DID YOU KNOW..... that we have a staffed infant and toddler nursery available for you to use during worship? Children through age 2 are welcome to come and play. There is also a curtained off corner in the nursery for those who may need some privacy which can be used for nursing or for soothing your child. Additionally, we have the TLC ministry for those who are 3 years old through Kindergarten where children may go after the Children's Lesson. The KFC program is for children in 1st - 3rd grades and leave after the Children's Lesson out the back of the sanctuary. Older children can find worksheets and coloring pages on a table in the Sanctuary near the side entrance. Any of our ushers or nursery workers will be glad to show you how to locate our nursery or children's ministries and supplies. We love having so many growing families in church!

Today is **Food Bank Sunday**! We are collecting non-perishable food items and paper products for the residents of VOICe (Victim Outreach Intervention Center). The *Items of the Month* are hot/cold cereals, syrup and pancake mix. <u>All items</u> should be un-opened and non-perishable (not requiring refrigeration or freezing, and no produce). If you have any questions, please check with a member of the Mission Committee, one of the pastors, or the office staff. Supporting local people who are struggling is just one way that CCUPC is trying to make a difference and to spread the love of God. If you forgot your donation, please drop it off at the church office Monday - Wednesday from 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM. (And a reminder that you can bring in food bank items all month long! You can place your items on the shelving unit in the greeting area.)

Christina Taylor, Nursery Coordinator, has scheduled a "**Toy Cleaning Party**" next **Sunday, November 4**th in the Infant/Toddler nursery! Now that the flu season is upon us, stay after worship and help thoroughly clean the toys that your kids play with in the nursery. It shouldn't take long to accomplish, and is vital in keeping the germs outta there!! Buckets and cleaner will be provided. And speaking of the nursery.....for the well-being of our Nursery Volunteers (and those using the nursery), if your child is ill, please refrain from taking them to the nurseries. Thank you for your consideration for all who are involved.

Youth Group Scoop... if you would like to be included on our weekly email and occasional text lists regarding the Youth Group plans and events, please email your name, your phone number, and your email address to Pastor Dena at denaroy@ccupc.org. Junior Youth Group is for those in 3rd-5th grades and Middle/High School Youth Group is for those in 6th-12th grades.

The **Scrip Gift Card Center** is open every Sunday before and after worship in the Greeting Area. You can purchase retail gift cards from the inventory, or place orders for specific cards that can be picked up the following week. Scrip cards allow you to support the mission of our church without spending any additional money. Order forms are available on the nametag table and in your bulletin! Check them out today!!

THIS WEEK AT CCUPC

Sunday	10/28	Reformation Sunday	
9:00 am		Sunday School	Both Levels
		NewComer's Class	Pastor's Study
10:00 am		Worship/New Song	Sanctuary
11:00 am		NO Coffee Social	
		Chili Cook-Off	Fellowship Hall
12:30 pm		Leaving for Yeck's Farm/Hayride & NO Youth Groups	k Fall Fun!!
Monday	10/29		
7:00 pm		Worship Team Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Wednesday	y 10/31		
6:15 pm		NO Kids' Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 pm		Adult Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Sunday	11/4	Blood Drive	
		Pray for Saudi Arabia	
9:00 am		Sunday School	Both Levels
		NewComer's Class	Pastor's Study
10:00 am		Worship	Sanctuary
11:00 am		Coffee Social	Greeting Area
		Village C	
11:10 am		Toy Cleaning Party	Upstairs Nursery
5:00 pm		Jr. Youth Group	Lower Level
6:30 pm		Middle/High School Youth Group	Lower Level

A LOOK AHEAD AT OUR UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

- The Chili Cook-Off and Hayride at Yeck's Farm are directly after worship today!! More information is inside this bulletin!
- The **Pittsburgh Project Mission Trip** will take place November 2nd 4th.
- Next Sunday, November 4th daylight savings time ends. Which means....you turn your clocks back an hour. Also, the Deacons along with the Central Blood Bank (now known as *Vitalant*) are hosting a **Blood Drive** from 8:30 AM 1:30 PM in Fellowship Hall. Sign up today! Also....the Nursery Committee has scheduled a "**Toy Cleaning Party**" after worship. All are welcome and encouraged to help with this cleansing of the toys!!

The new **2019 Worship Flower** sign-up is now available on the nametag table in the greeting area. The cost of the flowers is \$30 for either the two chancel vases <u>or</u> the basket. You can donate the flowers in memory of a loved one, or in celebration of a special day. Sign up *now* so that you can get that special date!

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP A WEEKLY CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION

IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

"Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in Him. Fear the Lord, you His holy people, for those who fear Him lack nothing."

Psalm 34:8-9

The Welcome and Announcements

A Blood Drive Update

Rich Rogers

(Please sign the register pad, passing it down the row, then back to center aisle.)

The Prelude New Song

"Praise the Lord's Name" Psalm 113

"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.)

The Call to Worship

WE WORSHIP IN PRAISE

*A Hymn #3

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

(use screens)

WE WORSHIP IN PRAYER

*The Call to Confession

*The Unison Prayer of Confession

Loving God, as we assemble in this place to offer You our worship, we are aware of our own inadequacies and failures. We are reminded daily that we do not live up to the standard You have established for us, and that we are not living up to our full potential. We pray that You will forgive our sins, and convince us of our need to follow in the Savior's footsteps more faithfully. Give us the courage and the strength and the desire to be Your representatives in this world. For we pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. 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.

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.)

