

SUNDAY, October 22, 2017
Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost
 Love God · Love People · Grow

Greetings/Announcements

Prelude *Encircle Us In Your Love* by Butler
 Youth Choir

Call to Worship*

Leader We have gathered together to worship God! And God draws us into community.

People As God brings us together we are formed and transformed in the committed community of faith into the likeness of Christ.

Leader We are joined together in community committed to God and to one another.

People Our Community shares in our common life and purpose.

Leader Our commitment is beyond words, but expressed in our actions.

People We are committed growing together by our prayer, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness. Amen.

Hymn* *O Worship The King* UMH 73
Passing the Peace*

Children's Time Liz Griffin
 Morning Prayer

Anthem *Give Us a Vision* by Martin

Sermon and *Committed* Rev. Matthew Meisenhelter
 Scripture 1 Thessalonians 5:17 Hebrews 10:25
 2 Corinthians 9:7 Mark 10:45
 1 Peter 3:15b Deuteronomy 30:19b-20a
 Joshua 24:15

Hymn* *Let All Things Now Living* TFWS 2008

Witness Moment Witness tools David Collins

Offering Prayer
 Offertory *Allegro Con Moto* arr. Krug
Dan Lovelace Memorial Ringers

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

Hymn* *Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life* UMH 427

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.

Liturgist Brian Boettcher
 Head Ushers Ryan Harrison (8:30) and John Moreau (11:00)
 Children's Sermon Liz Griffin

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday 8:30 Traditional Worship	115
Sunday 9:45 Modern Worship	53
Sunday 11:00 Traditional Worship	<u>142</u>
Total Worship Attendance	310

Sunday School	162
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THE FLOWERS are sponsored by Gisele and Greg Falls in celebration of their 30th wedding anniversary on October 24th.

THE FOOD BASKET is sponsored by Bill and Dee Powell to the glory of God and in celebration of 61 years of marriage.

BUDGET NUMBERS

Contributions received	September \$63,582	YTD \$635,488
Expenses paid	September \$77,887	YTD \$688,862
Balance	September \$-14,305	YTD \$-53,374

The Witness Ministry Group is encouraging our congregation to pray daily. During your devotional prayer time, please pray for:

1. Our Pastors and church staff
2. For the families and individuals devastated by hurricanes in the Caribbean, Texas, Louisiana, Florida, and Mexico
3. For the recovery and restoration teams that are and will be traveling to these areas to help people find a new normal in their lives.

PRAYER MAIL: 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: Mary Sue Lee, Susan Moreau, Mike and Barbara Uehling, Doug Mills

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS are due by noon, Tues., to 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.

SERVING IN JESUS' NAME – Stephen Ministers bring distinctively Christian care to people who are going through tough times. They use both words and deeds to express Christ's care for others—listening and comforting, calling on the training they have received and employing the tools of faith. If you are seeking a meaningful way to utilize your God-given gifts, grow spiritually and make a real difference in someone's life, prayerfully consider becoming a Stephen Minister. The next training class series begins Jan. 10. For applications and more information, call Sue Elliker (575-1749) or email selliker@cox.net.

CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor
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Director of Music
Worship Leader
Dir. of Program Ministries
Organist/Orchestra
Treasurer/Admin. Assoc.
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Custodian
Office Manager
Childcare Coordinator
Nursery Workers
Our Missionaries

Rev. Matthew A. Meisenhelter
Brian Boettcher
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Jannette Clavez
Mary Letson
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Melissa Snow
Miranda Seligman
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Director: Rev. Linda Stransky, Jubilee Project, Sneedville, TN

Pastor Matt's cell phone number is (703) 819-0687 and Pastor Brian's cell phone number is (757) 615-6192.

Committed?!

- Yes
- No
- Maybe

ALL IN



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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

10/22 FALL SNOW BALL LUNCH FUNDRAISER

Enjoy a lunch of chili stuffed baked potato, salad and dessert! Take out lunch is available as early as after the 8:30 service. Sit down lunch will be served in the fellowship hall 10:30 am to 1 pm. Suggested donation \$6/person; or \$20 a family.

10/22 CHARGE CONFERENCE will be held at 3:00 p.m. today, at St. Andrews.

10/22 STOCK THE FOOD PANTRY SUNDAY– Non-perishable food items are needed for those coming to CUMC for food assistance. We especially need meal extenders like tuna and hamburger helper, peanut butter, and spaghetti sauce. Thank you!

10/23 STEPHEN MINISTRIES AND UMM JOINT DINNER MEETING will be at 7:00 p.m. in the Social Hall for reservation only.

