is what we receive. However, the story of Jesus teaches us to give of our lives to others. During the season of advent, we will be **conspiring** against a culture of consumerism by intentionally spending ourselves in service of others. Join us on Thursday nights during One Church, One Table as we **conspire** with Jesus!

## Items Needed for the New Facility

If you would like to donate money or a similar item, contact Pastor Matt.

- 50 - Chairs (16.95 each)
- 1 - Sound System (299.00)
- 8 - 6ft Folding Tables (38.88 each)
- 2 - Kid-Sized Tables (42.89 each)
- 2 - Television (~50 inch) (299.99)
- 1 - Portable Baptistry or Trough (\$319.00)
- 20 - Carpet Squares (1.19 each)
- 5 - Canvas Painter Drop Cloth 9x12 (Used to build back drops) (19.99 each)
- 1 - sofa table or communion table
- 1 - mini fridge (89.00 plus tax)
- 2 - Apple TV 4K 64GB (199.00 each)
- Extension Cords, Surge Protectors, Power Strips, HDMI cables

## Staying the Course!

God is moving. People are Uniting. God is Equipping. People are growing. God is Sending. People are Going. The kingdom is being made visible. Can you "see" it?

Stay the course. Keep praying. Keep expecting. God is making all things new. And God is at work doing just that right here in Chester!

Grace and Peace,

*Pastor Matt*



### Sundays

Prayer: 9:30am

Worship: 10:00am-11:00am

### Thursdays

One Table: 6:00pm-7:30pm