

# WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH

A United Methodist Congregation

*On this second weekend in Lent, we happily welcome you to the Lord's house. May the risen Christ be our Guest, and may every heart be open to receive him. As you prepare to worship, we invite you to turn to pages 4, 5 & 7 and review the ministry opportunities. Let us worship God.*

## CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MUSIC LEADING US TO WORSHIP

#### • CALL TO WORSHIP - 8:30am

Leader: Lent calls us to journey with Jesus along life's edge, to anticipate that final trip to Jerusalem.

**People:** *Lent calls us to the cutting edge, when life comes forth; the cutting of a new covenant.*

Leader: Lent calls us not only to give up something, but also to take upon ourselves as a community the intention of true participation in the mystery of God-with-us.

**People:** *Lent calls us to confession, accountability and preparation.*

Leader: Lent calls us to concentrate upon the promise of our baptism, to be citizens of heaven, sharing in the redemption of the world.

**People:** *Lent calls us to walk with Jesus, wherever he may lead.*

**11:00am** - "Call to Worship" by Chancel Choir and Soloist Hannah Phillips

#### • HYMN UMH # 64 "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

#### • AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (unison)

*We believe in God the Father, Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer of all life. We believe that Jesus Christ is one with the Father, and the works that He did in the Father's name bear witness to the power and presence of God in our world. Jesus experienced our human weakness, but He also ascended to the highest heavens. He was tempted in every way that we are, yet He was without sin. He was obedient through suffering, even suffering that led to death. But having been made perfect through suffering, Jesus became the source of our salvation. We believe that God has given Him a name which is above all other names, that at the name of Jesus, every knee should bow in heaven and on earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

#### • SINGING IN RESPONSE "Jesus, Name above All Names"

*Jesus, name above all names, beautiful Savior, glorious Lord.  
Emmanuel, God is with us, blessed Redeemer, living Word. (REPEAT 1 time)*



**"Life comes at us fast, but with God's help we can be ready."**

#### Hospitals:

- Forbes: Charlotte Hilty
- Westmoreland: George Rubright
- Shadyside: Harry Sonner
- Home: Aria Markijohn, Tom McDowell

#### Nursing Homes / Rehab Centers:

- St. John Specialty Care: Wendy McCauley (Wessel)
- Golden Heights: Ruby Hague, Vernon Shumaker, Bill Frye
- Redstone Highlands: Lois Hollenbeck
- William Penn Care Center: Sarah Beech
- Briarcliffe: Laura Wagner
- Geri Care: Louise Kelly, Delnora Valentine
- Golden Living: Rose Cosertano
- RNC: Morris Kunkle
- Harmarville: Jodi Blasi

#### We are praying for:

God's will to be done in our world, our church, our government, the armed forces, on our jobs, within our homes, for our families, Kelly DeRemigio, Donna Atrim, Scott Stouffer, Gerry McCauley, Marge Kalkowski, Andrew Loughner, Margie Bedell, Margaret Willis, Jean Miller, Donna Sparks, Randy Bowery, Joe Zomp, Tim Rocca, Walt Geiger, Bob Rebich, Mary Delo, KatieSechrist, Jacki Reger, Danny Macino, Carson Rudick, Patti Elmore, D. J. Price, Ashley Fennel, Susie Kerr, Mum Zinkan, Josephine Pecar, Sam Godich, Judy Ryaby, Paul (Dink) Johnston, Kim Markijohn, Aria Markijohn, Donna Keffer, Larry Harden, Genre Baker, Julie Macino, Lynne Wingard, Linn Family, Chuck Seanor, Ed Sisson, Kathi Mochan, Lauren Eschbaugh, Marlene Noonan, Kathy Sutek, Sue Vegley, Jannelle, Dan Stutz, Katie Burger, Dawn McWilliams, Paul Austin, Megan Yanos, Bill Kramer, Patty Nuzzio, DennisQuinn, Michael McKenna, Ruth Wick, Skip Sundry, Cindy Shuster, Marlene & John DePretto, Joanne Errett, Jaydin Alcorn, Jackie Leech, Harry Sonner, Alison and Scott Foura, Lee Mash, Wilma Cobb

This Week - Jackie Gibbons, Frederick Family, Dick Burns, Kevin Haley, Rev. Eric Dennis

Last Week - Jean Heasley, Lisa Funyak, Reba Popovich



**Pray for our brothers and sisters at St. Barbara's Church - Harrison City  
Pray for God's blessings on their ministry.**

### "THE TEAR OFF"

February 27 & 28, 2009

## WELCOME!

If you are new or your contact information has changed, please complete this Response Card and place it in the offering plate or take it to the Welcome Center

- \_\_\_ Saturday 6:00pm Service
- \_\_\_ Sunday 8:30am Service
- \_\_\_ Sunday 11:00am Service

Mr. / Mrs. / Miss / Mr. And Mrs.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_ I am a member of CUMC
- \_\_\_ I regularly attend
- \_\_\_ I wish to join

**FIRST TIME GUESTS**, you may exchange this form for a free gift at the Welcome Center.

I am visiting today, this is my:

- \_\_\_ 1st Visit
- \_\_\_ 2nd Visit
- \_\_\_ 3rd Visit

What brought you to today's service?

