

WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH

A United Methodist Congregation

*Welcome as we worship the Lord with gladness,
for it is God who deserves our praise and thanksgiving.
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 "He Loves Me"

• CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: The Lord our God is a welcoming God,

COMMUNITY: *Standing with arms outstretched to those gathering here.*

LEADER: The Lord our God is a seeking God,

COMMUNITY: *Calling in love to those who are wondering.*

LEADER: The Lord our God is a hearing God,

COMMUNITY: *With ears that are open to our prayers of need and our hymns of praise.*

LEADER: The Lord our God is a loving God,

COMMUNITY: *For Christ lives and offers us life abundant.*

• HYMN UMH #152 "I Sing the Almighty Power of God"

• AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe in God, who promises to be with us always, in all our seasons of life. We believe God wants to fill us with power so we may be witnesses to all the ends of the earth.

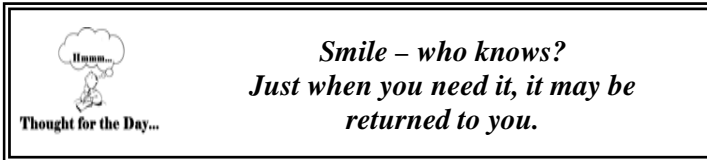
We believe in the risen Christ, who shows that God's love is stronger than our fears, more enduring than our worries and deeper than our despair.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the hidden power of God, working for good, bringing hope, encouraging justice, building peace, promoting healing, creating joy.

We believe God is at work in us and in this community of pray-ers and do-ers. AMEN.

• SINGING IN RESPONSE UMH #310 - verse 3 "He Lives"

*Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing,
eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King! The hope of all who seek him,
the help of all who find; none other is so loving, so good and kind.
He lives, he lives, Christ Jesus lives today! He walks with me and
talks with me along life's narrow way. He lives, he lives, salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know he lives? He lives within my heart.*



Hospitals:

Allegheny General: Vanessa Baugh

Forbes: Kathy Brown, Bonnie Neubauer

Home: Jennifer Wally, Charles Hockenberry

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, Shirley Nixon

Geriatric Care: Louise Kelly, Delnora Valentine

Golden Living: Rose Cosertano

Briarcliffe: Laura Wagner

Baldock: Mary Delo

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, Margie Bedell, Margaret Willis, Jean Miller, Donna Sparks, Randy Bowery, Joan Bowery, Joe Zomp, Walt Geiger, Katie Sechrist, Patti Elmore, D. J. Price, Ashley Fennel, Mum Zinkan, Josephine Pecar, Sam Godich, Judy Ryaby, Paul (Dink) Johnston, Kim Markijohn, Aria Markijohn, Donna Keffer, Larry Harden, Julie Macino, Patti Macino, Danny Macino, Chuck Seanor, Ed Sisson, Kathi Mochan, Marlene Noonan, Kathy Sutek, Sue Vegley, Dawn McWilliams, Bill Kramer, Joanne Errett, Harry Sonner, Matt Stakor, Clarissa Lightner, Carole Stern, Ken Steiner, Jim Struzzi, Rosanne Smith, Paul Austin, Edwin Stark, Colby Black, Alena Burger, Carly Deguffroy-Duddy, Charles Sevick, Darrell Good, Tiffany Simmons, Joan Sistik, Paul, Mike Rupert, Bobbie Nowaski, Doreen Parker, Ken Scott, Michael, Bob Nichols & Family, Wilma Kuhn, Richard Clark, Phil Peghar, Tom Cipicchio, Kathy Brennan, Marcy Shaw, Brandi Myers, Bill Karwisch, Marty Holmes, Dena Fitzgerald & Family, Elizabeth, Bob Rossey

This Week – Kaitlyn Wampler, Laurie Harden, Jim Phipps

Last Week - Jennifer & John Wally & Family, Mary Jo Hyde, Lori Barsic & Family, Jennie Shirley, David Williams Barb McKenna, Rick Pry, Susan Logan



Pray for our brothers and sisters at
Lutheran Church of Our Saviour - Irwin
Pray for God's blessings on their ministry.

"THE TEAR OFF"

August 28 & 29, 2010

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 _____



CUMC YOUTH MINISTRY - 7th - 12th Grades

Weekly events include:

Thursday Night Youth Service at 7:00pm in the Multi-Ministry Room.

