

SERVING TODAY AT THE 8:30 AM SERVICE

Liturgist: Kyle Eisenhuth
Greeters: Brian & Karin Coiner Family
Acolytes: Morgan Spudy & Isaiah Francis
Organist: Kim Thoma Pianist: Linda Lorenz

SERVING TODAY AT THE 11:00 AM SERVICE

Liturgist: Becky Kochasic
Greeters: Neil & Pam French Family
Acolytes: Daniel Stones & Matthew Alaia
Organist: Kim Thoma Pianist: Linda Lorenz

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WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH
A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

As the apostle Paul reminds us in Ephesians (4:4-6), we come together as one body in the one Spirit, trusting in one hope through the one Lord Jesus Christ and the one God and Father of all. Welcome to worship!

MUSIC LEADING TO WORSHIP “People Need the Lord”

CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

• CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: Lord, thank You for being such a loving Father;

PEOPLE: *And for allowing us to be Your children.*

LEADER: You invite us into Life with You,

PEOPLE: *And fill us with life from You.*

LEADER: Teach us to love You with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength.

PEOPLE: *And help us to love others even as we love ourselves.*

• OPENING HYMN UMH # 61 “Come, Thou Almighty King”

• CENTERING PRAYER

Jesus, You came that we might have Life and have it to the full. And as part of that, You have surrounded us with others to share it. Thank You for the gift of family. Thank You for the gifts of friendship and fellowship. Help us do life well together, as we pray, play, work and worship. May Your love for us be expressed in our life with them. AMEN.

• SINGING IN RESPONSE UMH # 549 “Where Charity and Love Prevail”

Where charity and love prevail, there God is ever found; brought here together by Christ’s love, by love are we thus bound.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

INVITATION TO PRAYER UMH # 334 “Sweet, Sweet Spirit”

There’s a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it’s the Spirit of the Lord; there are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord. Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet Heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with Your love; and for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise; without a doubt we’ll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place.

PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE - THE LORD’S PRAYER

(You are invited to the altar rail to pray)

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

SPECIAL MUSIC “Holy Spirit” Pam Ramsey

SONG OF THANKSGIVING UMH # 66 v1 “Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven”

Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven, to the Throne thy tribute bring; ransomed healed, restored forgiven, evermore God’s praises sing. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.

BAPTISM Aaliyah Louise Span

THE MESSAGE

“I NEED You”

Luke 7:11-15

Pastor Rich Phipps

• SENDING HYMN UMH # 557 “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

• BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH

• CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE UMH # 66 “Shalom to You”

Shalom to you now, shalom my friends. May God’s full mercies bless you, my friends. In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

Lectionary Readings August 6, 2017

Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28; Psalm 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b (UMH 828); Romans 10:5-15; Matthew 14:22-33

- Please stand if able

~ Trouble Hearing the Service? Please ask an Usher for a Hearing Assist System device.

Connect Guides are available at the Welcome Center

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 August 13 - 19, 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
MONDAY	10:00am	Worship Team Meeting - Patterson Parlor
	6:00pm	Kids Sewing - Room 210
	7:00pm	Book Study - Fellowship Hall
TUESDAY	9:00am	Kids Sewing - Room 210
	9:15am	Leadership Meeting - Pastor John's Office
	12:30pm	Blackburn - Room 211
	6:00pm	Kids Sewing - Room 210
	7:00pm	Trustees Meeting - Room 209
WEDNESDAY	10:00am	Connectional Meeting - Room 210
	7:00pm	Emmaus Group - Multi-Ministry Room
	7:00pm	Finance Meeting - Patterson Parlor
THURSDAY	9:00am	Busy Hands Sewing - Patterson Parlor
	7:00pm	FM/Fuel - Pirate Game @ PNC
FRIDAY	6:00pm	Wedding Rehearsal - Sanctuary
SATURDAY	12:00pm	Current Set Up - Multi-Ministry Room
	3:00pm	Wedding - Sanctuary
	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

