

WELCOME TO COMMUNITY CHURCH

A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

*We worship in the name of God, the Maker of heaven and earth;
Jesus, the Messiah who teaches us how to serve others; and the Holy Spirit,
counselor, comforter, cultivator of faith. Amen.*

MUSIC LEADING TO WORSHIP “Sing A Happy Song”

CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **CALL TO WORSHIP**

LEADER: Our God is a mighty God, powerful and glorious,

PEOPLE: *Come, let’s wonder at His mighty deeds!*

LEADER: Our God is our Rock and Fortress, our Comforter and Protector,

PEOPLE: *Come, let’s learn of His love!*

LEADER: Our God is Creator and Redeemer, He is powerful and kind,

PEOPLE: *Come, let us worship our God!*

- **OPENING HYMN UMH # 73 vv 1-4 “O Worship the King”**

- **CENTERING PRAYER**

Lord, You are full of majesty and grace. And as the early church did from their earliest days, we gather to worship You. Open our minds to study Your Word. Open our mouths to sing Your praise. Open our hearts to serve those in need. Give us a hunger for You and a thirst for Your goodness. Fan into flame a passion in us for Your ways. Teach us to follow You and to lead others to You. In the forever Name of Jesus we pray. AMEN.

- **SINGING IN RESPONSE UMH # 73 v 5 “O Worship the King”**

*Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
in Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail;
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.*

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

INVITATION TO PRAYER UMH # 420 vv 1-2 “Breathe On Me, Breath of God”

*Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew,
that I may love what Thou dost love, and do what Thou wouldst do.
Breathe on Me, Breath of God, until my heart is pure,
until with Thee I will one will, to do and to endure.*

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 “Loyal” Beka Cooper

SONG OF THANKSGIVING UMH # 66 v2 “Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

THE MESSAGE

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Acts 2:42-47 pew Bible, NT p 120

Pastor Rich Phipps

- **SENDING HYMN UMH # 419 vv 1-3 “I Am Thine, O Lord”**

- **BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH**

- **CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE UMH # 419 v 4 “I Am Thine, O Lord”**

*There are depths of love that I cannot know till I cross the narrow sea;
there are heights of joy that I may not reach till I rest in peace with Thee.
Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, to the cross where Thou hast died.
Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, to Thy precious, bleeding side.*

Lectionary Readings August 20, 2017

Genesis 45:1-15; Psalm 133 (UMH 850); Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32; Matthew 15:(10-20) 21-28

- Please stand if able

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The psalmist invites us to “seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually” (Psalm 105:4). May you sense the Lord’s presence here and throughout your days. Welcome.

MUSIC LEADING TO WORSHIP “Life’s Railway to Heaven”

CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

• CALL TO WORSHIP *-Adapted from Isaiah 55:6-11*

ONE: Seek the Lord while the Lord may be found.

ALL: ***We call upon God who is near to us.***

ONE: Let the wicked abandon their way of life.

ALL: ***Let those who are evil change their way of thinking.***

ONE: May all people return to God who is merciful.

ALL: ***The Lord longs to forgive and restore us.***

ONE: God's thoughts are different from ours; they surpass anything we might think.

ALL: ***God's ways are not like ours; they are beyond what we could imagine.***

ONE: The Lord's words never return void but always accomplish their purposes.

ALL: ***God's word is everlasting. May it take root and grow in us. AMEN!***

• OPENING HYMN UMH # 733 “Marching to Zion”

• PRAYING TOGETHER

O God, you call us to follow Jesus Christ, to be disciples. As we meet this morning we ask that you help us learn how we may more fully do this. Help us as we worship to more fully understand who Jesus was, and is. Help us learn from the witness of others to faithfully follow Jesus. AMEN!

• AFFIRMING OUR FAITH

We believe that we are the light of the world.

We believe we should let our light shine before others, so that they may see our good works and give glory to our Father in heaven.

We believe that our love should be genuine.

We believe that we should hate what is evil, and that we should hold fast to what is good.

We believe that if we live by the Spirit, we should also be guided by the Spirit.

We believe we should not become conceited, compete against one another, or envy one another.

We believe that we are God's chosen ones.

We believe that we should clothe ourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience.

We believe that we are called to live lives that are self-controlled, upright, and godly, while we wait for the blessed hope and the manifestation of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ. This we believe!

• SINGING IN RESPONSE UMH # 159 v 4 “Lift High the Cross”

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim till all the world adore his sacred name. So shall our song of triumph ever be: Praise to the Crucified for victory! Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim till all the world adore his sacred name.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT Change for Uganda

SHARING OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

PREPARING TO PRAYER UMH # 128 v1 “He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought

He leadeth me: O blessed thought! O words with heavenly comfort fraught!

What e’re I do, where e’re I be, still ‘tis God’s hand that leadeth me.

He leadeth me, he leadeth me, by his own hand he leadeth me;

His faithful follower I would be, for by his hand he leadeth me.