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

Used Books - The Uganda mission team will hold it's second used book sale October 14 - 17. Do you have books you have read but still have lots of life left? We would appreciate your donation for a great cause. We will have containers available to collect them beginning next week. Please ask friends, family, and co-workers for unwanted books. People who enjoy books don't like to throw them away and often appreciate finding a good use for them. Thank you for your help and we hope to see you at the sale in October. For more information please contact Donna Auckerman 724-523-8223 or mis_red@yahoo.com.

CUMC Looking to Purchase Ads - Community Church would like to purchase advertisements from your school or organization. Please contact Katie Morgan at communications@communityumc.info or 724-863-1581.

NOW ENROLLING! - THE ARK Preschool and Playgroup Plus are accepting applications for the 2010/2011 school year. Please contact Lori Begg at 724-744-3413 ext. 150 or arkregistrar@windstream.net for more details. Check out all our updated information on the website at www.ShareChristWithOthers.org.

Fall Craft Show - THE ARK Ministry Council is now accepting applications for our annual Fall Craft Show. All crafters and vendors are welcome. It will be held on November 6th from 9am-2pm. For information call 724-744-3413 ext. 160 Or email at info@communityumc.info.

Spring Craft Show News - THE ARK Ministry Council will no longer be hosting our annual Spring Craft Show. We were hoping that an organization or group from CUMC would be willing to continue the show for us. The Spring Craft Show date has already been reserved for May 7th and it would be beneficial for the group to experience the fall craft show in order to understand the process. Should you or your group have an interest in this profitable fundraiser, please contact Amy Pleins at pleins@windstream.net or 724-744-3413 ext. 160.

"Created By God" - Each year we offer this course on human sexuality from a Christian perspective to our fifth, sixth and seventh graders and their parents. This year the dates for this course will be November 12th, 13th and 14th, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. A Parents' meeting will be held on Thursday, November 11th, 7pm to 9pm. This course is offered for anyone in the community. Please contact Patsy Ciampa at the church or email at deaconpatsy@yahoo.com or Mike Fabac at 724-744-1897 for more information.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT - "Change for Uganda"

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

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

COMING TO PRAYER THROUGH SONG UMH #494 "Kum Ba Yah"

*Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah!
Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!
Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah! Kum ba yah, my Lord,
kum ba yah! Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!*

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE ~ THE LORD'S PRAYER UMH #895

(you are invited to the altar rail for prayer)

SHARING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS "Sheltered in the Arms of God"

- **SONG OF THANKSGIVING UMH #94 "Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow"**
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow: praise God, all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,
Whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - 8:30 a.m. Grady Edward Fulton

PROMISE OF THE CHURCH FAMILY

*With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ,
that Grady Edward, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in
the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.*

THE MESSAGE

"Guess Who's Coming to Dinner"

Luke 14: 1, 7-14 -Pew Bible, N.T. page 77

Pastor John

- **HYMN UMH # 402** -verses 1,2,3 **"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"**
- **BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH**
- **RESPONSE UMH #402** -verse 4 **"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"**
*Lord, I want to be like Jesus, in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be like Jesus, in my heart. In my heart. In my heart.
Lord, I want to be like Jesus, in my heart.*

• *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 Allison Reynolds
11:00am Jay Newport
Greeters: 8:30am Yakubisin Family
11:00am Amy & James Frey and Pam & Neil French
Acolytes: 8:30am Adam Power and Michael Yakubisin
11:00am Alyssa Higgins and Lauren Myers
Kids Kingdom: 8:30am Tracey Sepe and Bettina DiMatteo
11:00am Tracey Powell and Bettina DiMatteo
Organist: Kim Lawther **Pianist:** Linda Lorenz **Sound Technician:** AV Team



*The rose on the Altar is in celebration of a daughter Abigail Christine born to Brad and Jody Hayes.
Proud grandparents are George and Audie Hayes.*

*We extend our Christian love and sympathy to Mark and Doreen Stakor and Family
on the death of Doreen's Father Joseph Gheri.*

*We extend our Christian love and sympathy to John and Jennifer Wally on the death of their
infant daughter Abilgail*

*The flowers on the Altar are placed in loving memory of Edna and Harry McAllister.
From your Son, Harry and Family*

*The flowers on the Altar are placed to say may God bless you, Melanie, as you venture into
the IUP college experience and a promising future!
We love you so - Dad, Mom and Matt (Simmons)*

WHAT CAN I DO FOR JESUS?

