

**SUNDAY, August 6, 2017**  
**Ninth Sunday After Pentecost**  
**Love God · Love People · Grow**

Greetings/Announcements  
 Prelude

**Call to Worship\***

*Leader* We have come to hear and to see the mighty works of God,  
**People** **The one true God, creator of heaven and earth.**  
*Leader* We have come to hear the story of Jesus Christ,  
**People** **God in the flesh, who was crucified, whom God raised from the dead.**  
*Leader* We have come to be empowered by the Holy Spirit,  
**People** **The presence of God in our lives, in which we move and live and have our being.**

**Hymn\*** **Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain** **UMH 315**  
 Children's Sermon

**Offering Prayer**  
 Offertory *Heavenly Sunshine* arr. Hayes  
 Stephanie Duffney, Soprano

**Doxology\*** **Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow** **UMH 95**

**Hymn\*** **He Is Exalted** **TFWS 2070**

Affirmation of Faith *Apostle's Creed* UMH 881

Anthem *When The Day Comes* by Albrecht and  
 Stephanie Duffney & David Springstead, soloist Althouse

Sermon and Scripture *"Empowered" - Part 1* Rev. Brain Boettcher

Invitation, Confession, and Pardon  
**Passing the Peace\***

**Communion**

**Great Thanksgiving**  
**The Lord's Prayer**  
 Giving of the Bread and Cup

**Hymn\*** **See How Great a Flame Aspires** **UMH 541**

Benediction and Postlude\*

Hymnal Helps: UMH (red) United Methodist Hymnal - #s below 1000  
 TFWS (black) The Faith We Sing - #s above 2000  
**Bold = Congregation** / \*Stand as you are able.

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 Liturgist Rev. Matt Meisenhelter  
 Head Usher Paul Steele (8:30) and Phil Meekins Jr. (11:00)  
 Children's Sermon David Springstead Sr.

**THANK YOU** Chris Stauffer and family wish to thank the members and staff of CUMC for all their thoughts, prayers, food, and remembrances of Mel Stauffer. Mel loved his church and looked forward to Sunday attendance at morning worship and service to the Fellowship Class.

**THANK YOU** to the 120 volunteers of all ages and many generations who packed 12,600 meals in less than 2 hours!

**THE CHOIR** music this week is sponsored by Joyce Connor and daughters to the glory of God and in memory of Basil E. Connor.

**ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:**

Sunday 8:30 Traditional Worship	111
Sunday 9:45 Modern Worship	75
Sunday 11:00 Traditional Worship	<u>139</u>
Total Worship Attendance	289
 Sunday School	 128

**Pastor Brian (757) 615-6192 will be the primary pastor on call the weekend of August 12 & 13. Pastor Matt (703) 819-0687 will also be available. Stephen Ministers are available for prayer at all services on Sunday mornings by asking an usher.**

**PRAYER MAIL:** [prayermail@cumcvb.org](mailto:prayermail@cumcvb.org)

**CONGREGATIONAL CARE CONCERNS –**

Harbor Edge	Clarence and Dolores Fentress
Lake Taylor Rehab	Marilu Temple
Marian Manor	Wanda Ives
Princess Anne Rehab	Annie Laurie Broadwell

**RESTING AT HOME:** Pete Rice, Scott Fenton

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS** are due by noon, Tues., to [cumc@cumcvb.org](mailto:cumc@cumcvb.org). Please limit your announcement to 3 lines and 3 weeks, specifying dates for publication.

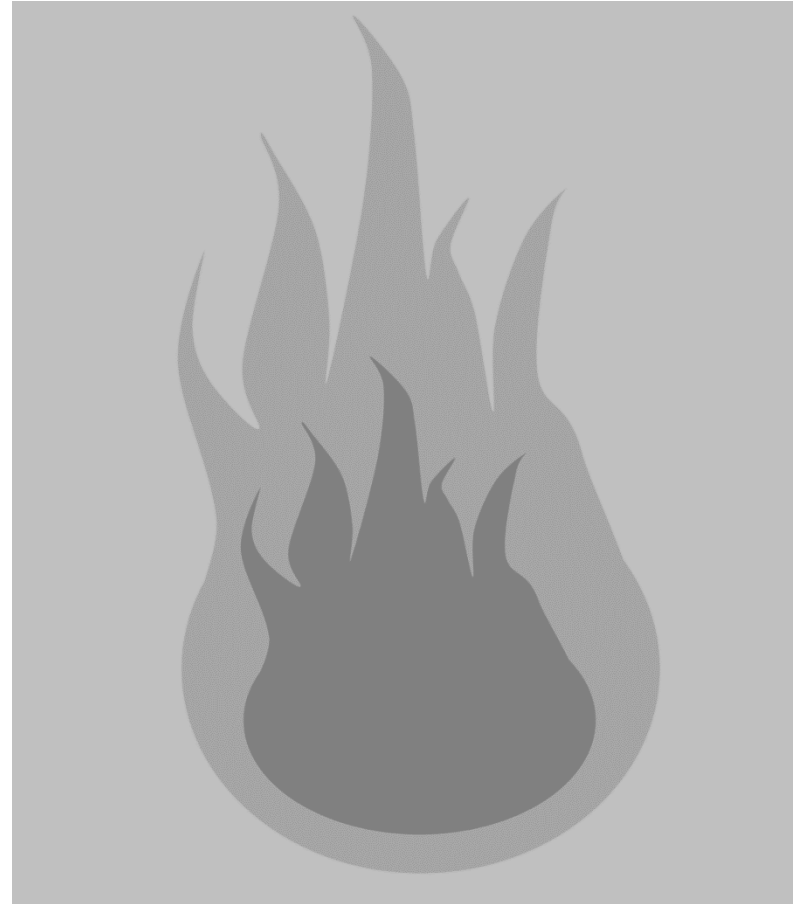
**POWER POINT REQUESTS** - All persons requiring power point presentations, especially for worship services, should submit information to the office by the previous Wed. morning. Questions? Drop us a line at [worshipleader@cumcvb.org](mailto:worshipleader@cumcvb.org).

