

SERVING TODAY AT THE 8:30 AM SERVICE

Liturgist: Todd Miller
Greeters: Judy & Bill Held and Arlene & Gomer Ralph
Acolytes: Chloe Ziros
Organist: Kim Thoma Pianist: Linda Lorenz
Sound Technician: AV Team

SERVING TODAY AT THE 11:00 AM SERVICE

Liturgist: Carol Decker
Greeters: Nancy & Andrew Husak and Linda & Bill Blank
Acolytes: Daniel Stones & Ben Hollerman
Organist: Kim Thoma Pianist: Linda Lorenz
Sound Technician: AV Team

Ministers: All of the Church Family

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WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH
A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

“For freedom Christ has set us free” (Galatians 5:1). We thank God for the freedom of salvation as well as for the freedom of worship in this land.
Welcome!

CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC LEADING TO WORSHIP

- CALL TO WORSHIP**

LEADER: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
PEOPLE: *The Lord is good to all, his compassion is over all his creation.*
LEADER: All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
PEOPLE: *And your faithful ones shall bless you!*
LEADER: They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom,
PEOPLE: *And tell of your power,*
LEADER: To make known to all people your mighty deeds,
PEOPLE: *and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.*
LEADER: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,
PEOPLE: *and your dominion endures throughout all generations.*

- HYMN UMH # 697 “America”**

- GATHERING PRAYER**

God, we are gathered in your house to worship and adore you. We are thankful for our nation. What a great blessing our country has been and should be into the future. Yet, sadly, we pervert our national ideals and our foundations each new day. Help us, and our country, to regain a sense of direction. Have mercy on us for our violence and prideful living, our obsession with things, our disregard for the importance of other persons and the value of nature and beauty. Help us, Lord, to be the kind of Christian citizens who will honor you. Amen.

- AFFIRMING OUR FAITH UMH # 885 “A Modern Affirmation”**

- SINGING IN RESPONSE UMH # 71 “Glory Be to the Father”**
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

INVITATION TO PRAYER UMH # 378 v 1 “Amazing Grace”
*Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found; was blind, but now I see.*

PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE - THE LORD’S PRAYER
(You are invited to the altar rail to pray)

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS “Help Us Accept Each Other”
Joshua Forringer

SONG OF THANKSGIVING UMH # 99 “My Tribute”
To God be the glory, to God be the glory, to God be the glory for the things he has done. With his blood he has saved me; with his power he has raised me; to God be the glory for the things he has done.

THE MESSAGE
“The Two Faces of Forgiveness”
1 John 1:8-10
Ephesians 4:30-32
Matthew 18:21-22
Pastor Jim Decker

HOLY COMMUNION pages 12-14

- SENDING HYMN UMH # 389 “Freely, Freely”**
- BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH**
- CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE UMH # 389 refrain “Freely, Freely”**
*He said “Freely, freely you have received, freely, freely give.
Go in my name, and because you believe, others will know that I live.”*

- Lectionary Readings July 2, 2017
Genesis 22:1-14; Psalm 13 (UMH 746); Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:40-42
- Please stand if able

I would like information about:

- ☐ Becoming a Christian
- ☐ Church Membership
- ☐ Children's Ministries
- ☐ FUEL Middle (grades 6-8)
- ☐ FUEL (grades 9-12)
- ☐ Adult Ministries
- ☐ Music Ministries

Prayer Request

(Please Print All Information)

Name: _____
(Optional)

Please Pray For:

(Please select one option below - Request will not be printed in bulletin if nothing selected)

Please put in bulletin _____

Please keep confidential _____

Please remove from list _____

NOTE: Names will appear for 4 weeks then come off the list. Please submit a new request after 4 weeks if needed.