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 “What A Friend We Have in Jesus/Hallelujah”

Keeley DiMartino & Annie McCoy

SONG OF THANKSGIVING UMH # v 140 Chorus “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed Thy hand hath provided; great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

THE MESSAGE “There Came A Day ...” Pastor John Ciampa

Matthew 16: 21-28 Pew Bible, New Testament, Page 18

SENDING HYMN UMH # 454 vv 1&2 “Open My Eyes, That I May See”

(You are invited to the altar rail to pray)

• BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH

• CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE UMH # 454 v3 “Open My Eyes, That I May See”

Open my mouth and let me bear gladly the warm truth everywhere;

Open my heart and let me prepare love with thy children thus to share.

Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see.

Open my heart, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Lectionary Readings August 27, 2017

~~Exodus 1:8-2:10; Psalm 124 (UMH 846); Romans 12:1-8; Matthew 16:13-20~~

- Please stand if able

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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

3rd Grade Bibles

- ☐ Please reserve a bible for my child.

Parent Name:

Email:

Child Name:

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 27 - September 2, 2017

SUNDAY	8:30am	Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
	9:30am	Current Worship Team Rehearsal - MMR
	9:45am	Missions Team Meeting - Ministry House
	9:45am	Small Groups Leaders Meeting - P. Parlor
	10:45am	Beyond The Walls - Multi-Ministry Room
	11:00am	Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
	2:00pm	MOPS Leadership Meeting - Patterson Parlor
	7:00pm	Community Ringers Rehearsal
MONDAY	10:00am	Worship Team Meeting - Patterson Parlor
	7:00pm	Church Council Meeting - Patterson Parlor
TUESDAY	No Events Scheduled	
WEDNESDAY	10:00am	Connectional Meeting - Patterson Parlor
THURSDAY	9:00am	Busy Hands Sewing - Patterson Parlor
	1:00pm	Blackburn - Ministry House
	7:00pm	Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
FRIDAY	8:00am	MMR Reserved - Retired Pastors Meal
	Wedding	Rehearsal - Sanctuary
SATURDAY	12:00pm	Current Set Up
	3:30pm	Wedding - Sanctuary
	6:00pm	Current Worship Service - Multi-Ministry Rm
	7:30pm	Worship Team - Ministry House

Please Note Deadline Information:

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

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@ www.communityumchurch.com



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Announcements and Upcoming Events

Disciple & Small Groups

There is still time to sign up for small groups. Please pick up a yellow brochure listing all of our fall opportunities and use the form included. 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. Contact Elizabeth Somes at ESomes@CommunityUMChurch.com or Dawn Dormire at JDormire@comcast.net for details.

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. Or send Katie Morgan (kmorgan@communityumchurch.com) an email with your updates.

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!

F.E.A.S.T. is Coming! / September 13th / NEW Time! 3:30pm to 6:30pm

Hey Friends...are you hungry for some food and fellowship? If so, mark your calendars...FEAST will be returning on Wednesday, September 13. We will be serving delicious homecooked meals between 3:30 and 6:30 p.m. every Wednesday. The cost is \$6.00. The menu for September is as follows: September 13 ~ Soup & Salad Bar, September 20 ~ Spaghetti, Meatballs, Salad & Garlic Toast, September 27 ~ Roasted Chicken Sandwich, French Fries & Gravy

Acolyte Training / September 17th / 9:45am / Sanctuary
Kids 3rd grade and up can join us to learn the meaning & importance of this traditional worship role, and become a part of the Acolyte team! Email Carol Decker to sign up il1101297@gmail.com

3rd Grade Bibles / October 1st
On Sunday, October 1st, we will honor our third graders with a presentation of their own Bibles! If you have a third grader, please fill out the Connect Card and let us know, or email Erin Kerstetter at ekerstetter@communityumchurch.com by September 20th.

Food Pantry Fabulousness! / Summer Distribution
We have had such an overwhelming response to our requests for donations that our pantry was getting quite full. And that food doesn't do anyone any good just sitting on the shelves. So, on Monday, August 21, we distributed food, backpacks, and school supplies to 42 families! Please continue to support this amazing ministry. The shopping list for the remainder of August is as follows: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Cream of Wheat, and Oatmeal.

United Methodist Women Meeting / September 11th / 7:00pm / Multi-Ministry Room
Welcome back! September is almost 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. Sherry Anderson from Feeding the Spirit will be our speaker. 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 invited!

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.

In Need of Garden Therapy?
If you enjoy getting your hands into the dirt and can spare an hour or two, please contact Deb MacAllister at 724-744-3413 or dmacallister@communityumchurch.com to assist with weeding the islands and landscaped areas around the church and at the Ministry House. It's a nice opportunity to think, pray and meditate as we care for the Lord's house.

Meals On Wheels
Did you know that Community Church serves as a volunteer pick up point for Meals on Wheels? Without these volunteers, many people in our area would not receive this vital service of meals every day. Would you be interested in helping to deliver meals once a month? Meals on Wheels is in need of someone for the fourth Tuesday of every month. Please call Marlene at 724-523-5059.

