

Christ United Methodist Church

September 18, 2022

9:00am Traditions Worship

Prelude *Our Father, Who Art in Heaven*
Johann Sebastian Bach
John Varona, Organ

Welcome Rev. Jenny Cannon & Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

Hymn *Lord God, Your Love Has Called Us Here* UMH 579

Morning Prayer *unison*

**Heavenly Father, heavenly Mother
Holy and blessed is your true name.
We pray for your reign of peace to come,
We pray that your good will be done,
Let heaven and earth become one.
Give us this day the bread we need,
Give it to those who have none.
Let forgiveness flow like a river between us,
From each one to each one.
Lead us to holy innocence
Beyond the evil of our days.
Come swiftly Mother, Father, come.
For yours is the power and the glory and mercy:
Forever your name is All in One.
Amen.**

by Parker Palmer

Celebrating the Sacrament of Baptism

Today we celebrate the baptism of Marcus John Nelson, born June 13, 2022 to Andrew and Mariah Nelson

Children's Message & Bible Presentation

Jody Peterson
Altan Ayres, Ted Davis, Lex Harrington, Lucia Miller

Invitation to Give

Musical Offering "A Pure Heart" Craig Courtney
Chancel Choir

Doxology UMH 95

Pastoral Prayer UMH 420

Sung Response: *Breathe on Me Breath of God*

Hearing the Word Matthew 6:12,14-15 Lex Harrington

Hearing the Word Psalm 139

Message "Forgive Us As We Forgive"
Rev. Jenny Cannon

Hymn *Freely, Freely* UMH 389

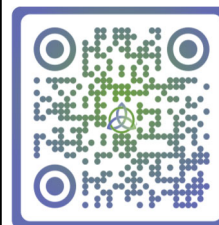
Benediction

Postlude *Fugato* Johann Sebastian Bach
John Varona, organ

Congregational Prayers

- ◇ For the family of Paul Allen in his death on Sept. 14
- ◇ For Katie Buck and the family of Harry Buck
- ◇ For Helen Zimmerman receiving Hospice Care
- ◇ For people sick with Covid-19 and who are recovering from Covid-19

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To scan a QR code, use your cell phone camera, aim at the picture (*left*), and tap the link that appears. No special software is necessary with most devices. Give in-person or online at cumethodist.com/give

Ministry Updates:



Third Sunday Forum

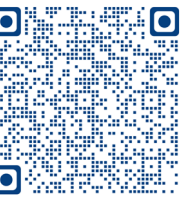
Today 10:00 am

in-person Wesley Hall and Zoom
"CUMC Storytellers and Writers"

*Ken Bauman, Amanda Larsen,
Sam Evans & John Stafford*

Join our panel to learn what stories they tell, what inspires them, how their faith influences their writing, and their experiences with the publishing process.

- ◇ **Sunday School begins today** for preschool-grade 3 (4th and 5th graders can be helpers). Children are invited to Room 133 after the children's time and can be picked up by an approved adult in the Education wing after worship. Find the registration form by scanning this QR code or go to tinyurl.com/cumcschool22



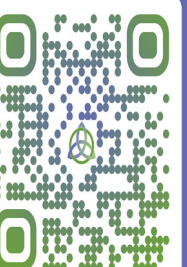
- ◇ **New Membership Class - A Disciple's Path.** Do you want to take the next step in your faith? A Disciples' Path is a four-part class designed to deepen our life as disciples of Christ by delving into the roots of our beliefs, traditions and practices. New visitors and members as well as longtime members are welcome to join. The class will take place periodically throughout the year. **The first session begins tonight from 5:00-6:00 pm** and will continue on Sept. 25, Oct. 2, Oct. 9. Contact Pastor Jenny or Pastor Kirkland to RSVP.