10/25 WINTER SHELTER We are thrilled to say that all 14 meals are covered for this year. Cash donations to the Winter Shelter program are appreciated to help cover the cost of the bag lunches for our guests. We have a need for 65 gently used BATH Towels. Please drop them off at the church office marked for Winter Shelter. For more information please contact Doug Mills at 434-1238, douglasmills@cox.net, or Rick Hensley at 286-4820, rhensley2@verizon.net.

10/26 - YESTERDAYS YOUTH Come and have fun playing games on at 11 a.m. in the Social Hall. Bring your lunch. Drinks and dessert will be provided.

10/29 LAST DAY TO ORDER BRUNSWICK STEW. We are taking orders and have pickups each Sunday in the crossroads. Cost is \$6.00 per quart with quantity discounts available. You can also order via the web site at www.cumcvb.org or email to stew.umm.cumc@gmail.com at \$5.75 for every quart ordered. Last pickup day, unless you arrange otherwise will be 11/5.

OTHER NOTES

HANDMADE WREATHS of real greenery are being ordered. Please take order forms and reach out to anyone who celebrates the holidays and has a door! **Deadline for orders is 10/25 we need the forms returned that day.** Wreaths will be delivered right after Thanksgiving for you to distribute along with invitations to our Christmas Cantata and services. For more information, contact Pete Powles, 438-0240 or jpowles@southernco.com.

WE NO LONGER NEED PLASTIC BAGS for making mats for the homeless. What we do NEED are people willing to learn how to cut and roll the bags into balls. Call Lyn McCandlish at 646-2318 or Carol Abbott to set a time to learn if you can't come on a scheduled date.

LOOKING AHEAD

10/31 WE ARE COLLECTING HALLOWEEN CANDY to give out to the neighborhood. We need regular candy and nut free candy. Please put your candy in the Halloween candy buckets in the cross roads and anyone is welcome to join us to distribute the evening of the 31st.

11/4 THE DISTRICT MEN'S MINISTRY FALL RETREAT, Power Up '17, will be at Oak Grove UMC, 8 to 5. Rev. Dr. Clarence Brown, Rev. Greg West, and Rev. Brandon Nichols will speak about living a resurrection empowered life! The cost is \$35; contact David Collins djcoll@icloud.com or 420-1958.

11/6 FEEDING THE HOMELESS at JCOC- Volunteers needed for meal prep at the Center at 3:00 p.m.; and serving is 6:00 p.m. Sign up to donate items on the bulletin board outside the narthex.

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 22

Sunday

9:40 a.m.	Stock the Food Pantry
10:30 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages*
11:00 a.m.	Snowball Fundraiser Luncheon (Social Hall, Kitchen)
11:00 a.m.	Acts Sunday School (Room 207)
11:00 a.m.	Agape Class (Room 120)
3:00 p.m.	Charge Conference St. Andrews
4:00 p.m.	Asbury Chorale (Choir Room)
5:00 p.m.	Orchestra (Sanctuary)
6:00 p.m.	Disciple 1 (Room 210)*
6:00 p.m.	Youth Group (Social Hall)
6:00 p.m.	VBS Drop-out Class (Library)*
6:30 p.m.	Homeless Mat Making (Room 210)*
6:30 p.m.	UMM and Stephen Ministries Dinner (Social Hall, Kitchen)*
Tuesday	
9:45 a.m.	Women's Faith Focus (Room 207)
10:00 a.m.	Wenger Bible Study (Room 210)
12:00 p.m.	Children's Clothes Closet
7:00 p.m.	Church Council Meeting (Room 210)
Wednesday	
8:30 a.m.	Witness fitness (meet in hospitality area)
9:00 a.m.	Winter Shelter begins through 10/31 (Social Hall, Kitchen)
5:15 p.m.	Charles Wesley Choir (Choir Room)
5:15 p.m.	Cherub Choir (Room 208)
6:30 p.m.	Dan Lovelace Memorial Ringers (Choir Room)
7:00 p.m.	9:45 Worship Team Practice (Sanctuary)
7:45 p.m.	Chancel Choir (Choir Room)
Thursday	
10:00 a.m.	Children's Clothes Closet
11:00 a.m.	Yesterday's Youth (Social Hall)
6:30 p.m.	Joyful Noise Ringers (Choir Room)
7:00 p.m.	UMW Board Meeting (Room 210)
7:30 p.m.	Women in Song (Choir Room)
Saturday	
10:30 a.m.	Book Nook

* 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.