Back to School Block Party / August 26th / 4:00 pm

The calendar says summer, but we know that the first day of school is coming soon. Give summer one last blast with Community Church's Back to School Block Party on Saturday, August 26 beginning at 4 pm. If you know someone headed back to school this fall—students, teachers, aides, nurses, bus drivers, administrators, etc.—invite them to make plans to come for the fun and send summer out in style! We've got plans for face painting, bounce houses and yummy food....and so much more! When you've had your fill of fun and food, join us for worship by Community Church's worship team and a special message by guest speaker Anna Frye. Anna's lesson for the evening will be a blessing to everyone returning to school as well as to the families who love them! Make plans to bring your friends and neighbors—this rain or shine event is open to everyone!

Beyond The Walls / August 27th / Multi-Ministry Room / 10:45 am

Beyond the Walls 2017! The Bible challenges us to see beyond our needs to the needs of others. On Sunday, Aug 27, you will have a chance to be a doer of the Word by reaching out to our local community. Unless otherwise noted, we will meet in the MMR at 10:45 AM where you will join one of our outreach teams to go out and serve at local senior care centers, parks, Laurelville, and the Welcome Home shelter in Greensburg. Pick up an information sheet at the Welcome Center on your way out for additional details. Other services will meet as scheduled that weekend; you might want to plan to worship at a different service that weekend and serve with the Beyond the Walls teams. Brief coaching sessions will be held the weekend prior. Sign-up online to participate, or after services today. T-shirts can be ordered for \$5 ea. T-shirts will be distributed on Aug 19-20 after services. Contact Darlene Daverio at ddaverio104@comcast.net or via text/phone at 412-841-6666.

Community Central

We have something exciting coming...we need your correct email in order for you to access it. Community Central is a web-based program that Community Church will use for signing up for events and groups, sharing information, online giving and more! It is a great tool that will allow us to better connect with each other. If you've been receiving the weekly Coming to Community emails AND that is the email you'd like to use to access Community Central, you don't have to do a thing! We'll send you an activation email that you can use to access Community Central. If you haven't been receiving the weekly Coming to Community email, we don't have an email address that can access Community Central. Stop by a table outside the sanctuary or in the MMR to update your email address in our system. If you'd rather, send Katie Morgan (kmorgan@communityumchurch.com) an email with your updated information.

Disciple & Small Group Orientation & Communion / September 6th / 6:45pm

ALL participants in Disciple and small groups are invited to attend an orientation on Wednesday, September 6 at 6:45pm in the Sanctuary. We will have communion together, meet our leaders and other participants and pick up any books or materials needed for class. Be sure to sign up for groups at the weekend worship services on August 19 and 20. Contact Elizabeth Somes at ESomes@CommunityUMChurch.com or Dawn Dormire at JDormire@comcast.net for details.

Food Pantry News / Summer Distribution

You all have been doing such a great job filling our shelves! We are working with Family Outreach to schedule an end of summer food distribution. More details coming soon! In the meantime, we would like to collect some school supplies to include with this distribution. This month's shopping list is as follows: 1 or 1 1/2 inch binders, pencils, notebooks, filler paper, pocket folders, highlighters, markers, crayons, colored pencils, glue sticks, index cards, erasers. Please place items in the Food Pantry bins provided.

Dinners for Eight / Begins September 10th / Sign Up By August 31st

Join us for "Dinners for Eight"! Dinners for Eight is a dinner group for both couples and singles who are interested in getting to know other church members. On Sunday, September 10th we will meet between services and draw names to form our groups for the year. Each group will then have dinner together four times per year, one dinner in each group member's home. This is a social event that develops deeper relationships with other church members and may lead to wonderful, enduring friendships! Anyone interested in being involved should contact Lee Liermann at liermannl@comcast.net or 724-972-6046 by August 31st to enjoy "Dinners for Eight" for 2017!

