

WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH

A United Methodist Congregation

On this third 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

LEADER: Come home, home to the embrace of God.

PEOPLE: *We are walking the Lenten path from past errors to future possibilities. We are walking from haunting memories to a new day. We are walking from troubling fears to a new hope.*

LEADER: Come home, taste the goodness of God, hear the love of God, feel God's tender grace.

PEOPLE: *We are walking toward wholeness. We are on the path of joy, and our hearts are filled with thanks and praise.*

LEADER: Come home this day; dwell with Christ in this holy place and in God's amazing grace.

• HYMN UMH #292 "What Wondrous Love Is This"

• AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (responsively)

LEADER: We are the people of God, born of water and the Spirit.

PEOPLE: *We remember the creative force of God's breath, moving over the waters of chaos to bring life and light.*

LEADER: We remember God's mercy in saving a remnant through the great flood to give us a new beginning.

PEOPLE: *We remember God's faithfulness to deliver Israel — and us — from slavery into freedom.*

LEADER: We remember Jesus' baptism in the Jordan. Through his life he became living water for us.

PEOPLE: *We remember the water of Christ's pierced side, for through his death and resurrection we are set free from sin and death and receive eternal life.*

LEADER: We remember God's grace extended toward each of us through the water of our own baptisms.

PEOPLE: *Through the water and the Spirit we are redeemed and reborn to live as Christ's disciples in the world. Amen.*



Hospitals:

Jeannette: Tom Cipicchio
 Home: Harry Sonner, Kathy Brown, 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, Charlotte Hilty, Harry Sonner
 Briarcliffe: Laura Wagner
 Geri Care: Louise Kelly, Delnora Valentine
 Golden Living: Rose Cosertano, George Rubright
 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 Katkowski, 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, Katie Burger, Dawn McWilliams, Paul Austin, Megan Yanos, Bill Kramer, Patty Nuzzio, DennisQuinn, Skip Sundry, Cindy Shuster, Joanne Errett, Jaydin Alcorn, Jackie Leech, Harry Sonner, Alison and Scott Foura, Lee Mash, Wilma Cobb, Nancy Kochasic, Matt Stakor

This Week – Darlene Stark, Daniel Utts, Bob Bayus, Barb McKenna, Laurie English, George Soles, Betty Smithk, Christiann Erkel & Family, Tony Ward, Rex Cox, Shane Morrison, Nedley Family

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



Pray for our brothers and sisters at
 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church– N. Huntingdon
 Pray for God's blessings on their ministry.

"THE TEAR OFF"

March 6 & 7, 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*

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 stay in touch through our facebook group and the website.

CUMC YOUTH MINISTRY

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

Fund Raising Coordinator Needed! We are looking for someone to lead our fundraising campaign for our 2010 Mission Trip. Please contact Frank Audia at 612-210-9398

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.

CUMC to Host Health Screenings - We are pleased to once again host these screenings on Wednesday, March 17th. Register for a Wellness Package with Stroke, Vascular Disease, Heart Rhythm & Osteoporosis for \$149. All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Your Health is in Your Hands, so call 1-800-679-5192, or visit www.lifelinescreening.com, for more information or to preregister. Individual test pricing is also available.

Good Friday Breakfast - April 2nd at 7:30am at Pluma in Irwin. Sponsored by The Norwin Ministerium & Chamber of Commerce. Guest Speaker is Leo J. Wisniewski with Saxophonist, Kim Costanza. Tickets are \$12.00 per person and are available in the Church Office.

Free Internet Awareness and Cyber Harassment Seminar - Penn Township Police Department will present this seminar to review accessing chat rooms that may be used by juveniles. State methods that could be used to prevent Internet crimes. Review cyberbullying and its ramifications. Seminar is for Adults only. Please contact Sgt. Deguffroy by phone at 724-863-1119 or email at adeguffroy@penntwp.org.

