July 27, 2025 – ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Service Assistance:

*Ask an usher if you need hearing-enhancement headsets, footrests, large-print bulletins, hymnals, or Bibles. *Braille bulletins are available upon request--Please order by Thursday before worship.

Welcome Visitors!

Everyone is welcome at Christ UMC, and we are grateful you're here. Please accept a small gift from our Outreach Team! If you'd like more information about Christ UMC or are interested in becoming a member, contact the church office at 970-226-2341.

Adult Sunday School has begun a new study from Max Lucado entitled "The Checkered Heart." The study follows the journey of young David, a shepherd, chosen to provide King Saul with harp music (to relax his troubled soul). The story then follows David as he hides from King Saul for many years until David's crowning as King. Join us for this interesting study on Sunday mornings in Room 107 from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. as Lucado provides us with great background for each session to put us right there with David on his journey! Sue Ptacek 970-218-8701.

Children's and Youth Sunday School: Sunday School is out for the summer, and we will start again the Sunday after Labor Day.

Monday 9:30 a.m. Bible Study: The Monday Morning Bible Study is a Monday Morning Hymn Study during this summer. The group meets at 9:30 a.m. in the choir room downstairs. Select hymns from "The Faith We Sing" become more memorable and meaningful as we read, sing, pray, and chant. All are welcome.

Seekers Bible Study: Will be on summer break until September.

Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study (2nd & 4th Tuesday, 2:00 p.m.): In August, the Tuesday afternoon Bible Study will continue the study: <u>Questions God Asks Us</u> by Trevor Hudson. God wants to enter a conversation with us, His children, and the questions He poses in the Bible draw us into a deeper sharing and intimacy with Him. Come join us on August 12th & 26th at 2:00 p.m. in the Lounge for interesting insights and a discussion. Contact Carma at Mynacee@aol.com for materials.

Fried Chicken Sunday: Hello everyone! August 3rd is scheduled for a Holy & Hilarious event. We invite everyone to join in the fun. There will be fried chicken, side dishes and rolls enough to feed all who sign up. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex where you can let us know you will join us. We want to be sure to have enough food for everyone. Don't worry about anything! Just come, enjoy and have fun as we fellowship together. We hope to see you there! And, as a side note, the communion service will have a fun twist as well. Don't miss out!



THANKS to everyone who volunteered for the FFH rotation in June. CUMC along with our support churches provided 44 volunteers and approximately 269 hours of service. All the churches did a GREAT job filling all the slots and a SUPER job in using the new sign-in/sign-out process. The QR code was used for ~80% of the entries and about ~75% of the volunteers used the code. Your dedication and flexibility are indispensable. Please remember the families and other volunteers in your prayers, and may God bless you. We look forward to serving with you during our next rotation, the week of 10/19. Nathalee & Kendra



Interested in volunteering for Children's Message? Contact Cori Rice at childrensministriescumc@gmail.com for more information!

Do you have a prayer request? You can share your joys or concerns by putting your request in the prayer box in the narthex or by emailing the church office (info@cumc-fc.org). Be sure to use this email address when corresponding with the office.

Church Office Hours are (M-F) 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. The office will be closed from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Website: Do you have a church event you want to include on the church website or Facebook page? Please email Janis and Jessie at info@cumc-fc.org.

Bulletin announcement deadline: Tuesday at noon of the week you want included.

Newsletter deadline: Articles for the newsletter are due on the third Monday of each month.

Offering: Please know that whatever gifts you can share are appreciated as we grow as Christ UMC. Thank you!

Meetings/Events this week:

Church Office Hours (M-F): 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Morning Glory Preschool (M-F): 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. (School is out for the summer)

Adult Sunday School: Sunday 8:45 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. in room 107

Children's Sunday School: Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. (Sunday School is out for the summer and we will start again the

Sunday after Labor Day; Child Care is available) Worship Service: Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time: Sunday 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Joyful Noise Belles: Sunday 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. in room 106 Bible Study: Monday 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. in choir room

Church Council Meeting: Monday 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. via Zoom