- \_\_\_ I am new to the area
- \_\_\_ I am considering a new church home
- \_\_\_ I am here for a special event
- \_\_\_ I am a guest of \_\_\_\_\_

### EASTER FAMILY OUTREACH

During this Lenten season, instead of GIVING UP something, would you be willing TO DO something for someone else? The Outreach program is again preparing to supply food to families in our community. We would like you to become involved. All we ask is a little of your time to do additional shopping, then, deliver the groceries to one family. To volunteer, sign up on the sheet located on the table at the church entrance or on the bulletin board by the lower entrance. Distribution of the names and groceries will be Thursday, March 25, 2010, between 6:00pm and 7:00pm. If you personally know of a family that could use some help, or have any questions, please contact the church office at 724-744-3413 or Jim & Sybil Kunkelmann at 724-744-3223. THANK YOU! Anyone willing to become more involved in this ministry please call Sybil Kunkelmann at 724-744-3223.

**Food Pantry Needs Your Help** - The Lenten season is fast approaching and Easter is right around the corner. We were so blessed for the Christmas holidays and our shelves were full. We helped close to 50 families and we depleted our stock. If you could help fill the shelves for Easter it would be greatly appreciated. We are in need of canned fruits, vegetables, soups & tuna. Items such as, rice-a-roni, hamburger or tuna helper, boxed potatoes or rice. Even dessert items, cake or cookie mixes, pudding, jell-o or brownie mix. Thank You for all your support & God Bless. ~ *The Food Pantry*

**Scout Sunday** - CUMC will once again recognize Scouts on March 14th. Boy and Girl Scouts will serve as greeters, liturgists, ushers, and will lead the congregation in a flag ceremony. Any Scout that wishes to participate, please contact Bev Yakubisin at 724-744-3312 by February 28th with the following information: Scout Name, which service you will attend (8:30 or 11:00).

**Community Outreach Materials** - Business cards with the regular worship service times printed on them are available in the welcome center. These cards fit easily into pockets and purses and make it convenient to invite friends and relatives to church or to leave in restaurants and on bulletin boards. New tri-fold color brochures are also available. Please take what you will use and use what you take!

**Super Senior Meeting** - Tuesday, March 2nd at 12:00pm in Fellowship Hall here at CUMC. We will serve lunch and have a speaker, Phyllis Morgan followed by our meeting. Dues will be collected and it is Food Bank month.

**Looking For Honest, Reliable Help With Your Finances?** - Keystone United Methodist Federal Credit Union is available to all United Methodist church members and their families in Western PA. That means you, too, can join the financial organization that was created just for United Methodists and take advantage of all the benefits that membership in a credit union offers! Log on at [www.keystoneumfcu.org](http://www.keystoneumfcu.org) or call (800) 886-3382 to learn more.

**Young At Heart** - Please call Larry or Virginia Kowalski @ 724-527-2387 by Monday, March 1st to make reservations for the March 9th meeting.

### **CUMC YOUTH MINISTRY**

7th - 12th Grades - We would love for you to join us in one or all of these events.

**Weekly events include:** Thursday Night Youth Service at 7:00pm. And "Warriors for Christ" bible club at Penn-Trafford High School on Mondays at 2:30pm in room 118.

Any questions please contact Frank Audia 612-210-9398 or Amber Audia at 612-280-7780.

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC** 8:30am & 11:00am "Shout to the Lord" by Acting Up!

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT - Change for Uganda**

Kids Kingdom (children 3 years—K) dismissal to room 203

**SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE**

**PREPARING TO PRAY "Into My Heart"**

*Into my heart, into my heart, come into my heart Lord Jesus;  
Come in today, come in to stay; come into my heart Lord Jesus.*

**PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE OUR LORD'S PRAYER UMH #895**

(you are invited to the altar rail for prayer)

**BRINGING OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS TO THE LORD**

**SONG OF THANKSGIVING UMH # 92 -verse 6 "For the Beauty of the Earth"**

*For thyself, best Gift Divine, to the world so freely given,  
for that great, great love of thine, peace on earth, and joy in heaven:  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.*