 **Hospitals:**
Allegheny General: Dave Paterline
Home: Bob Riley
Home Hospice: Charlotte Lipanovich

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, 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:

Amy, Vinnie Bacco, Louis Costanza, Eridan, Erin, Frank, Connie Gazze, George, Joe, Julie Kovacs, Pat Lander, Liz, Sam Mack, Max, Mike, Erin Myers, Dave Nolfi & Family, Burnice Platt, Yvonne & Charles Rady, Caleb Spillers & Family, Jean Spillers, Terese, Toni, Tony, Joe Wareham

Week #2 - Angelina, Anna, Bill, Ursula Cumberland, Casey, Grills Family, India, Jamie, Judy, Karen, Kathy, Bill Kidd, , Allen Kovak, Reg Legge, Agnes Leonard, Wade Logan, Max, Eric & Maria McElrath, Dawn McWilliams, Melody, Bob Miller, Milton, Nick, North Korea Leader, Tracy Pasek, Mark Regalla, Tom Silvis, Tony, Mike Wattay, Wenzle, Matt Wilson, Ron Zubasic

Week #3- 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 #4 - 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

Fellow Churches - Pray for our brothers and sisters at
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church - Irwin
Pray for God's blessings on their ministry.

CONNECT CARD

August 26 & 27, 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.

We are growing our children's ministry team!

Community Church is hiring Toddler & Nursery caregivers. Ideal candidates will love snuggling babies, building with blocks and enjoy sharing the love of Jesus with kiddos birth- 3 years old. Available weekly paid positions include Wednesday and Saturday evenings as well as Sunday mornings. Qualified candidates will 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 shoyman@communityumchurch.com or 724 953 2432.

COMMUNITY'S KIDS EXPERIENCE / September 10th / 8:30 & 11:00am

Kids in preschool through 5th grade will experience Jesus in a whole new way on Sunday mornings at 8:30am and 11:00am. We will worship together, break into small groups, then join together at the end to send out. Are you interested in being a part of this Experience as a part of our leadership team? Become an Investor! There are many ways adults can get involved. Opportunities include: Greeter, Worship Leader, or leading or helping with each age group in small groups. Contact Erin Kerstetter for details.

Small Groups / 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!

Preschool Small Group is Returning! / September 6th / 6:45pm - 8:15pm

Starting September 6th, your little ones are invited to join us Wednesday nights 6:45-8:15pm for preschool small group. We will read and act out Bible stories, create crafts, and make music. Children will also be invited to sing in a worship service once a month as a part of our new preschool choir, the Treble Makers. Open to all potty-trained preschoolers. Contact Keeley DiMartino at kdimartino@communityumchurch.com

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. 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. Contact Keeley DiMartino at kdimartino@communityumchurch.com

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



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Student Ministry:
Cell – 724-610-3037 or suhlinger@communityumchurch.com

September 17th - 5:30-7:30pm

September 17th - 6:30-8:30pm

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The flowers on the Sanctuary Altar are placed in celebration of 21 years!
Happy Anniversary, Jim Turcovski!

With love from Dawn (and children - Derek, Justin & Jordyn)

The flowers on the Sanctuary Altar are placed to the glory of almighty God and in honor of our mother and grandmother, Pat Sevick, on her 79th Birthday.

All our love, Steve, Becky, Nicole, Natalie, Nia & Rosilyn

The flowers in the Sanctuary hallway are placed to celebrate Sandy & Rollie Sims' 60th Wedding Anniversary.
Also, in memory of what would have been their son, David's 59th Birthday.

The rose on the altar is placed to congratulate Jim & Samantha Wohlmacher on the birth of their daughter, Jenna Jeanne Wohlmacher.
Proud grandparents John & Sandy Steele.

We express our Christian love and sympathy to John Berg and family on the death of John's sister, Adeline Allison.

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?

Donna Anger, William Penn Care, 2020 Ader Road, Jeannette, PA 15644

Thursday Morning Work Crew

Many thanks to the Thursday Morning Work Crew for the wonderful job they did replacing the ceiling tiles and grid in the Ministry House basement. It looks very professional. If you're interested in assisting this great group of guys, consider joining them Thursday mornings between 9 am and noon. Contact Deb MacAllister at 724-744-3413 or dmacallister@communityumchurch.com for more information. If Thursdays aren't an option, consider joining the Saturday Morning Crew for a similar ministry. Contact Bob Hengstenberg for more information.

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.

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

Work at church is full steam ahead! In fact, there will be work done on Saturdays to make up some time. We are thankful for their willingness to keep this project moving! Work in Fellowship Hall continues, including the installation of structural headers and installing temporary windows. There will also be a structural header in Room 110. You'll notice that they've begun excavation in the courtyard for the new classrooms and office suite. All of this work is being done prior to The Ark beginning its school year so we can ensure a great learning environment for the kiddos.

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

\$1,262,360.72

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.