**STEPHEN MINISTRY** — Stephen Ministers are members of our congregation who have received extensive training to provide confidential, one-to-one Christian care to people going through a difficult time or life challenge. They will listen, encourage, pray, and offer caring support as long as the need persists. This free, confidential ministry is available to anyone (age 18+) in our area. If someone you know is hurting, learn more about Stephen Ministry care by contacting Sue Elliker (575-1749 or [selliker@cox.net](mailto:selliker@cox.net)) or Rebecca Ellis (630-0773). Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care!

**CHURCH STAFF**

Senior Pastor  
Associate Pastor  
Director of Music  
Worship Leader  
Dir. of Program Ministries  
Organist/Orchestra  
Treasurer/Admin. Assoc.  
Facilities Manager  
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Our Missionaries

Rev. Matthew A. Meisenhelter  
Brian Boettcher  
Dr. Martha Springstead  
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Mary Letson  
Julie Chapman  
Floyd Pilley  
Pamela Alexander  
Melissa Snow  
Miranda Seligman  
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**Welcome to Community United Methodist Church! If you are worshipping with us today as our guest, please stop by the Connection Table located to the left of the double exterior sanctuary doors. There you will find a small gift and a welcome packet. You will also be able to sign up for a name tag. We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us this morning!**

### THIS WEEK

**8/7 NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE** will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the conference room.

### OTHER NOTES

**UPDATED LISTING OF CUMC LEADERSHIP** is available by the tower doors and in the office. Find out how to contact officers and committee members!

### **THE UMW NEEDS INFORMATION**

on college students and young military members so that circles can "adopt" them. Please send name, email address, birthday and college or military address to [janhurd68@hotmail.com](mailto:janhurd68@hotmail.com). If we do not get updated information each year, someone might be overlooked.

**CUMC - LOVE IN ACTION!** The Outreach Ministries Group is collecting school supplies for children whose parents cannot provide them. Please put your contributions in the bin under the Outreach Mission bulletin board in the narthex by **Sun., 08/20**

8 oz. bottle glue or glue sticks  
Rulers with metric & standard measure  
Basic, small backpacks with no wheels  
Student scissors, Tissues, Hand Sanitizer  
Erasers, Packages of pens (blue, black, green and red), Markers (permanent and dry erase)  
Highlighters, Index cards, Dictionaries,  
Compasses, Protractors, Calculators

### LOOKING AHEAD

**8/9 - RUTH CIRCLE** will meet for lunch at 11:30 at Applebee's in Kempsville. For more information, call Mary Ouimette at 479-1074.

**8/13 - THE UMM ANNUAL STEW SALE** kicks off with our early bird online/email sales. ALL orders placed prior to 9/9 will be available at \$5.50 per quart. Orders can be placed on the church web site at [www.cumcvb.org](http://www.cumcvb.org) or by email to [stew.umm.cumc@gmail.com](mailto:stew.umm.cumc@gmail.com) now. ORDER EARLY and SAVE! (Pickups begin Sunday 9/10)

**8/16 - HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT JOINING THE CHOIR?** Rehearsals begin 8/16 at 7:45 p.m. Come claim a great seat for major events!

**10/14 CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT AND YARD SALE.** If you would like to have a vendor table or yard sale space for this event, please contact Chip Claytor at [clayorteam@gmail.com](mailto:clayorteam@gmail.com) or 407-7996. The cost is \$25. More information coming soon.

**8/21 - Join Mat Makers of CUMC** to crochet plastic bags into mats for the homeless at the Wesley Center in Portsmouth. Meet in room 210 at 10:30 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. Ages 10 and up are welcome, nursery will be available by calling the church office at 757-495-1021. Hooks are still available for those who want them.

Pocket folders, with & without prongs  
Composition notebooks, wide-ruled  
Single subject spiral notebooks, wide-ruled  
3-ring binders  
Packages of wide-ruled notebook paper  
24 count crayons  
Packages #2 pencils, Colored pencils, Pencil boxes  
Hand-held pencil sharpeners with covers

### EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 6

<b>Sunday</b>	9:40 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages* Acts Sunday School (Room 207)
<b>Monday</b>	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Nominations Committee (Conference Room) Community Knitting Hearts (Room 123)
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Reaching New People (Kemps River IHOP) Women's Faith Focus (Room 207) Douglas Newman Circle (Room 122) Children's Clothes Closet
<b>Wednesday</b>	8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Witness fitness (meet in hospitality area) Ruth Circle (Room 210) 945 Worship Team Practice (Sanctuary)
<b>Thursday</b>	9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Martha Circle Children's Clothes Closet Music Academy Board* (Room 208) Tidewater Chrysalis Board (Room 209)
<b>Friday</b>	4:00 p.m.	UMM Stew Cook day

\*The nursery will be open during these events. Children are welcomed in the nursery from ages 0 through kindergarten graduation according to the VB School Calendar while parents are attending church programs on church property.