

WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH

A United Methodist Congregation

On this fifth 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 "Jesus Loves Me"

• CALL TO WORSHIP

- ONE: Now is the time to live: to come to the God who creates us, to sing to the Redeemer who frees us.
- MANY: *Now is the time to come alive, to invite the whole world to join in praising God.*
- ONE: Yes, now is the time to invite the sky to thunder God's word, the earth to rumble in praise.
- MANY: *We invite all to celebrate with us, to glorify God's name, to dance with God's spirit, which fills us.*

• HYMN UMH #374 "Standing on the Promises"

• PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

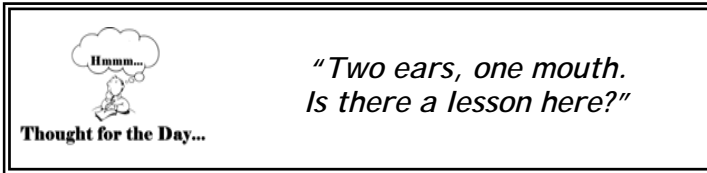
God of our history, we know that we stand on the shoulders of so many giants in the faith—Moses and Miriam, Joshua and Deborah, David and Ruth, Mary and Paul, and countless others throughout time, including many that shaped our faith journey, we each could call out their names. We are here because of their faithfulness to you, and your faithfulness to them, which is beyond measure and beyond our imagining. God of our future, we know that others will stand on our shoulders. In your faithfulness speak to us, that we might be equipped for ministry and mission in all the world, in Jesus' name. Amen.

• SINGING IN RESPONSE UMH #364 –refrain "Because He Lives" *Because he lives, I can face tomorrow, because he lives all fear is gone; Because I know he holds the future, and life is worth the living, just because he lives.*

MINISTRY OF MUSIC - "Hymn of Promise" by Community Ringers

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

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



Hospitals:

Montifiore Hospital: Betty Prinkey
Forbes: Sam Godich
Home: Nancy Kochasic

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, Delhora Valentine
Golden Living: Rose Cosertano
RNC: Morris Kunkle
Harmarville: Jodi Blasi
Health South: Kathy Brown

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, Patti Macino, Adeline Allison, Robbie Welsch

This Week – Bessie Parson, Ed Steligo, Rev. Kevin Haley, Mindy Serembo, Phil Pegher, Donna Detore, Olivia Nichols, Jimmie Evans, Chuck Sevick

Last Week - Vickie Ketter, Zeke, Jackson Barrett, Don MacArthur



Pray for our brothers and sisters at
Christian & Missionary Alliance Church-Jeannette
Pray for God's blessings on their ministry.

"THE TEAR OFF"

March 20 & 21, 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.

Vacation Bible School--Mark your calendars for Galactic Blast! - This year's VBS will be June 14-18 from 9am-12 noon. We are signing on volunteers NOW! We invite you to join us on our "**Cosmic Adventure Praising God!**" and to serve through this important ministry. **Station Leaders and many Crew Leaders are needed.** Please prayerfully consider taking on a role in this year's program...you won't be disappointed! The curriculum is planned for you, all we need is your time and enthusiasm! Please contact Dawn Albright @ 724-864-4820 or Tammy Fleming @ 724-861-8336 to sign up now. Thank you!

Summer Camp— Deepen your Christian experience. Grow closer to God. Meet new friends. Sign up for camp adventures at Camp Allegheny, Jumonville and Camp Wesley Woods by April 20th to receive scholarships from Community Church. Bring along a friend. Contact Patsy Ciampa for more information.

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

Mission Trip Registration Deadline is Sunday, March 28th - \$75.00 per student

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.

Haiti Relief Teams - Teams of volunteers are now being invited to Haiti. Based on UVMIM Coordinators observations and experience, teams serving in Haiti need to meet the following criteria: No more than 8-12 members/team. Team leader has prior experience in Haiti. Team leader has UVMIM team leader training. Necessary immunizations are up to date (Cholera and tuberculosis may be needed soon - watch the CDC recommendations). Early Response Training is not necessary but would be helpful. If you would like to serve and/or lead a Community Church team in Haiti, please contact Scott Mains at sjmains@comcast.net or call 724-454-9300 for more information.

Good Friday Breakfast - April 2nd at 7:30am at Pluma in Irwin. Sponsored by The Norwin Ministerium & Chamber of Commerce. Tickets are \$12.00 per person and are available in the Church Office.

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

- **PREPARING TO PRAY UMH #364 –refrain** *“Because He Lives”*
Because he lives, I can face tomorrow, because he lives all fear is gone;
Because I know he holds the future, and life is worth the living,
just because he lives.

COMMISSIONING OF EASTER OUTREACH SERVANTS

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 “The Old Rugged Cross”

- **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 “Hallelujah for the Cross” by Chancel Choir

THE MESSAGE

“Daily Refuge”

John 12:1-11(NIV)

Frank Audia

“Refuge” by Frank Audia

- **HYMN UMH #370** *“Victory in Jesus”*
- **DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**
- **RESPONSE UMH #370** *“Victory in Jesus”- refrain*
O Vicotry in Jesus, my Savior for ever! He sought me and bought me
with his redeeming blood; he loved me ere I knew him, and all my love is due him;
he plunged me to victory beneath the cleansing flood.