Community Church Blog - Want a look at how the Lord is moving in our church and in the lives of our church family? Then check out our new blog! There you will find stories, reflections and observations of people who just may be sitting in the pew next to you! You can find it by going to the church website, www.sharechristwithothers.org and clicking on the button "Community Church Blog". Check it out!

Sunday School Teachers meeting is scheduled for Tuesday August 31st at 6:30-7:30 p.m. in Patterson Parlor. (Children and youth class teachers) Regular classes for all ages begin Sunday September 12th from 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Confirmation Class Forming - If your youth is in 7th or 8th grade and you are considering confirmation class which will lead to church membership, please contact Rev. Patsy Ciampa or Rev. Rich Phipps at the church office. The date for orientation is set for Sunday September 19th, 9:45am - 10:45am for parents and students.

3rd Grade Bibles - We are privileged to present personal Bibles to our Third Grade students during worship on September 11 & 12. Please phone or contact Polly Geiger at 724-863-4531 or Laura Kochasic at 724-864-9127 so we do not miss any child! Our Third Grade Sunday School class learns how to study the Bible each week from 9:45am to 10:45am. Please sign up on the "Tear-Off" for which service you will attend.

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. On September 11 & 12 during all three weekend services, we will be commissioning a second class of Stephen Ministers. Please join us in celebrating their completion of study and in prayer for their service as Stephen Ministers.

Welcome Center Training - Volunteers are always needed to greet guests before and after weekend services. If you are interested in serving in this hospitality ministry or are already serving, please make plans to attend the Welcome Center Training on Monday, September 13th at 7:00 p.m. in the Narthex of the Sanctuary. Please contact Jean Pucek for more information at 724-744-0611.

New Member Class - If you are interested in becoming a member here at Community Church, CLASS 101 will be offered on Sunday September 26th from 4:30-8:30 p.m. Please sign up on the tear-off. A light supper will be furnished.

Carson's Carnival Volunteers, Donators, and Sponsors

We would like to extend our sincere thanks and gratitude for your support during Carson's Carnival. The amount of volunteers, donations, and prayers we received is beyond amazing and we are so thankful for each one of you. Your kindness and generosity was so much more than we ever dreamed!

The amount raised was in excess of \$12,000.

Without you, the event would not have been a success. We thank you with our whole hearts!

August 29-September 4, 2010

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH

SUNDAY

9:45am Sunday School Hour
7:30pm Community Ringers rehearsal
8:00pm AA's Open Meeting – Fellowship Hall

MONDAY

7:00pm Off the Streets meeting - room 211
7:00pm Finance meeting - room 207

TUESDAY

6:30pm Sunday School teachers meeting - Patterson Parlor
7:00pm Cruise for Christ Meeting - room 210-212

WEDNESDAY

6:00pm Stephen Ministry dinner & communion - room 210-212
7:00pm Stephen Ministry training - room 209
7:00pm Stephen Ministry supervision - room 210-212
7:00pm Trustees meeting - room 207

THURSDAY

9:00am Busy Hands Sewing Group - room 207
11:00am-2:30pm Stroke Group - room 210-212
7:00pm Youth Service (grades 7-12) - Multi-Ministry Room
7:00pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

FRIDAY

No Events Scheduled

SATURDAY

6:00pm Contemporary Worship Service - Sanctuary

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

3rd Grade Bibles

Please include my son/daughter to receive a Bible the weekend of Sept. 11 – 12.

Service we will attend:

___ 6 pm Sat. ___ 8:30 Sun. ___ 11:00 Sun.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Confirmation Information

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

Fall Small Groups

- Yes, I am interested in joining a small group. Someone will call you.

CLASS 101

- I am interested in attending the new member class

*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!*

Bulletin & Newsletter Deadlines

Bulletin deadline is each Wednesday 4:00 p.m.

October Newsletter Deadline - Please have all information to the church office by September 10th

Jesus Said:

*"For all who exalt themselves
will be humbled,
and those who humble themselves
will be exalted."*

Luke 14:1, 7-14

Welcome to Community Church

"A United Methodist Congregation"

August 29, 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

Associate Pastor: Rich Phipps - Ext. 116 Email Address: rhipps@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

Director of Food Ministries: Kendra Simpson - kendrascookin@yahoo.com

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

Parsonage Address: Pastor Rich - 404 Longview Drive, Manor, PA 15665 (724) 454-1395

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 (724) 863-1581 Email Address: katiebmorgan@hotmail.com