EVENTS AT OUR CHURCH July 2 - 8, 2017

SUNDAY	8:30am	Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
	9:30am	Current Worship Team Rehearsal - MMR
	10:45am	Current Worship - Multi-Ministry Room
	11:00am	Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
	12:15pm	MPR Training - Youth Room
MONDAY	10:00am	Worship Team Meeting - Patterson Parlor
TUESDAY	Fourth of July Holiday - Church Office Closed	
WEDNESDAY	10:00am	Connectional Meeting - Patterson Parlor
	6:00pm	Childcare - Room 120
	6:00pm	CLASS 101 - Fellowship Hall
	6:30pm	Book of Jonah - Patterson Parlor
	7:00pm	Emmaus Group - Ministry House
THURSDAY	9:00am	Busy Hands Sewing - Patterson Parlor
	1:00pm	Blackburn Center - Ministry House
	7:00pm	FM/FUEL - Cheesy Movie Night
FRIDAY	No Events Scheduled	
SATURDAY	12:00pm	Current Set Up - Multi-Ministry Room
	6:00pm	Current Worship Service - Multi-Ministry Rm

Please Note Deadline Information:

Bulletin Information Deadline: Wednesdays at 4:00pm.
Monthly Newsletter Information Deadline: 10th of Each Month.

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Announcements and Upcoming Events

Update on Pastor John

We are thrilled to report that Pastor John continues to improve and recover at home. He is steadily growing stronger in the care of his loving family. We are thankful for each prayer that you all have offered in his name, and we give the glory for this wonderful report to Jesus, who is our master healer! Continued prayers and cards are welcome; please respect the family's request for no visitors at this time. He sends his best to his Community Church family!

Building News

Community Church is Building in Faith! You have probably noticed that our campus is beginning to look like a construction zone, and we cannot be more thankful! Electrical work for HVAC and the new office suite is underway! Some light demolition of our building continues. In addition, the demo of our playground is near complete. The windows in the childcare room, Fellowship Hall and the choir room have been boarded up to prepare for the work to be done.

Traffic Patterns

Please use caution, care and patience when entering and exiting our campus. Signage and lots of friendly faces will help direct you as you come and go, but we ask that you take your time in the parking lot.

For the next 8-9 months, our traffic patterns will remain the same. You will enter the parking lot as you normally do. You will no longer have the option of proceeding to the right of the building to the back of the church. Instead, you will drive along the front of the building (note that the parking in the top lot will not be available, see below). To access the rear parking lots, you will use the lanes between the MMR and the Ministry House. This will be a two lane traffic pattern, and we ask you to use great care driving in this area. Be alert for oncoming traffic as well as adults and children making their way into church.

Parking Lot

We understand that parking will be less convenient during construction, including not being able to park in the top parking lot. We apologize in advance, and we hope that you'll find this to be just a short-term inconvenience. Please plan to allow a few extra minutes to get into our campus and park. We would like to ask our members and regular attendees to please come early to service and stay and fellowship a while before leaving after services. Also, if able, please park away from the building in order to help our guests/visitors and those with mobility problems to feel more comfortable and have easy access to the Church. Thank You for your cooperation during this busy time. If you have concerns regarding the parking lot, please contact Elizabeth Somes (esomes@communityumchurch.com), or better yet, join her Parking Lot Ministry Team.

Need a lift?

If you have difficulty walking to the sanctuary or MMR, we have several wheelchairs that can be used to get you there. We have also designated the pull-off area by the elevator entrance as a drop-off point. We are experimenting with a golf-cart shuttle if you need a lift from the parking area. Please inform one of the friendly Parking Lot Ministry Team Members (wearing an orange vest or shirt) of your needs when you pull into the lot.

Construction Area Off-Limits

We are excited about construction ramping up, and we hope you are too! We are thrilled to see construction starting—but let’s watch from a safe distance! Please note that construction sites are inherently dangerous. Please ensure that you and your children stay safe by not venturing past the construction fencing, even when construction workers are not onsite. Although the area may appear safe, tripping hazards and other hidden dangers are likely present. Next year, we will be scheduling tours of the new sanctuary when it is safe to do so. We thank you for your patience as we begin this exciting stage in the church’s history.

Entering the Building

Due to construction, the ONLY entrance to the building will be the double glass doors by the elevator. You can access the second floor via the stairs or the elevator. For safety purposes, you will be able to exit most doors in emergency situations, but please plan to enter the building using the glass doors by the elevator.

