

About Our Guest Speaker



As founder of the National Coalition for the Protection of Children & Families, Dr. Jerry R. Kirk has led an effort against pornography, exploitation, and the sexualizing of America since the organization's inception in 1983. Dr. Kirk earned a Masters of Theology and a Masters of Divinity at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. He pastored two churches for 14 years before serving as senior pastor of College Hill Presbyterian Church in Cincinnati for 21 years. Dr. Kirk is married, the father of five, the grandfather of twenty-five and great-grandfather of one.

Horizon News and Events

Marriage Small Group. Whether you're getting married, are recently married, or have been married for many years, it takes effort to make the most of it. Horizon wants to help, by way of a new small group, beginning today. The study, led by Tom & Christe McKittrick, is based on Kevin Leman's video seminar, "Making the Most of Marriage." The group will meet on Sunday mornings at CCDS during the 10:30 hour. Participants are encouraged to attend the 9:15 Service.

Having the Courage to Change Tonight. Ladies are invited out to prepare crafts and share a meal with the women of this City Gospel Mission care program. Meet at the church office at 5:30 p.m. to travel downtown together. For details, contact Linda Charlton at 513 248-0787.

Baptism Celebration. Horizon will be having baptism class today at 11:45 a.m. at CCDS. Chad Hovind will meet with anyone wanting information about being baptized. Our next Baptism Celebration will be Sunday, May 3rd at 5 p.m. at 8940 Whisperinghill Drive.

Child Dedication. Horizon will observe child dedications at both services on Mother's Day, May 10th. Join us for a short parent information session today after the 10:30 service in Room 201 at CCDS. For more details, please call Matt McKee at 513 272-5800 ext. 18.

Horizon Café. Please plan to stay after the 10:30 Explorer service next Sunday, April 26th to enjoy lunch and socialize with other Horizon families. A small donation is requested to cover the cost of the meal. No RSVP is required.

Women's Book Club at Ferrari's This Tuesday. Join the ladies at the next book club meeting this Tuesday, April 21st at 7 p.m. at Ferrari's Restaurant in Madeira. The discussion will be about *The Blood of Heaven*, a novel by Bill Myers. Copies of the book are available in the atrium.

Painting Up for Bids. Horizon will be auctioning off one of the two paintings created by artist Mark Thesken during our Easter services. Proceeds will benefit TheskenArt's ministry trip to Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D.C. An auction form is available at the Information Table in the atrium. The silent auction will end after services on Sunday, May 3rd. The other canvas will be displayed at the Horizon offices.

Horizon Happenings. Visit us online at www.horizoncc.com to subscribe to our weekly e-news featuring news, events and series updates.



New 9:15 Series Begins Next Week. Why do bad things happen to good people? Are we pawns in a cosmic game of chess or does God really care about the difficulties we face? The Old Testament tells of a man named Job and his unmatched season of trauma and pain. Join Horizon at 9:15 for *Phoenix Rising*, an examination of Job's harrowing journey through the fire, his emotional rise from the ashes, and the deeper understanding of God that his experience reveals.

Next Sunday at Horizon Community Church

We hope you'll join us again next week at Horizon. At the 9:15 Worship Service, Chad Hovind will begin the *Phoenix Rising* series with a summary of the Book of Job. At the 10:30 Explorer Service, Chad will present "Tunnel of Doubt" in *Light at the End of the Tunnel*.