~8:30am—KC<sup>3</sup> (children grades 1-6) dismissal to room 202~

### **THE MESSAGE**

**"Lament...You Were Not Willing"**

**Luke 13: 31-35 –pew Bible, N.T. page 77**

**Pastor John**

- **HYMN UMH #338 "Where He Leads Me"**
- **BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH**
- **RESPONSE UMH #338 –refrain "Where He Leads Me"**  
*Where he leads me I will follow, where he leads me I will follow,  
where he leads me I will follow; I'll go with him, with him all the way.*

- *Please stand if able*

~There will be coffee and doughnut fellowship following the Sunday 8:30am service ~  
~The nursery and toddler rooms adjacent to the sanctuary are available for parents use~  
~Staffed Toddler Care (8 – 36 months) is located in room 120 on the first floor. ~

**Liturgists:** 8:30am Nancy Moser  
11:00am To Be Announced

**Greeters:** 8:30am Carolyn & Bob Bezak and Larry & Jane Brammell  
11:00am Sue Wright & Madeline Rainey and Diane & David Rote

**Acolytes:** 8:30am Luke Fabac and Nathaniel Mischen  
11:00am Aria Markijohn and Sydney Smith

**Kids Kingdom:** 8:30am Janine Glunt and Lori Begg  
11:00am Tiffanie Rupp and Jennifer Burmeister

**Organist:** Kim Lawther **Pianist:** Linda Lorenz **Sound Technician:** AV Team



We extend our Christian Love and Sympathy to Leigh and Joseph Casale and Family on the death of Joseph's father, Aldo Casale.

The flowers on the Altar are placed to say "Happy Birthday Thelma" and many more.  
Love, Kurz/Harvison

The flowers on the Altar are placed to the Glory of God and in honor of Carole Helsel's Birthday. You are a very special lady, a wonderful friend and a true blessing to all who know you.  
May God Bless you with many more Birthdays to come.  
With Love, CUMC Staff

~ **A DAILY WALK THROUGH THE SCRIPTURES** ~

Sunday	"Second Sunday in Lent"	Isa. 53
Monday	"Out of jealousy"	Mark 15:6-15
Tuesday	"Twisting some thorns"	Matt. 27:27-31
Wednesday	"They divided this clothes"	Matt. 27:32-37
Thursday	"Let him save himself"	Luke 23:32-35
Friday	"You will be with me"	Luke 23:39-44
Saturday	"Why have you forsaken me?"	Matt. 27:39-50



Welcome  
New Members!

Last weekend the following people became New Members of Community Church. Please join us in welcoming them.

Eric & Cindy Anderson  
Linda Brentzel  
Stephen & Brooke Jackowski  
Susan Nebinski  
Bob Nichols

Ronda Nichols  
Holle Russell  
Mike, Wendy & Michael Tusay  
Jennifer Vereb  
Russell & Evelyn Weyant

**WHAT CAN I DO FOR JESUS?**

**Take Time to Pray for Haiti!**- Bishop Bickerton will lead a Conference Prayer Service for Haiti on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 28 at Grove City College. Music begins at 4 p.m. in Crawford Hall auditorium. The service will include Holy Communion. All are welcome to attend! Thank You to all who donated health kits. We delivered 325 kits to the conference.

**Community Church Communications Updates** - Hi! My name is Katie Morgan, and I'm heading up communications at Community Church. One way that I'm working to keep the Community Church family informed is through a weekly email. If you would like to receive email updates about upcoming sermon topics and events happening at Community Church, please fill out the tear off portion of the bulletin. Be sure to write your name and email address clearly. You can also follow us or stay in touch through our facebook group and the weekly updated website.


**Scholarship Forms Available**—Patterson and Loughry Scholarship forms are available in the church office.

**Camping Promotion Sunday**— Sunday, March 7th in the MMR, from 9:50-10:45. Parents, children and youth, from first grade up, are invited to join us for a preview of the sunny, green camping opportunities at our United Methodist Church camps at Camp Allegheny, Jumonville, and Camp Wesley Woods. Camper scholarships are available from Community Church for campers who register soon. Get the details and sign up! "S'mores" will melt the snow!

**Liturgists Schedule** - Judy Newport will now be in charge of scheduling our liturgists for the Sunday services. Judy is still accepting names of anyone who feels called to lend a hand in this ministry (especially the 8:30am service). If anyone would like to volunteer please call Judy at 724-744-4995

**Taizé Worship Services Offered During Lent** - We are offering Taizé prayer each Wednesday evening during Lent beginning February 24th at 7:30pm and lasting no more than an hour. We will pray the chants, meditate on Scripture, offer prayers of intercession and praise and have a time of prolonged silence.

**Stephen Ministry** - Do you know someone who is hurting or going through a difficult time? Stephen Ministry can help. Stephen Ministry is one-to-one Christian care giving. Stephen Ministers meet regularly and confidentially with the person who is hurting. If you or someone you know could use a Stephen Minister, please contact Pastor John or Elizabeth Somes.