Building Use

For years, we’ve tried to live up to our name with regards to providing use of our building. We’ve opened our doors to the community for baby and bridal showers, birthday celebrations, sporting events and other gatherings. While we are under construction, our space is limited, and it will be our priority to reserve room for the ministry events of Community Church. For this reason, we ask that you consider other venues for non-ministry events as we will not be able to accommodate requests for community events. Thank you for understanding!

Construction Project Point of Contact

If you have questions about the project, please feel free to contact Deb MacAllister (dmacallister@communityumchurch.com) or Heather Dolhi (hdolhi@communityumchurch.com). They will be attending weekly progress meetings and working closely with McKnight throughout construction. McKnight has requested that a point of contact be maintained to reduce confusion and maintain continuity.

Thank you for your continued prayers and patience as construction continues!



Hospitals:

Home: Pastor John Ciampa
Home Hospice: Charlotte Lipinsky

Note: Please call the Church Office if you know of someone in the hospital.

Nursing Homes / Rehab Centers:

Autumn Ridge: Marcia Shaw
Brookdale Murrysville: Tom Thomas
Golden Heights (Penn Twp.): John Dekret
Golden Heights (Irwin): Jeri Jacobs
Greensburg Care Center: Michelle Miller
Hempfield Manor: John Beech
Latrobe Care Center: Anna Mae Watt
Nature Park Commons: Don Pitzer
Redstone (Greensburg): Janet Cox, Charlotte Hilty
St. Annes: Jessie Komara
Presbyterian Sr. Care: Willows- Rev. Richard & Leanna Wright
Wm Penn Care: Margaret Hockenberry, Donna Anger, Rollie Sims

Week #1- 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, our new church construction and for:

Butch & Doreen Barton, Baby Connor, Fontana Family, Connie Gazze, Don & Janet Graham, Jim, Shirley Long, Max, Dave Nolfi & Family, Pat, Rachel, Judy S., Mrs. Ruth Sanders, Sipos/Ritenour, Glen Smith, Karen W., Wenzel, Gemma Yorio

Week #2 - Lauren Abt, Pastor John Ciampa, John Howard, Judy, Sean, Riley & Zoe Kerrigan, Bill Kidd, Reg Legge, Dawn McWilliams, Melody, Tom Silvis, Norma Truxal, Mike Wattay

Week #3- Amelia, Amy, Brian, Regis & Susan Byerly, John Coleman, Linda Comito, Tom Curry, Donna, Frank Filkosky, Frank, Fred, Beverly & Jim Hahn, Alecia Hoy, Joe, Judy, Keki, Melody, Mike, Scott & Denise Moats, Rai, Suzzanne, Toni, Debbie Tucker, Joe Wareham

Week #4 - Andrew, Dale Chovan, Cindy & Kelly, Dick Dickert, Esther, Jason, Jeff, Joanne, John & Sandra, Will McKee & Family, Margaret, Mark, Matt, Max, Michael & Laura, Kristy Novak, Rick, Smola Family, Allison Staymates, Jerry Vernail Sr., Patty Yurt

Fellow Churches - Pray for our brothers and sisters at St. Cyril and Methodius Orthodox Church - Jeannette
Pray for God’s blessings on their ministry.

CONNECT CARD

July 1 & 2, 2017

We would like to know you were here!
Please place in the offering plate.

_____ Saturday 6:00pm Service
_____ Sunday 8:30am Service
_____ Sunday 10:45am Service
_____ Sunday 11:00am Service

Mr. / Mrs. / Miss / Mr. & Mrs.

Name

Address

City

State Zip

Phone: _____

Cell : _____

E-mail: _____

_____ I am a member of CUMC
_____ I regularly attend
_____ I wish to join

Child(ren’s) Name(s) & Age(s):

Welcome Visitors!

I am visiting today, this is my:
___ 1st Visit ___ 2nd Visit ___ 3rd Visit
What brought you to today’s service?
___ new to the area
___ considering a new church home
___ here for a special event
___ a guest of _____
___ Other _____



NURSERY / TODDLER CHILDCARE

The Comfort/Cry Room - adjacent to the sanctuary is available for parents use during Sunday Morning services in the Sanctuary.