Choir Picnic / August 24th / 6:00pm / Indian Lake Park

Do you love Jesus? Singing? Good Food? Join us for our annual Choir Picnic on Thursday, August 24th at Indian Lake Park in North Huntingdon. New singers welcome! For more information contact Keeley DeMartino at 724-713-5273.

MOPS Childcare Workers Needed

Our Mothers of Preschoolers group is in need of paid childcare workers for the school year. We meet every other Friday morning beginning September 8th. For more information, contact Daphne Zeigler at 724-674-1041 or DaphneZeigler@gmail.com.



Hospitals:
Allegheny General: Dave Paterline
Home: Bob Riley, Mary Repicky
Home Hospice: Charlotte Lipanovich

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

Nursing Homes / Rehab Centers:
Brookdale Murrysville: Tom Thomas
Golden Heights (Penn Twp.): John Dekret, Marcia Shaw
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, Tom McDowell

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:

Abt Family, Carol, Carole, Tom Curry, Dina, Carl Elko, Frank, Joseph Freyer, Robert Greene, James, Jim, Judy, Patty K, Lisa, Mary Linsebigler & Family, Paul Litzinger, Loretta M., Maureen, Will McKee & Family, Maureen Moriary & Family, Nina, Betty Otto, Dave Paterline, Jean R., Heather Russell, Bud & Elizabeth Tedrow, Carolyn Twigg

Week #2 - Anna, Amanda, Baughman Family, Ben, Brittany, Tina C., Chelsea, Christine, Cindy, Debra & Family, DePretto Family, Angelina & Brian Downs, Mike Elliot, Esther, Frank Filkosky, LeeAnn Grace, Jack, Jason, Jeff, Jerry, Joanne, Joe, Jordan, Judy, Barb Keffer, Kevin, Denise Leon, Lisa, Maryann, Matt, Senator John McCain, Josh Meehan & Family, Scott Miller, Mary Repicky, Mike Schar, Shan, Sharon, Tom Silvis, David Spillers, Tamy, Linda Wiehagen, Wobrak Family, Gemma Yorio, Zane

Week #3- Amy, Barb, Susan & Regis Byerly, Mark Cosco, Daniel Diebel, Michael Diebel, Eddie, Connie Gazze, Donna Gebrosky, George, Janie, Joe, Leah, Lucas, Scott & Denise Moats, Erin Myers, Dave Nolfi family, Paul, Paxton, Judah Pope, John Ryaby, Jim Sloan family, Susan, Tad Somes, Caleb Spillers family, Stephen, Therese, Morgan Yoney

Week #4 - Barb, Leora Cumberland, Daniel, Sean Downs, Erin, Frank, Tony G., Britta Hadden, Judy, Karen, Bill Kidd, Reg Legge, Mark, Matt, Dawn McWilliams, Melina, Mike, Tim Penska, Ruth Saunders, Stan, Todd Strueve, Toni, President Trump, Mike Wattay, Gov. Wolf, Ron Zubasic

Fellow Churches - Pray for our brothers and sisters at Manor United Presbyterian Church - Manor
Pray for God's blessings on their ministry.

CONNECT CARD

August 12 & 13, 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.

NEW COMMUNITY'S KIDS EXPERIENCE IS COMING! STAY TUNED FOR DETAILS!

Small Groups / Begins September 6th / 6:45 pm - 8:15pm

Wednesdays from 6:45-8:15pm. Beginning September 6th for kids in kindergarten-5th grade. Having church friends is important for kids as they navigate their way through elementary school! At small groups, kids will strengthen those relationships while they grow in faith, through fun games & activities, and fun ways of merging scripture with their every day. This year's focus will be on prayer. We will introduce kids to lots of different forms of prayer, and these young prayer warriors will learn that there's no wrong way to talk to God!

JOYFUL NOISE / Begins September 10th / 9:30am

Praise God through music in our children's choir! Kids in kindergarten – 5th grade will lift their voices to the heavens in joyful noise. This group will meet Sundays from 9:30-10:30am, beginning September 10th. Special appearances in adult worship & in other events will take place throughout the year.