More information about worship, ministries, giving, and all the goings on here at Christ United Methodist Church on our website

cumethodist.com

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Staff & Contact



Sunday September 18, 2022

- 9:00am ~ Traditions Worship (Sanctuary)
- 10:00am ~ Third Sunday Forum
~ Thrift on Fifth Open - closes at 11am
- 11:00am ~ Arise Worship (ECC)
- 4:00pm ~ Hand & Foot Card Group (Offsite)
- 4:30pm ~ Youth Group (Youth Room)

Monday September 19, 2022

- 11:15am ~ Men's Book Study & Mutual Support (Zoom)

Tuesday September 20, 2022

- 10:30am ~ Staff Meeting
- 1:00 pm ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)

Wednesday September 21, 2022

- 10:00am ~ Online Knitting Group (WebEx)
- 1:30pm ~ Women's Study Group (Zoom)
- 4:00pm ~ Thrift on Fifth Open - closes at 7pm
- 5:00pm ~ CU Wednesday Programming
- 5:30pm ~ CU Wednesday Dinner opens (until 6:30 pm)
- 8:00pm ~ Evening Prayer Livestream (facebook.com/cumethodist)

Thursday September 22, 2022


- 8:00am ~ Men's Coffee Group (145 and Zoom)
- 8:30am ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)
~ UWF Circle 2 (Fireside)
- 1:00pm ~ Women's Book Group (145)
- 4:00pm ~ Arise Band Rehearsal (ECC)
- 7:00pm ~ UWF Circle 4 (Online)

Friday September 23, 2022

- 9:30am ~ Harry Buck Visitation
- 10:00am ~ Rug Hooking Group (145)
- 10:00am ~ Women and the Sacred (Fireside)
- 11:00am ~ Harry Buck Memorial Service

Saturday September 24, 2022

- 7:30am ~ Saturday Noon Meals (prep at CUMC, serve at the Landing)
- 9:00am ~ Thrift on Fifth open - closes at noon



If you would like to sponsor this ministry, please send an email to our Director of Operations, Jack Jefferson at jack@cumethodist.com. The 9am service airs Sunday

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

◇ We're Hiring, Join Our Team

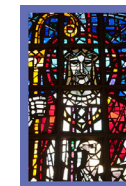
◇ Thrive Childcare and Resource Center is hiring full time and part time positions. If you love children and want to make a difference in their lives, apply today. Thrive offers staff competitive wages, paid time off and paid holidays, consistent schedules (no nights or weekends), and professional development opportunities. The employment application may be found at thrivefrc.org or resumes may be emailed to tanyag@thrivefrc.org.

◇ CUMC is hiring a Director of Communications to lead, create, plan, and implement effective messaging and communications strategies. Download the position description at cumethodist.com/career-opportunities. Contact [Pastor Kirkland](#) to apply or for more information.

◇ **CU Wednesday** programming for children, youth, and adults is back! Events include children's handbells and music, kids with purpose, club 6-7, confirmation, adult handbells, adult choir, dinner, and more. Crossroads, our new formation group for adults will begin in October.

◇ **Caring Conversations: Caregiving and Resources in Our Community Thursday, September 29th 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm.** Invite friends and neighbors to join us as we address caregiver needs in our community. There will be an opportunity to explore a Resource Fair and talk with political candidates and incumbents after a panel discussion. Event is free. Refreshments provided. Registration at bit.ly/3PdNOZQ is encouraged, but not required.

◇ **Flu Shot Clinic.** HyVee's annual influenza vaccine clinic will be available at CUMC on Sunday October 2 in the Fireside Room from 8:30 AM to 11:00 AM. Please bring your Medicare or Insurance information. Wear short sleeves.



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EVOLVING FAITH 2022

CUMC and Faith→Life are gathering a group to digitally attend the Evolving Faith 2022 Conference on October 14-15, 2022.

Memorials and Living Gifts is providing funding to cover the registration cost of 15 participants. You are also invited to contribute toward the fee as you are able.

If this is of interest to you, please contact Kathy Estry at rk.stry@gmail.com (Registration ends September 30th).

With open hearts, open minds and open doors, we welcome people of all races, nationalities, theologies and abilities. We welcome people of all sexual orientations and gender identities. We offer a safe and compassionate place to reconcile faith, identity, hope, understanding

We welcome you and name the sacred power of the Wahpeton people on whose land we stand.