

If you have been a visitor of our church, and would like to learn more about us, join our **NewComers Class** that will begin on **Sunday, February 12th** at **9:00 AM** (during Sunday School) in the Pastor's Study which is located inside the church office. You will learn more about the Presbyterian Church, our own congregation, and what it means to grow as a disciple of Christ. If you are interested in attending, please write "NewComers" on the registration pad as it is passed to you this morning, or call the church office at 724-776-5310.

JOIN US NEXT SUNDAY (February 5th) FOR.....

The **"Souper" Bowl of Caring** is coming fast!! Worshippers from every state will be asked to empty out their pockets into soup kettles on their way out of church in an effort to care for the hungry. Each organization picks who they would like their donations to go to, and our Mission Committee has picked the Lighthouse Foundation on Route 8. Please come with full pockets on Super Bowl Sunday, and help us to take a bite out of hunger!

And speaking of.....join us for the **"Souper" Bowl Sunday Luncheon** after the 10:00 AM service. Have a nice warm lunch of homemade soup, salad and bread before heading home as you prepare to watch the big game. We need soup makers, so please consider making a crock pot of your favorite recipe to bring in to share. If you are making soup, please sign up on the bulletin board in the Greeting Area. There is no charge for this Fellowship lunch! They would love to have 12-15 soups for everyone to enjoy. Please bring your heated soup in a crockpot the morning of the lunch. Everyone is invited to attend.

TODAY is the *last day* to sign up to go **SUPER BOWLING!** We will be going to **Paradise Island Bowl in Coraopolis next Sunday**, for a fun filled afternoon! This event is open to anyone, however, those in 2nd grade and younger must plan to attend with a parent. Those in our Junior Youth Group and Middle/High Youth Group may attend on their own, so long as we can arrange for enough drivers. You do not have to be a youth or have a youth to attend! *All are welcome*, including friends who are not members of CCUPC! Cost will be \$13/person and will include 2 hours of bowling, shoes, 2 slices of pizza and a soft drink. There is also a full menu available, as well as an assortment of video games. If you would like to purchase refreshments beyond what is included or if you intend to play the video games, you will need to bring some extra funds. We will leave the church around 12:15 PM (following our congregation's annual Souper Bowl Lunch.) We will bowl from about 1:00 PM until 3:00 PM, and return to the church in plenty of time for everyone to get home to watch the big game.

If you would like to attend, please put your name on the sign-up sheet in the Greeting Area. Adults who are over age 21, please indicate if you would be willing to drive others, and how many seatbelts, total, you have in your car, not including the driver. Checks to cover the cost can be put in the office or in the offering plate, as long as they are clearly marked "Bowling Event." Checks should be made payable to CCUPC. If you have questions, check with Pastor Dena.

THIS WEEK AT CCUPC

<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Location</u>
TODAY	1/29	
	<i>Pray for Jordan</i>	
9:00 am	- Sunday School	Both Levels
10:00 am	- Worship/Food Bank	Sanctuary
11:00 am	- Coffee Social	Greeting Area
	- Village A	
6:30 pm	- Middle/High Youth Group	Lower Level
TUESDAY	1/31	
8:30 am	- Men's Breakfast/Bible Study	Conference Rm.
WEDNESDAY	2/1	
6:15 pm	- Kids Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	- Adult Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
THURSDAY	2/2	
7:00 pm	- Outreach Committee Meeting	Conference Rm.
SUNDAY	2/5	
	<i>Mission Sunday</i>	
9:00 am	- Sunday School	Both Levels
10:00 am	- Worship	Sanctuary
11:00 am	- <u>NO</u> Coffee Social	Greeting Area
11:15 am	- "Souper" Bowl Lunch	Fellowship Hall
12:15 pm	- Super Bowling @ Paradise Island Bowl	

A LOOK AHEAD AT OUR SCHEDULE:

