

What is Celebrate Recovery?

Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-centered program that helps us deal with life's "hurts, habits and hang-ups." The purpose of Celebrate Recovery is to celebrate God's healing power in our lives through the eight recovery principles found in the Beatitudes and the Christ-centered 12 steps. Celebrate Recovery is for anyone who has a hurt, habit or hang-up. It is not restricted to people struggling with an addiction. We all have issues that may be interfering with our fellowship with God and others. Therefore, we all qualify and all are welcome!

September Birthdays!!

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September is National Recovery Month!

We need your ideas...

Folks had a great time at our CR campout in June and on our canoe trip last month. We are also having an Eat-in Meetin' at the end of September. Everyone likes to do fun stuff and if you have any ideas the CR TEAM would love to hear from you. We are specifically looking for ideas for a Fall event, a New Year's party/get together/outreach. Please let us know, thanks!

Thursday Night Meeting Schedule

6:30—7:00 Coffee Bar and Fellowship
7:00-7:15 Welcome and Songs
7:15-8:00 Large Group Meeting
8:00-9:00 Small Group Meetings & Newcomer Orientation
9:00—9:30 Coffee Bar and Fellowship

Location and Contact Information

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September Meeting and Event Schedule

2nd – Lesson 16 - "Amends"
9th – Testimony Meeting
14th – Leadership Meeting, 6:30pm
16th – Lesson 17 - "Forgiveness"
23rd – Testimony Meeting
25th/26th – CR Greeting at Church
30th – Eat-in Meetin'

This Month's Step with Biblical Comparison

Step 9— We made direct amends to such people whenever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.

"Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to your brother; then come and offer your gift." Matthew 5:23-24

What are Hurts, Habits, & Hang-ups?

A hurt, habit, or hang-up is something that hinders our walk with God and others. The feeling of being **HURT** is an emotional reaction to another person's behavior or disturbing situation (abuse, abandonment, codependency, or other relationship issues). A **HABIT** is an addiction to someone or something (alcohol, drugs, food, gambling, sex, shopping, smoking, etc.). A **HANG-UP** is a negative mental attitude that is used to cope with people or adversity; such as anger, depression, fear or unforgiveness. Celebrate Recovery is an opportunity to work towards healing for all of these!