- **SINGING IN RESPONSE "I (We) Love You, Lord"**
*We love you, Lord, and we lift our voice to worship you, O our souls rejoice.
Take joy, our King, in what you hear, may it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT - The Journey Continues

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

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

PREPARING TO PRAY UMH #452 -verse 1 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine!

Now hear me as I pray, take all my guilt away, O let me from this day be wholly thine!

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—KC³ (children grades 1-6) dismissal to room 202~

MINISTRY OF MUSIC - 11:00am "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" by Chancel Choir

THE MESSAGE

"Jesus In H.D."

Luke 13: 1-9 –pew Bible, N.T. page 76

Pastor John

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER –UMH pages 12-15

SINGING TOGETHER #629 –refrain "You Satisfy The Hungry Heart"

During the distribution of the Bread and Cup we will sing this refrain:

"You satisfy the hungry heart with gifts of finest wheat.

Come, give to us, O saving Lord, the bread of life to eat."

*"The Body of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was given for you,
preserve your soul and body unto everlasting life." AMEN!*

*"The Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was shed for you,
preserve your soul and body unto everlasting life." AMEN!*

- **HYMN UMH #339 "Come, Sinner, to the Gospel Feast"**

• **DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

“Go forth in peace. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
And the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.” **AMEN!**

• **RESPONSE UMH # 473 “Lead Me, Lord”**

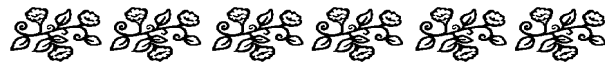
“Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness; make thy way plain before my face.”

- *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. ~

| | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <u>Liturgists:</u> | 8:30am Laurel Shirley |
| | 11:00am Sandy Wessel |
| <u>Greeters:</u> | 8:30am Marion & Bob Weightman and Rene & Kevin Rourke |
| | 11:00am Judy & Jay Newport and James Veitch & Madeline Rainey |
| <u>Acolytes:</u> | 8:30am Justin Moser and Meara Rundle |
| | 11:00am Alyssa Higgins and Zachary Tusay |
| <u>Kids Kingdom:</u> | 8:30am Michelle Watson and Christy Keenan |
| | 11:00am Melina Gilmore and Bettina DiMatteo |

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



The flowers on the Altar are placed in remembrance of Mother, Anna E. Peretto.
By her Daughter, Barbara & Bill Davis

The flowers on the Altar are placed to celebrate 13 years of blessings to our family.
Happy Birthday Clay! We love you... Mom, Dad and Gavin (Patrick)

The flowers in the Narthex are placed to the Glory of God and in honor of Teri & Mark’s
Wedding Anniversary. With Love, Mom (Carole Helsel)

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

| | | |
|-----------|------------------------------|------------------|
| Sunday | “Third Sunday in Lent” | Mark 8:27-30 |
| Monday | “God’s weakness is stronger” | 1 Cor. 1:20-25 |
| Tuesday | “All who see me mock at me” | Ps. 22 |
| Wednesday | “A thing of horror” | Ps. 88:1-9 |
| Thursday | “My servant shall prosper” | Isa. 52:13-53:12 |
| Friday | “The world might be saved” | John 3:16-18 |
| Saturday | “Everything has become new” | 2 Cor. 5:17-21 |

WHAT CAN I DO FOR JESUS?

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!

Haiti Update! The churches of our Western Pennsylvania Annual Conference have to date contributed \$480,377 for Emergency Earthquake Relief. Our church has received and forwarded \$5,509 to this relief effort. Contributions may still be given; be sure to designate them "Haiti Relief".

Second Saturday Supper Social—Beginning March 13th we will offer a dinner to follow Saturday Service each second Saturday of the month. Join us as we gather to F.E.A.S.T. (Followers Eating And Sharing Together) A minimal fee of \$4.00 charged to help defray costs.


Second Sunday Brunch Buffet - Next Sunday, March 14th, we will again offer our Second Sunday Brunch in the Multi-Ministry Room any time between 9:30am and 1:00pm. Join us as we gather to F.E.A.S.T. (Followers Eating And Sharing Together) A minimal fee of \$4.00 charged to help defray costs.