### **LENTEN LUNCHEAS AND DINNERS**

Lenten fish lunches and dinners will be served each Friday through March 26th at Community Church.

Lunch will be **TAKE OUT ONLY** between 11:30am to 1:00pm. We will serve Fish Sandwiches and French Fries. You can place your order beginning at 10:00am by calling 724-744-7072.

Dinners will be served from 4:00pm to 7:30pm buffet style. Take out available.  
The menu includes: fried and baked fish, baked chicken, crab cakes, french fries, macaroni & cheese, haluska, green beans, salad, coleslaw, applesauce and dessert.  
For more information please call 724-744-3413.

\*\*\*\* Any donation of water or soda/pop or desserts to the Lenten Meals will be greatly appreciated. A sign up sheet for desserts will be available on the MMR doors. \*\*\*\*



Please check the area(s) you are interested in, and write your name, and contact information in space provided on the front. Leave in the offering plate or at the Welcome Center

**I would like information about:**

- Becoming a Christian
- Church Membership
- Children's Ministries
- Youth Ministries (grades 7-12)
- Adult Ministries
- Music Ministries

**Information Update!**

- Please update my information.

**ARK PRESCHOOL OR PLAYGROUP**

- Yes, I would like more information. Please contact me.

**NOAH'S KIDS  
BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE  
AND KINDERGARTEN KARE**

- Yes, I would like more information. Please contact me.

Thank you for visiting our church! We hope you have felt welcomed and you have had a worshipful experience. We hope to see you again soon!

**February 28 - March 6, 2010  
OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH**

Noah's Kids Before and After School Ministry and Kindergarten Kare:  
6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. – Mon. thru Fri.  
Preschool and 5-year- old program: 9 to 11:30 a.m. & 12:30 to 3 p.m. – Mon., Wed. & Fri.  
Playgroup *Plus*: 9 to 11:30 a.m. & 12:30 to 3 p.m. – Tues. & Thurs

**SUNDAY**

9:45am Sunday School Hour  
9:45am Disciple 3  
2:00pm-4:00pm Passion Play Rehearsal - Jesus, Joseph of Arimathea  
Nicodemus, Roman Soldiers, Pharisees, Mary-Mother of Jesus  
2:00pm-5:00pm Lay Ministry School  
6:00pm Cub Scouts - Fellowship Hall  
6:00pm Strengths in Ministry - Patterson Parlor  
7:00pm Community Ringers Rehearsal—Sanctuary  
8:00pm AA's Open Meeting – Fellowship Hall

**MONDAY**

1:00pm-3:00pm Women's Bible Study - Patterson Parlor  
6:00pm-8:00pm Soccer - Multi-Ministry Room  
6:15pm Scouts - room 210-212  
7:00pm Bible Basics - room 209  
7:00pm Finance Meeting - 207  
7:00pm Dartball - Fellowship Hall  
7:00pm Soaring Eagles

**TUESDAY**

12:00pm-2:30pm Super Seniors Meeting - Fellowship Hall  
6:00pm-7:00pm Special Olympics Basketball-Multi-Ministry Room  
6:30pm-9:00pm ALPHA - Sanctuary, Fellowship Hall, 209  
7:00pm Women's Study - Patterson Parlor  
7:00pm Men's Group - room 206

**WEDNESDAY**

6:00pm-8:00pm Soccer - Multi-Ministry Room  
6:15pm Scouts - room 120  
6:30pm Disciple 2 - Patterson Parlor  
7:00pm Disciple 1 - room 209  
7:00pm Financial Peace University - room 207  
7:30pm Taizé Prayer Service - Sanctuary

**THURSDAY**

9:00am-12:00pm Busy Hands Sewing Group - room 207  
11:00am– 2:30pm Stroke Group - room 210-212  
7:00pm A Life That Matters - Patterson Parlor  
7:00pm Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary  
7:00pm Youth Service (grades 7-12) - MMR

**FRIDAY**

11:30am-1:00pm Lenten Lunches - Take Out Only - MMR Kitchen  
4:00pm - 7:30pm Lenten Dinners Buffet - MMR  
6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal

**SATURDAY**

8:00am-4:00pm Multi-Ministry Room Reserved  
2:30pm Wedding—Sanctuary  
6:00pm Contemporary Worship - Sanctuary

*Second*



**WEEKEND**

**IN LENT**

**Welcome to Community Church**

*"A United Methodist Congregation"*

**February 28, 2010**

***Our Vision: To know Christ and to share Christ with others***

*Ministers: All of the Church Family*

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*Director of Connectional Ministries: Elizabeth Somes –Ext. 204 Email Address: esomes@communityumc.info*

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