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



LIKE The Community's Kids Facebook Page! Get Updates on Kids Ministries!



It's August Already!? Don't Miss Out on the Last of Our Summer Events

Aug. 17th – Pirate Game @ PNC Park
Aug. 26th – Back to School Block Party

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

The flowers on the Sanctuary Altar are placed to the glory of almighty God
and in honor of Philip Kochasic's Birthday.

Also, in honor of Steve & Becky's 34th Wedding Anniversary.
Love, The Kochasic Family

The flowers on the Sanctuary Altar are placed in loving memory of
Kathy McDowell on her Birthday, August 12th.
By Tom McDowell

Congratulations to Christopher and Amy Span
on the baptism of their daughter, Aaliyah Louise Span,
at the 11:00am Sunday Traditional Service.

Congratulations to Jean Eileen Camp and her son Austin Matthew Camp
on their baptisms at the 10:45am Sunday Current Service.

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?

Tom Thomas, Brookdale Murrysville, 5300 Old William Penn Hwy., Export, PA 15632

United Methodist Women Meeting / September 11th / 7:00pm / Multi-Ministry Room
Welcome back! September is upon us and the United Methodist Women would like to invite you to their next meeting on Monday, September 11th at 7 PM in the MMR. Hostesses: Becky Oblak and Diane Simmons. Looking forward to seeing everyone again. Please join us and bring a friend – all women of the church are included!

Fall This N' That Sale / September 23rd / 9am-2pm / Multi-Ministry Room
It's that time again! Our "Fall" This n' That Sale will be held on Saturday, September 23rd. The sale is from 9 AM to 2 PM and will be held in the multi-ministries room. Please save all your unwanted, usable items (WE WILL NOT BE COLLECTING ANY CLOTHING THIS TIME), and bring to the church during the week of September 17th. Items will be accepted that are in good, usable condition. Please NO TIRES, MATTRESSES, COMPUTERS OR TELEVISIONS. Large items such as furniture will be accepted on set up days, Thursday evening, September 21st and Friday, September 22nd. All church members are invited to come out and help with this event. A bake sale and lunch will be available for purchase. Please call the church office for further info. Proceeds benefit the various mission projects that we support.

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.

Parenting Teens Seminar / September 23rd / 1:30-4:30pm / Ingomar UMC
Learn how to be intentional about parenting teens. Duffy Robbins will help us understand teenage development in 2017 and how we can pass on our legacy of faith to them. Seminar will be held on Saturday, September 23rd from 1:30 to 4:30pm at the Ingomar UMC, 1501 W Ingomar Rd., Pittsburgh. Advance admission is \$10, admission at the door is \$15. Register at 222.wpaumc.org/Youth. For more information contact Amanda Gilligan at 724-776-2300 ext. 224 or Amanda.gilligan@wpaumc.org.

Family Autism Retreat / September 22-24th / Jumonville Camp
Jumonville Camp will hold a Family Autism Retreat September 22-24th. This weekend retreat allows families of children living with autism to enjoy a mountaintop experience that will combine coveted parental free time with an opportunity for quality family time. Hope is provided through time of worship, rest and relaxation in a safe Christian setting capable of caring for children with Autism. All ages are welcome! Registration deadline is September 15th. Register at <https://jumonville.org/autism-family-registration/>

Building News
So far the scope of the construction activity has been in preparation of work to come. After some administrative delays related to permitting, we are thrilled to share that we have received a conditional permit to begin working! We are SO excited! Now we can begin the work that falls under this permit until the full permit is received. This means you'll be seeing and hearing a lot more activity in the coming weeks.

You've probably noticed by now that the entrance doors by the office are no longer accessible—the only entrance to our building is now the glass doors by the elevators. Please be aware that the temporary wooden walkways have been built for emergency exit purposes only. Please do not use those entrances.

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.

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. 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.

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!

Capital Campaign Update!

235
\$2,182,804.00
\$1,246,573.32

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.

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