FaithWeaver Friends and UMKids - The annual bowling outing for FaithWeaver Friends and UMKids will be on Sunday March 21st. We will meet at Lokay Lanes and bowl from 3:30 - 5:30. The cost per person is \$8.00. If you are interested in going, please call either Carla Fabac at 724-744-1897 or Nancy Moser at 724-327-4522 so that reservations can be made. We will not be having youth group that evening.

Taizé Worship Services Offered During Lent - We are offering Taizé prayer each Wednesday evening during Lent 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.

Uganda Mission Trip- There is an informational meeting Sunday March 14th at 10:00 in the MMR for anyone who feels God's call to travel to Uganda in March 2011. Please contact Scott Mains for more information at Sjmains@comcast.net or 724-454-9300.

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.
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

2010 SUMMER CHURCH CAMP

- Yes, I would like more information

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!

March 7 - 13, 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
9:50am-10:45am Camping Promotion - Multi-Ministry Room
2:00pm-4:00pm Passion Play Rehearsal - Joseph of Arimathea
Nicodemus, Mary Magdelene, Joanna, Angles
2:00pm-5:00pm Lay Ministry School
6:00pm Stephen Ministry Training
6:00pm UM Kids & Faithweavers - Fellowship Hall
6:00pm Strengths in Ministry - Patterson Parlor
7:00pm Community Ringers Rehearsal—Sanctuary
8:00pm AA's Open Meeting – Fellowship Hall

MONDAY

9:30am Mom's Circle - room 207
1:00pm-3:00pm Women's Bible Study - Patterson Parlor
6:00pm-8:00pm Soccer - Multi-Ministry Room
6:15pm Scouts - room 210-212
6:30pm Uganda Trip - room 207
7:00pm Bible Basics - room 209
7:00pm United Methodist Women Meeting - Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY

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
6:00pm Scouts - room 211
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
6:00pm Scouts - room 205
7:00pm A Life That Matters
7:00pm Dartball - Fellowship Hall
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

SATURDAY

12:00pm-6:00pm Fellowship Hall Reserved
4:00am-7:00pm Multi-Ministry Room Reserved
6:00pm Contemporary Worship - Sanctuary



Welcome to Community Church

"A United Methodist Congregation"

March 7, 2010

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

Ministers: All of the Church Family

Pastor: John E. Ciampa - Ext. 115 Email Address: jciampa@communityumc.info

Director of Youth Ministries: Frank Audia – Ext. 130 Email Address: faudia@communityumc.info

Director of Music & Creative Arts: John Smialowski –Ext. 202 Email Address: jasmialowski@comcast.net

Director of Christian Education: Patsy Ciampa – Ext. 214 Email Address: deaconpatsy@yahoo.com

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

Director of Pastoral Care: Rev. Jim Decker – 724-515-7252 – ajdecker@comcast.net

Secretaries: Carole Helsel – chelsel@communityumc.info and Wendy Johnson – wjohnson@communityumc.info

Church Telephone: (724) 744-3413

Church Address: 3487 Route 130, Irwin, PA 15642

Church Fax Number: (724) 744-4758

Church E-mail Address - info@communityumc.info

Church Web Page Address: www.ShareChristWithOthers.org

Parsonage Address: Pastor John – 6 Brook Valley Drive, Harrison City, PA 15636 (724) 744-2289

Ministry Areas:

Discipleship: John Toellner - (724) 433-7628 Email Address: johnt555@mail.com

Fellowship: Pam French – (724) 744-5011 Email Address: psfrench4@aol.com

Worship: Liz Wade - (615) 483-4494 Email Address: lizsrotties@comcast.net

Evangelism: Rodger Holsing – (724) 744-0202 Email Address: awrodger@comcast.net

Ministry: Jamie Greenier - (412) 856-0717 Email Address: greenj166@gmail.com

Communications: Katie Morgan Email Address: katiebmorgan@hotmail.com