Children 3 years old - Kindergarten may now leave for TLC out the back loors of the Sanctuary with Miss Gynni.)

Children in 1^{st} - 3^{rd} grades may now leave for KFC out the back doors of he Sanctuary.)

Γhe Scripture Lesson

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2 Corinthians 4:13-18

The Sermon

Pastor James M. Moran

"HEART SMART"

The Special Music

New Song

"Preserve Me, O God" Psalm 16
"O God Show Mercy to Us" Psalm 67
"The Lord's My Shepherd" Psalm 23

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 laily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against is; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is he kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING

A Stewardship Nugget

Tim MacFarlane

Dur Invitation to Give

The Offertory

New Song

"O Come to Offer Praise" Psalm 134

'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

GOING IN GOD'S NAME

'The Closing Hymn

"Mighty is Our God"

(use screens)

'The Benediction

The Postlude

"In Thee Is Gladness"

'Please stand as you are able.

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A special welcome to our guest vocal group this morning! New Song is made up of students from Geneva College, directed by Lindsay Shaffer. They share their music throughout the year, including a tour each summer. We are blessed to have them join us for worship today. Thanks, New Song!

Please keep these family members and friends in your prayers:

Bob Ament (Mark & Kelly Stebor), Elinor Dixon (Debbie Rossi), Dick & Lillian Grundler (CCUPC members), Georgia Holm (Linda Medwig), Joseph Justus (Linda & Dave Schuman), Katrina (the Campbell family), Ryan King (Cindy Miller), Dara Marner (CCUPC member), Jim Miller (CCUPC member), Harriet Murray (Bill Murray), Christina Orsolini (Peggy Wetzel), Steven Popson (Peggy Wetzel), Karen Raman (CCUPC member), David Rubinosky (CCUPC member), Lois Saleone (Peggy Wetzel), Donny Santucci (Judy Weber), Cheryl Storrs (CCUPC member), Tim (Shirl & Roy Lonie), and Ricky Vargas (Brenda Prigg).

Glenn Geisel extends his THANKS to all those who helped with the fall Clean-Up last Saturday, especially the Scouts (Troop 403) and their parents.

The Kinkade family shares their JOY for the marriage of their sister/aunt, Keri and Jereme. Blessings for a happy marriage.

All members and friends of our congregation are invited to join us *today* for a fun-filled fall day!! The Fellowship Committee's annual **Chili Cook-Off** will take place after worship. Make your way downstairs and sample some of the great cooking of our members.

and...don't forget - if you signed up for the **Hayride and Fall Fun Day** at **Yeck's Farm**, we will meet in the greeting area and leave the church at 12:30 PM (following the Chili Cook-Off) and return around 3:30 PM.

The **Connections Ministry** would like to thank the congregation for their support of October's "Students of the Month".

Building His Kingdom – A Stewardship Reminder

"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace." 1 Peter 4:10

As we enter this holiday season, I find myself being particularly mindful of my gifts and talents. I am humbled to know that God designed them specifically for me to help build His kingdom. And if that's not enough, I feel pretty good whenever I use them! During the next few weeks of our annual Stewardship Pledge Reminder, I hope you will join me by taking a few minutes to reflect on the gifts God has thoughtfully and lovingly bestowed upon you. I hope you will also join me in an effort to utilize your gifts not just around the holidays but throughout the rest of the year as well. When we share our gifts, we bring joy to others, to God and to ourselves. I say we fill up the calendar with them!

~Tim MacFarlane, Stewardship Committee Chairperson

1 WAS JUST THINKING... by Pastor Jim

Most of us have heard of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, the creator of Sherlock Holmes. He once told a story on himself. He was waiting for a taxi outside the railway station in Paris. When the taxi pulled up, he put his suitcase in it and then got in the taxi. As he was about to tell the taxi-driver where he wanted to go, the driver asked him: "Where can I take you, Mr. Doyle?"

Doyle was astounded. He asked the driver if he knew him by sight. The driver said: "No Sir, I have never seen you before." Doyle was puzzled and asked him how he knew he was Arthur Conan Doyle.

The driver replied: "This morning's paper had a story that you were on vacation in Marseilles. This is the taxi-stand where people who return from Marseilles always wait. Your skin color tells me you have been on vacation. The ink-spot on your right index finger suggests to me that you are a writer. Your clothing is very English, and not French. Adding up all those pieces of information, I deduce that you are Sir Arthur Conan Doyle."

Doyle exclaimed, "This is truly amazing. You are a real-life counter-part to my fictional creation, Sherlock Holmes."

"There is one other thing," the driver said.

"What is that?" Doyle asked.

"Your name is on the front of your suitcase," said the driver.

It was not the powers of deduction. It was the power of observation. That taxi driver's lenses were clean enough to observe what was going on around him. Jesus admonishes us to be alert, to have spiritual eyes and ears. Why? We are to be alert in order to be as faithful as we should be, but also so that we do not miss opportunities of service and outreach.

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The Deacons are sponsoring a **Blood Drive** *next* **Sunday** from **8:30 AM to 1:30 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. Karen Raman, along with other members of our church have benefited from donations during the course of an illness. Your gift of hope and healing will bless numerous patients. There are several ways to schedule your life saving appointment: go online at vitalant.org (the new name for the Central Blood Bank) and search with the group code G0010186; download the Central Blood Bank Mobile App on your smart phone; call 1-877-25-VITAL; or on the sign-up sheet in the greeting area. Let's help the Deacons by making this blood drive a huge success!! Your donation is truly a gift that keeps on giving!!

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