- The **Per Capita amount is \$43.34** per confirmed member.
- **Men's Breakfast/Bible Study** will be Tuesday, January 31st.
- Please pick up your **2017 Giving Envelopes** located in the Greeting Area.
- The **2017 VBS dates** are June 12th - 16th!!! Registration will begin May 1st. This year's theme is: **"HERO CENTRAL!!!"**

CCUPC's annual **2nd Life Prom Dress Sale** is rapidly approaching! The sale will be held on **Saturday, March 25th** from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM. Our church is collecting new and gently used dresses and accessories through March 24th. The dresses will be sold for only \$20 each. Also available during the sale will be shoes, jewelry, wraps and purses each for under \$5. If you would like to donate any items for this sale, please drop them off in the church office Monday - Friday from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. As always, *volunteers are always needed.* Information and sign-up sheets have been posted on the bulletin board in the Greeting Area. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Hodges at 412-780-7239 or nancyhodges@zoominternet.net.

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
A WEEKLY CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION

IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

"With what shall I come before the Lord and bow down before the exalted God? He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God."
 Micah 6:6a, 8

The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude

Worship Team

"Offering"

"Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for Him." Psalm 37:7

(If you have a prayer request, please fill out a green prayer card and pass it to the center aisle as they will be collected during the first hymn and included during the prayer time)

The Call to Worship

WE WORSHIP IN PRAISE

*A Hymn

"Step by Step"

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia
O God, You are my God,
and I will ever praise You.
O God, You are my God,
and I will ever praise You.

I will seek You in the morning,
and I will learn to walk in Your ways
and step by step You'll lead me,
and I will follow You all of my days.

Repeat entire song

Ending:

And I will follow You all of my days.
And I will follow You all of my days.

WE WORSHIP IN PRAYER

*The Call to Confession

*The Unison Prayer of Confession

Lord, forgive us when we are struggling with life, searching for answers in vain, relying on our own strength and failing repeatedly. Remind us that You are the strength upon whom we may call, the power to endure, the answer that we seek, the One in whose arms we can safely fall. Forgive us, when we forget these and all the promises You offer to us. Accept our prayer as we offer it in the name of Jesus. Amen.

*The Assurance of Forgiveness

*Glorifying God **“We Will Glorify”**
We will glorify the King of kings, we will glorify the Lamb.
We will glorify the Lord of lords, who is the great I AM.

The Joys, Concerns, and Prayers of God’s People

The Lord’s Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING

Our Invitation to Give
The Offertory Worship Team
“Lord I Need You”

*Praising God #556 **“Praise God From Whom All Blessings”**
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.

*The Prayer of Dedication

WE WORSHIP IN PROCLAMATION

*The Greeting *(Please share words of peace, encouragement, and hope)*

The Children’s Lesson and Prayer *(The children may come forward)*
‘The children 3 years old - Kindergarten may now leave for TLC out the back doors of the Sanctuary with Miss Gynni)
‘The children who are in 1st - 3rd grades may now leave for KFC out the back doors of the Sanctuary)

The Scripture Lesson (page 991)
Mark 1:29-39

The Sermon Pastor James M. Moran
“FROM GIMME, GIMME. . . TO CHANGE ME, CHANGE ME ”

GOING IN GOD’S NAME

*A Closing Hymn **“Beautiful One”**

Wonderful, so wonderful is Your unfailing love
Your cross has spoken mercy over me.
No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no heart could fully know
How glorious, how beautiful You are.

Chorus
Beautiful One I love;
Beautiful One I adore.
Beautiful One, my soul my sing.

Powerful so powerful, Your glory fills the skies,
Your mighty works displayed for all to see.
The beauty of Your majesty awakes my heart to sing;
How marvelous, how wonderful You are. CHORUS

Bridge
You opened my eyes to Your wonders anew,
You captured my heart with this love;
‘Cause nothing on earth is as beautiful as You. Repeat BRIDGE

Repeat CHORUS 2X

*The Benediction

The Postlude Worship Team

*Please stand as you are able.

