COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MAY 27, 2018 TRINITY SUNDAY

<u>Entrance</u>

WELCOME / LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE / LIGHT OF CHRIST

OPENING PRAYER

VIDEO

<u>CALL TO WORSHIP</u> (please stand as you are able)

litany from the book of worship for United States Forces (1974) L) Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth with all its chartered liberties. For all the wonder of our country's story.

P) We give you thanks O God

L) For leaders in nation and state, and for those who in days past and in these present times have labored for the commonwealth.

C) People give you thanks, O God.

L) For those who in all times and places have been true and brave, and in the worlds common ways have lived upright lives and ministered to their fellows.

C) We give you thanks, O God.

L) For those who served their country in its hour of need, and especially for those who gave even their lives in that service.

C) We give you thanks, O God.

L) O almighty God and most merciful Father, as we remember these Your servants, remembering with gratitude their courage and strength, we hold before you those who mourn them. Look upon your bereaved servants with your mercy. As this day brings them memories of those they have lost awhile, may it also bring your consolation and the assurance that their loved ones are alive now and forever in your living presence.

ALL) AMEN

OPENING PRAISE SONG - America the Beautiful (PB)

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

O God, you are the hope of the ends of the earth, the God of the spirits of all flesh. Hear our humble intercession for all races and families on earth, that you will turn all hearts to yourself. Remove from our mins hatred, prejudice, and contempt for those who are not of our own race or color, class or creed, that, departing from everything that estranges and divides, we may by you be brought into unity of spirit, in the bond of peace. AMEN SCRIPTURE - John 14:27, 15:13, 8:31-36, Psalm 34:18, 46:9, Galatians 5:13-15

SERMON - "Don't Call Me a Hero"

PRAISE SONG - Battle Hymn of the Republic

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/PASTORAL PRAYER

RETURNING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Music & Collection and Presentation of our Gifts *Dedicating our Gifts and our Service to God's Glory *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.* *Offertory Prayer

Thanksgiving and/or Communion

<u>PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING</u> - Look graciously, O Lord, upon this land. Where it is in pride, subdue it. Where it is in need, supply it. Where it is in default, restore it. And where it holds to that which is just and compassionate, support it. Amen

Sending Forth

CLOSING PRAISE SONG- Days of Elijah (PB)

BENEDICTION

- Community Blessing Majesty, Worship his Majesty (UMH #176)
- Postlude -

<u>Abbreviations</u> UMH = Hymnal (blue) PB = Praise Songbook (black)

• Indicates to please stand as you are able

COUNTING SCHEDULE

4TH SUNDAY - Amber Bernshausen & Denny Hayford Sub counters are; Steve Thomas, Roger Thomas, Denny Hayford, Cristy Lane, Brody Bernshausen, Lee Lacey

LOOKING AHEAD

June 5th - Trustee Mtg. June 10th - Confirmation Sunday June 12th - Finance Mtg. June 19th - FMF Mtg. June 24 - Service in the Park

EMMANUEL'S WAREHOUSE

Everyone including Sunday School kids are encouraged to bring soap and non-perishable food items for Emmanuel's Warehouse. Please place donations in the baskets, placed at each entrance.

SERVICE IN THE PARK

As everyone knows, on Sunday May 6th Pastor Greg announced that he will be leaving CUMC July 1st and has taken an Associate Position in Danville III., June 24th will be his last Sunday service. The SPRC committee and Pastor have decided it would be nice to hold service in the park, across the street from the church that morning. We will be providing lunch afterwards, so you can enjoy some fellowship with him before he goes. Please bring lawn chairs. *If it rains we will be at the church.*

MEMORIAL FLOWER BED

As spring and summer are upon us, the back gardens of the church and parsonage are in need of maintenance. For many years some areas have been funded by families in memory of a loved one. This is not the case now for the back beds; as trustees we are always trying to keep the church looking beautiful. We are asking for financial assistance so we may keep the beauty of them up. They are in need of some mulch and TLC. If you would like to donate to the flower beds please mark your envelope and place in the offering plate. If you are interested in helping with the weeding please let us know. Thank you, ~Trustees

UNSTUCK CHURCH

There was an email sent out to you this week that we had forwarded, from the District Superintendent Mary Kathryn Pearce regarding the book "The Unstuck Church". This deals with the ministry plan for our church. On Wednesday mornings at 10:30 we will be discussing the book and helping with the ministry plan for the coming year. If you would like to be a part of the discussion, the books are \$12, please come and join us.

PRAYER MEETING

During the summer we will be holding a prayer meeting on Thursday afternoons at 1:00, starting June 3rd. Please come join us as we pray.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Beginning June 3 we will be holding a Ladies Bible study over the summer, in the Chapel on Sunday mornings from 9:00-9:45 am. It will be from Pricilla Shirer's book "Discerning the Voice of God". If you would like to join in and want a book ordered, please call the office. They are \$10.



Wed.	Morning Bible Study	10:30 am
Wed.	Praise Band Rehearsal	6:30 pm
Thurs.	Bible Study at the Howard's	6:30 pm

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAYGREETERSJudy & Larry WhitehouseHEAD USHERSJudy & Larry WhitehouseACCOMPANISTSusan FrankSONG LEADERPraise BandLITURGISTDiana BudkeSPEAKERJan AndersonACOLYTESImage: Constraint of the second s



Prayer Requests:Community Members who are serving in the armed forces:D.J. BridgemanJames BridgemanMark HeyungsHannah Burks Foose

Other Requests

Trevor Hayden	Bob & Pat Smith	Uhl & Brenda Boss
Nelson Caulkins	Sara & Denny Hayden	John Arnold
Audrey Calukins	Don Christensen Carol Ziegenbein	Gordon Bauer
	Carol Llogolibelli	

Committee Chairs

Brody Bernshausen Diana Budke	Church Council Chair Staff-Parish Relations Chair	620-1053 369-3534
Denny Hayford	Trustees Chair	840-2327
Patia Picken	Worship Chair	229-7624

Inclement weather:

Due to inclement weather conditions if church service has to be cancelled we will have cancellation information posted on the Website, Facebook, and on Channels 25 & 31 news, it will also be on the church answering machine. If you still have any questions please contact the Church Council chair. (Brody Bernshausen)

Video monitoring:

If you have to leave the worship service, for any reason, you can continue to view the service via the monitoring system in the nursery.

Worship Attendance May 20	
Budget each week:	\$ 3,017
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Year To Date funds received: (Includes Fund Raising & campaigns)	\$ 62,453
Year To Date Budget:	\$ 63,357

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