- *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. ~

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**Liturgists:** 8:30am John Toellner 11:00am Jack Cycak  
**Greeters:** 8:30am Eleanor Wergin, Deanna Bacco and Joanne Parson  
 11:00am Mindy & Richard Serembo and Sandy & John Steele  
**Acolytes:** 8:30am Shana Ciongoli and Stephanie Hilderhoff  
 11:00am Jared Phillips and Grant Phillips  
**Kids Kingdom:** 8:30am Jamie Grace and Brian Coiner  
 11:00am Lisa Rager and Amy Pleins

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

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*The flowers on the Altar are placed in memory of loved ones.
 By Earl & Donna Anger*

*The flowers on the Altar are placed in loving memory of my mother, Doris Schar.
 By Patsy and Pastor John Ciampa*

*The flowers in the Narthex are placed in honor of Kay Lynch who celebrated a birthday yesterday.
 Happy Birthday Meemaw! Love, Madison and Mackenzie Keenan*

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

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| Sunday    | “Fifth Sunday in Lent”     | Luke 9:46-56  |
| Monday    | “It is the Lord!”          | John 21:1-14  |
| Tuesday   | “Feed my sheep”            | John 21:15-19 |
| Wednesday | “Many other things”        | John 21:20-25 |
| Thursday  | “All of us are witnesses”  | Acts 2:32-35  |
| Friday    | “It sounds rather strange” | Acts 17:16-32 |
| Saturday  | “He appeared also to me”   | 1 Cor. 15:1-8 |

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MAUNDY THURSDAY – April 1
 7:00pm Worship and Communion Service – Sanctuary

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES – April 2
 12:00pm Worship Service – Sanctuary
 7:30pm Community Worship Service – Denmark Manor Church

EASTER SERVICES – April 3 & 4
 Saturday 6:00 p.m. - Contemporary Worship - Multi-Ministry Room
 Sunday 8:00 a.m. (½ hour earlier) Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
 9:30 a.m. Traditional Worship - Multi-Ministry Room
 11:00 a.m. Traditional – Sanctuary & Contemporary Worship-MMR


WHAT CAN I DO FOR JESUS?

Toddler Room Help Needed - We need help for the Easter week services so that staff can attend service and so we have enough coverage for the extra toddlers we expect. We will have care available for the following services: Holy Thursday 7:00pm, Saturday evening 6:00pm, Easter Sunday 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00am services. Please contact Kathy McDowell at 724-744-7463 or email @ mcdowell19@hotmail.com.

1M2L: The "One Month to Live" challenge is coming soon. If you are interested in hosting, leading or joining a small group please sign up by completing the tear off and dropping it in the offering plate or signing up in the Welcome Center.


CUMC Passion Play Postponed - Due to unforeseen circumstances the play had to be postponed. Look for upcoming information on when the play will be rescheduled.

New Course Offered - The Stephen Ministry is offering a new training course in May 2010 for those individuals interested in serving others by being a Stephen Minister. This training will be on Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 9pm beginning in May, continuing through the summer, and ending mid-September. Please do not let summer events and vacations deter you from participating in the training. We understand that the summer can be a busy time and we can accommodate missed classes through independent study or make-up classes. God has blessed each of us and our church in so many ways. Stephen Ministry is an awesome way to hone and utilize your God-given abilities and be Christ to others by bearing one another's burdens. If you feel called to this ministry or if you have any questions regarding this training or the Stephen Ministry, please contact Elizabeth Somes (724) 744-7905 or Jamie Caruso (412) 400-6534.

 **LAST WEEK FOR LENTEN LUNCHES 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. **** 

ARK Preschool/Playgroup Indoor Equipment Needed - One of the children's favorite things to do during playtime at the ARK is climb, slide and crawl on the indoor playground equipment. Unfortunately, both of the climbers we currently use have seen better days. They both have parts that need replaced and we can no longer buy replacement parts for the existing climbers. That's where you can help... The ARK is looking for slightly used indoor playground equipment. If you have something you think the children would enjoy, or could help in the search for replacements, please contact Christy Keenan at (724) 331-9870.

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

"One Month To Live" Challenge

- 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 21 - 27, 2010
OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH**

SUNDAY

9:45am Sunday School Hour
9:45am Disciple 3
2:00pm-5:00pm Lay Ministry School
3:30pm-5:30pm UM Kids & Faithweavers - Bowling Event at Lokay Lanes
7:00pm Community Ringers Rehearsal—Sanctuary
7:15pm Youth Council Meeting - Youth Room
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
6:15pm Scouts - room 210-212
7:00pm Bible Basics - room 209
7:00pm Dartball - Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY

6:30pm-9:00pm ALPHA - Sanctuary, Fellowship Hall, 209
7:00pm Women's Study - Patterson Parlor

WEDNESDAY

6:15pm Scouts - room 120
6:30pm Disciple 2 - Patterson Parlor
7:00pm Church Council Meeting - room 210-212
7:00pm Cub Scouts - room 211
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
7:00pm A Life That Matters - Patterson Parlor
7:00pm Dartball - Fellowship Hall
7:00pm Youth Service (grades 7-12)

FRIDAY

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

SATURDAY

9:30pm Easter Egg Hunt - Sanctuary, Fellowship Hall
6:00pm Contemporary Worship - Sanctuary



WEEKEND

IN LENT

Welcome to Community Church

"A United Methodist Congregation"

March 21, 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

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Church Fax Number: (724) 744-4758

Church E-mail Address - info@communityumc.info

Church Web Page Address: www.ShareChristWithOthers.org

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

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Resident Bishop: Thomas J. Bickerton

District Superintendent: William B. Meekins, Jr.