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Please keep these family members and friends in your prayers:

Marietta Eklund (CCUPC member), Rose Giannone (John & Marcy Hammann), Mario Giordano (Callie Kaczmarek), Lillian Grundler (Dick Grundler), Nancy Haroutunian (Dave Okuda), Ryan King (Cindy Miller), Sue Kirkland (Nancy MacFarlane), Barry Lavery (Dale & Diane Jacobs), Kim Long (Nancy Hodges), Mary Long and family (Dara Marner), Dave Madura (CCUPC member), Jim Miller (CCUPC member), Harriet Murray (Bill Murray), Pat Pfendler (Linda Medwig), Karen Raman (CCUPC member), Nichole Remmert (Sherri Kelly), Marlise Sharie (John & Marcy Hammann), Ceira & Roger Singleton (Sherri Kelly), Lorraine Strick (John & Marcy Hammann), Tim (Shirl Lonie), and Jerry Work (Karen & Harry Snyder).

Lorry Cowan shares her THANKSGIVING and JOY for the Haiti Mission Team for their service as Christ's hands and feet. His loving arms to comfort and support the people of Haiti.

Natalie Marks shares her JOY that her grandmother, Dara Marner, returned home safely from a week in Haiti for a mission trip.

Jeannine O’Patchen shares her THANKSGIVING to everyone for their prayers for her cousin, Jen Maseth, who was battling pneumonia. The ventilator was removed and she is doing much better! She is 5 months pregnant and the baby is doing well. Praise God!!

I WAS JUST THINKING . .

I am writing this article two days before we leave for our annual medical mission trip to Haiti. Never knowing if the Internet will work properly when we get to Haiti, I typically try to have my bulletin information prepared before I go so I can count on it being ready when needed. Now, if the flights work as they should, I will be here this morning!

I wanted to offer a heartfelt word of thanks for the wonderful response to our appeal for medicines and money to use on the trip. As of this writing we have received in excess of \$1,000 in cash and gift cards plus a great many over-the counter drugs that we will take. We have already purchased necessary items we did not receive and the additional cash will be used on sight to purchase drugs that are in short supply or requested by one of our doctors. Additionally, we sometimes have a patient who needs to have special care in a hospital and if they do not have the money up-front they will not be seen. In those cases, we have contacts who can give us the cost of the procedure and provide that for the patient.

Your generosity moves me to tears and I am grateful to be a part of the work of this congregation. I am sure I will have stories to tell of our yearly adventure and how God continues to bless our work in Haiti.

Bless Your Hearts,
Pastor Jim

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The chancel flowers are given by Linda Moorhouse to the glory of God, and in loving memory of her husband, Lee R. Moorhouse.

Are you New to CCUPC? Visiting with us for the first time? We are excited you joined us for worship. To connect with us and learn more about our church family, text **WELCOME** to 724-906-4624. You are also encouraged to sign in on the registration pad passed in your pew and provide your contact information.

‘Tweeners Retreat

Retreats are one of the most fun parts of our youth ministry programs! There is something special about being away, being with friends, and learning about your faith in a different environment. Youth in 4th- 6th grade are invited to come away for a night, to have a short retreat, and to experience some of the fun of **Camp Crestfield on April 29 - 30th**. We will gather at the church on Saturday, April 29th around 10:30 AM, and return on Sunday, April 30th around 2:15 PM. Cost is \$75/person. All appropriately aged youth and their friends are welcome. We will need some parents to be willing to drive to and pick us up from Camp Crestfield, and we will also need at least one male leader to be able to participate. Additional leaders of either gender would also be welcome. (If cost is a concern, please talk with Pastor Dena. DO NOT let money be the only reason you don’t participate!) A sign-up sheet is available on the bulletin board in the Greeting Area. **Please sign up by March 26th.**