

The Body of Christ in Action

The mission of KCC is to make gospel-centered disciples who delight in Christ, declare His cross, and display His love.

There are hundreds of small and large ways that KCC is seeking to carry out our God-given mission. Even a small church like KCC has many moving parts, and a lot going on to serve one another, our community, and our world. These pages are a snapshot of various ways KCC is the body of Christ in action. The first section is various ways we are serving one another as the body of Christ. The second section is various ways we are serving the community and the world. Beyond what's written here, there are innumerable spontaneous ways in which we love and serve one another and the world that are not organized ministries of the church. Pray about how the Lord may be calling you to be an even more active member of the body of Christ!

SERVING ONE ANOTHER

Discipleship Groups

Contact: Matthew Parks

DG's exist to help people follow Jesus. They are groups of 2-5 people of the same gender who regularly meet to study the Bible as well as share life struggles, and pray. We have DG Pathways that give guidance to groups on what to do when you come together. The hope is that you're a part of DG for a while, and then multiply and start another one. Have you prayed about joining or leading a DG?

Equipping Classes

Contact: Matthew Parks

Equipping Classes are 12-week classes twice a year (spring and fall) for all ages to help people grow in knowledge of God and the Bible. You can serve by teaching a class, serving as a class helper, or serving in the nursery. Currently Equipping Classes are on Zoom through "Theology for Breakfast."

All-Church Meals

Contact: Brent and Rachel Froelich

Help prepare food for gatherings at KCC, such as the Covenant Member's Meeting, by serving on the food ministry team. They need a team of people to make this happen. We will be eating together again soon!

Meals for the Sick and Special Occasions

Contact: Amelia Parks for new babies, or Sarah Wagner for the sick

One way to display love to others when they're going through a uniquely hard time is to bring a meal. If you'd like to be on the meal teams contact Amelia and Sarah.

Gospel Life Groups

Contact: Samuel Andres

GLGs bring the gospel into everyday life as the family of God on the mission of God. Each GLG is made up of 12-20 people who build each other up through prayer, Scripture, fellowship, and serving once a month together. We are often looking for homes to host a GLG. Our hope is that everyone in KCC is in a GLG.

Greeting

Contact: Burdette and Jean Meyer

The greeters of KCC welcome everyone to KCC at our Sunday morning worship gatherings. It's important.

King's Kids

Contact: Chelsea Andres

During the sermon we teach kids ages 3 through 5 the gospel story through lessons, stories, games, and crafts. There is always a need for people to help with teaching, crafts, and crowd control.

Nursery

Contact: Cassie Verhoff

The nursery serves children ages 0-2 (and their parents!) during the Sunday morning worship gathering.

Prayer Team

Contact: Sam Andres

Come pray for people after our Sunday worship gatherings. We want to launch this again soon.

Setup/Teardown Team

Contact: Josh Wagner

Because we rent a facility for our Sunday gathering, there is much to setup and teardown every week before and after the gathering.

Tech Team

Contact: Josh Wagner

The Tech Team runs the soundboard and advances computer slides on Sunday mornings before and during the worship gathering.

Video Team

Contact: Matt Verhoff

2020 has ushered us into being a video streaming church, and Matt Verhoff has been our guru. He can teach you how to serve on the video team, if you're willing to learn.

Women's Ministry

Contact: Chelsea Andres

Women's ministry consists of a women's Bible study, informal counseling, discipleship groups, conferences, etc.

Worship Music Team

Contact: Matthew Parks

Our worship team leads worship through song at the Sunday worship gathering. If you have a hidden musical ability we'd love to know.

Youth Discipleship

Contact: Josh Wagner

KCC wants to prepare the next generation to live for God's glory and engage the culture with the gospel. We do this through gathering the youth of KCC together regularly for Bible studies and hang outs. Ages 12-18

Youth Bible Quiz

Contact: Seth and Keri Nofziger

Youth Bible Quiz is a way of helping youth learn the Scriptures in a way that's heart-focused, fun, and a little bit competitive (there's nothing wrong with some friendly competition). Ages 12-20.

SERVING THE COMMUNITY & WORLD

Benevolence Ministry

Contact: The Leathermans and the Shiarlas

As part of KCC's local outreach, the Benevolence Ministry strives to provide monetary assistance to our church family and others who come to our church for aid. Donations to the Benevolence Ministry as well as nominations for those who need help are always welcome. AKA the Compassion Fund.

Biblical Counseling

Contact: Beth Baus

KCC is building a biblical counseling ministry to come alongside folks with the comfort and wisdom of Scripture through life's struggles. We believe that the power of God's Word and Spirit offers hope of life change from the inside out. Our counseling team consists of men and women and are either pastors, or have others who have received training in biblical counseling. This ministry serves people both inside and outside of KCC. If you want to receive counsel, or get training in counseling, contact Beth.

Children's Lantern

Contact: Amy Delgado

Children's Lantern is a local ministry that provides for the needs of human trafficking survivors and at risk and foster families. If and when there are opportunities to partner with Children's Lantern, Amy is our contact.

CPC: Women's Health Resource

Contact: Robin Nofziger

A local faith-based ministry that provides pregnancy testing, birthing and parenting classes, material assistance, and counseling. Serve as a volunteer or clean the CPC with the KCC cleaning crew.

CRU

Contact: Chris Boeyink

CRU is a caring community passionate about connecting college students to Jesus at Defiance College and Northwest State CC. Please consider support the Boeyinks financially or connect them with students you know.

Foster Care and Adoption

Contact: Cassie Verhoff

We don't have an organized foster care and adoption ministry, but we do have people who care a whole lot about foster care and adoption and would love to encourage you if you're thinking about this worthy work.

Global Missions Team

Contact: Sam Andres

This is a new group of people who will try to come together regularly to pray for our global missions partners, strengthen our relationship with them, and strategize how KCC can be even more global missions minded.

LifeWise Academy

Contact: Phil Nofziger

KCC partners with other local churches and the public schools to assist in providing Bible education during school hours. There is always a need for escorting children between the main building and the LifeWise modular building as well as cleaning the building after hours. We launched in Ayersville and have our sights set on Defiance in the Fall of 2021.

Local Missions Outreach Team

Contact: Sam Andres

This is a new informal team of people who tries to gather occasionally to pray and brainstorm ideas to reach out with the truth and love of Jesus Christ. We will try to equip the whole church with ideas, resources, and encouragement to live on gospel mission

PATH Center

Contact: Chelsea Andres

Before COVID-19 rocked our world KCC served a monthly meal at this local emergency homeless shelter and poverty assistance commission. All are welcome. We hope to start this again some day.

Summer Food Program

Contact: Cassie Verhoff

During the summer, we serve free lunches to Defiance children who do not have lunches available to them while not in school.

Youth for Christ

Contact: Matt Verhoff

YFC reaches young people everywhere to raise up lifelong followers of Jesus. Please consider supporting Claire Turner, Emily Wallace, and Eliot and Lydia Nofziger in their work financially or by serving alongside them.

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