Staffed Toddler Care (infant – 3 ½ years) In Room 120 on the 1st floor during all weekend services.

NURSERY WORKERS NEEDED!!!

PLEASE NOTE: Summer childcare will be offered Wednesdays from 6-8:30 beginning June 21st.

Sunday Kids Summer Worship / June 18th-August 13th / 10:45 & 11:00am

Kids Worship summer session will be at 10:45/11:00am services only, June 18th through August 13th.

Summer Worship Volunteers Needed

We will have Summer Kids Worship at 10:45/11:00am on Sundays in Fellowship Hall. All you need is a love for Jesus and a smile for the kids. If you are interested in signing up for one weekend or all summer, see the bulletin board by the lower entrance or contact Erin Kerstetter at 412-607-1863 for more information.

Community's Kids Midsummer Party / July 12th / 6-8pm

If you know a kid who loves to have fun with friends and maybe get a little wet in the process, get them to Community Kid's Midsummer Party July 12 from 6 pm – 8 pm. This is a night designed for kids in kindergarten-5th grade to connect with old friends and make new friends. It will be a great preview of the Community's Kids small groups that meet Wednesday evenings during the school year; we encourage all kids to come and bring a friend! You'll get to enjoy all of the fun and faith that Community's Kid's small groups have to offer. See you there!

Family Movie Night / July 26th / 8:30pm

Bring your family and friends for a relaxing night, under the stars! Bring a blanket or chair, we'll provide the popcorn! The lawn will open at 8:30pm with the movie starting at dark. Keep an eye out on the Community's Kids Facebook page for any updates. In case of rain, movie will be held in the Multi-Ministry Room.

Busy Bee Bags

Busy Bee Bags are available for kids to use during services. Red bags are for older kids and blue bags are for younger kids. Please feel free to use these during services, however, Bee kind and return them along with all the contents back to the provided Busy Bag Tree. If you have items from these bags please return them as soon as possible.

For questions or more information contact: Erin Kerstetter, Director of Children's Ministries, at ekerstetter@communityumchurch.com



Don't Miss Out!
Pick Up A Flyer With All of Our Summer Events

Cheesy Movie Night - July 6th from 7-9pm at the church. Hotdogs & Popcorn

Fuel Mission Trip - July 8th through 15th

Park Night - July 20th at Oak Hollow Park from 7-9pm

Tubing Night - July 27th at Kerber's from 7-8:30pm Ice Cream Included!

Contact Scott Uhlinger, Director of Student Ministry:
Cell – 724-610-3037 or suhlinger@communityumchurch.com

The flowers on the Sanctuary Altar are placed
in honor and memory of our loving son Bob.
By Ed & Danna Burmeister

The flowers on the Sanctuary Altar are placed
In honor of Madison Nichols First Birthday.
With Love, Nana (Becky Brammell)

CUMC'S PERSON OF THE WEEK

Would you like to send a smile? Each week we will highlight our "Person Of The Week" whose name will be taken from our Nursing Home and Rehab Center listing. Wouldn't it be great to lift someone's spirits with a little note to say hello and they are being thought of?

Jessie Komara, St. Anne Home, 685 Angela Drive, Greensburg, PA 15601

CUMC Position Available / Toddler & Nursery Coordinator

We are growing our children's ministry team! Community Church is hiring for our Toddler & Nursery Coordinator position. This person will oversee our nursery care on weekends & Wednesdays throughout the year, and will also work alongside the Director of Children's Ministry to grow the ministry opportunities for God's youngest children & their families.

If you have a heart to serve these little ones, please contact Heather Dolhi at hdolhi@communityumchurch.com or 724-744-3413 by July 16th.

Discover Your Spiritual Gifts / July 14th & 15th / Ministry House
Discover your spiritual gifts, personal style, and God-given passion for serving in the body of Christ. Network will help you find your place of ministry that best reflects who they are. Join us on Friday evening July 14, 6-9pm and Saturday, July 15, 9am in the Ministry House for this seminar led by Jamie Caruso. For questions or to sign up contact Jamie at jamie.caruso@gmail.com.

Come aboard THE ARK...Noah's Kids at Community Church is hiring!
Before/After School Care Director opportunity available up to 30 hours/week. Degree in education or human service field plus experience/knowledge of DHS regulations required. Group Supervisor/Assistant Group Supervisor also needed. Contact ARKSupervisor@CommunityUMChurch.com for more information.

Stay Connected to Community Church This Summer
If your summer plans take you away from home, we hope you'll stay connected to Community Church wherever you may roam. You can catch up on sermons, news, upcoming events and even keep current on your giving just by going to our website. Visit www.communityumchurch.com to stay connected to Community Church! You can also follow us on Facebook (Community UM Church) or sign up for our weekly email announcements by contacting Katie Morgan at kmorgan@communityumchurch.com.

Community Ads and Sponsorships
Community Church would like to have a visible presence in our community. If you know of a community group or sports organization that is selling ad space, looking for sponsorships or perhaps donations for goodie bags, please contact Katie Morgan at kmorgan@communityumchurch.com or 724-446-1579.

Super Seniors / No July Meeting
Super Seniors will not be meeting in July due to the Fourth of July holiday. Members will be able to apply for property tax or rent rebates at our August 1st meeting.

United Methodist Women Cookbook Sale
The United Methodist Women's cookbook is hot off the press! Appetizers, Veggies, Main Dishes, Desserts...and This 'n That! Chalk full of sensational recipes dedicated to special folks and loved ones, what better gift for Mother's Day, a new bride, students graduating from college or for a friend just because? Purchase one as a treat for yourself and share the dishes with your small groups or someone in need. To get a copy of this tasty slice of our church's history and contribute to our new building, contact any of the following culinary experts: Veronica Wersing at VWersing59@gmail.com or 724-744-4887 after 5 p.m., Barbara Zelezniak at zturtle@verizon.net or Tracy Pasek at tpasek@rocketmail.com or 412-715-6810. Cost is 20.00 each. Yum!

Capital Campaign Update!

235
\$2,182,804.00
\$1,170,400.00

Cards Returned
Pledge Total
Total Given To Date

For information on giving, please contact Financial Secretary Melanie Barrett at mbarrett@communityumchurch.com or 724-392-4212.

If you have any questions, or if you would like to make a formal pledge to the capital campaign, please let us know. Feel free to talk to our pastors or staff about the best way to get involved.

Words of Encouragement For Pastor John
There are two books for notes for Pastor John, one in the Narthex in the Sanctuary and by the Multi-Ministry Room. These books are for anyone who would like to leave a special thought or note of encouragement for Pastor John. These books will be delivered to him sometime during his recovery.

It's Summer! Time For Camping!
Please keep the following camper in your prayers this week: June 25th - July 1st

Jumonville
Angelina Caruso Adventure Camp
Gabriella Caruso Adventure Camp

Community Church Family Pirate Game / August 17th / 7:05pm / PNC Park
All are welcome to come out to PNC Park for the fifth annual Faith Night on Thursday, August 17, and root for the Pirates as they play the St. Louis Cardinals at 7:05 p.m. Following the game, you'll relocate to sections 1-13 and 101-115 along the first base line to hear your favorite Pirate players and coaches share their personal experiences with how their faith has impacted both their lives and their careers in baseball specifically. Beginning June 18th Tickets can be purchased through the church and are \$10/ticket. Transportation is NOT provided but, carpooling is encouraged. Please contact Sue Nebinski at sue.nebinski@tui-pa.com or 412-780-0576 for tickets.

Summer Food Pantry Stock-Up
This summer the Food Pantry is looking to stock up on some specific items needed: applesauce, canned fruit (peaches, pears, pineapple, fruit cocktail), rice (white, brown or instant), mac & cheese, spaghetti, noodles, instant mashed potatoes. If you are able to donate, please leave items in the provided containers around the church.