Christ UMC Events

- Witty Knitters
 Monday, March 14th at 1:30 pm, Parlor
- Wednesday Morning Study Group
 Wednesday, March 16th at 10:00 am, Parlor
 The current study is Seeing Gray in a World of Black and
 White by Adam Hamilton.
- Men's Breakfast Group (Bagel Boys)
 Thursday, March 17th at 8:00 am, Chapel
 See Dale McCormick, Larry McGill, or Pastor Rusty at pastorrusty@christumcutah.org for info.
- UMW Book Club
 Monday, March 28th at 1:00 pm, Parlor
 March's book is Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate.

Ukraine Assistance

Christ UMC is collecting monetary donations for the Ukraine people to provide humanitarian assistance through UMCOR. One hundred percent of your donation will go to this cause. You can give by check to CUMC with Ukraine Assistance in the memo line or use the QR code to the right.

Lent Information

Lenten Formula and Diaper Collection & Flowers:
 CUMC will be collecting baby formula and diapers for
 Crossroads Urban Center. You can leave these by the
 Church Office or in the Sanctuary in front of the altar.

You can buy flowers for Easter Sunday, in memory, honor, or appreciation of a loved one, by filling out and returning the enclosed form or through the QR code to the right. The last day to order flowers is Sunday, April 10th.

- Lenten Devotional: "Vincent Van Gogh and the Beauty of Lent" You can find the Devotional on the wooden Welcome Center in the Narthex or on the homepage of the church website.
- Children's Lent Activity: "The Disciple Ship" Follow
 Jesus on a faith-full fishing trip this Lent. You can find these
 on the wooden Welcome Center in the Narthex

News and Happenings

- Utah / Western Colorado District Gathering
 Christ UMC will host this event on March 19th and CUMC members can attend. RSVP to Kelly by March 15th.
- Palmer Court

The next delivery date is March 25th. Cat food and treat donations are greatly needed. There is plenty of dog food. Please bring donations to the church by March 20th.

- The Wesley Bell Ringers Super Simple Fundraiser
 Your donation will help TWBR go on their first out-of-town tour since 2019. You can give by check, made out to The Wesley Bell Ringers, or use the QR code to the right where you can also include a favorite TWBR memory.
- Discovery Place Preschool
 Enrollment for Fall 2022 is open now. Go to
 christumcutah.org/discoveryplacepreschool for info.
- Crossroads Urban Center Current Wish List
 - Shelf Stable Milk and Healthy Snacks
 - Sleeping Bags and Tents
 - Donations can be dropped off at CUMC just inside the West doors or taken to Crossroads Food Pantry
- Smile and Encouragement
 Call 707-998-8410 to hear pep talks from Kindergarteners.

Altar Help Needed

CUMC is needing one or two volunteers interested in making sure the Altar is set up for Sunday service. They would make sure the candles are ready and add a bit of seasonal decoration. Those who have done it so faithfully need to pass it along and it enhances worship so much! For more information or to volunteer contact Kay Grimme at pkkg1941@gmail.com.

Sunday Morning Schedule

Childcare for children 2 years and younger is available in the Nursery during the Worship Service



March 13, 2022 10:30 AM

Our mission is to create and promote a faith that is thoughtful, compassionate and inclusive.

Pastors
Rev. Rusty Butler and
Rev. Bruce Kolasch

CUMC is a Reconciling Congregation

Find out more about CUMC at christumcutah.org 801-486-5473

Welcome to Christ United Methodist Church

Please sign the attendance pad in your row and pass it to your neighbor.

Audio assistance and large print bulletins are available, please see an usher.

PRELUDE

Wayfaring Stranger, arr. Anna Laura Page

UMH #419

CALL TO WORSHIP (Please stand as you are able.)

We have come here to ask the questions we must ask of any religion:

How do we lead better and more joyful lives? How do we come to terms with our own deaths and our own suffering?

How do we come to terms with all deaths and suffering?
How should we live as humans on the earth? How should we live right here and right now? How can we be at home here?
We come with these questions, knowing that the answers are not easy but knowing too that it is good to address them together.

HYMN I Am Thine O Lord

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S TIME Where Children Belong TFWS #2233 This, this is where children belong, Welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song; This is where children belong.

INVITATION TO PRAYER LIGHTING THE PEACE CANDLE

HYMN Stay With Us **TFWS #2199** vs. 1

UNISON PRAYER

God our Mother and Father, be with us as we learn to see one another with new eyes, hear one another with new hearts, and treat one another in a new way. Amen.

(Corrymeela Community)

SILENT PRAYER/PASTORAL PRAYER

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES TO GOD

QR Code to Give: Use the QR code to the right.Text to Give: Text dollar amount to 801-317-8833 and follow the prompts. You only need to enter your information the first time you give.



OFFERTORY MUSIC O Mensch, bewein' dein' Sünde groß, BWV 622, by J.S. Bach

OFFERING PRAYER

With love we offer these gifts in the name of Jesus, praying that they may be used to lighten the load and to help the church be the church. Amen.

DOXOLOGY (Please stand as you are able.) UMH #62 All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing, O praise ye! Alleluia! O brother sun with golden beam, O sister moon with silver gleam! O praise ye! O praise ye! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SCRIPTURE Romans 12: 1-18

SPECIAL MUSIC Roundelay, by Judy Phillips
The Wesley Bell Ringers, Directed by Katie Lay

MEDITATION Tugged Toward the Light Rev. Butler

HYMN Great Is Thy Faithfulness UMH #140

BENEDICTION

Go into the world in faith!

Trusting God to lead you, trusting people to receive you. Go into the world with hope!

With God's presence before you and human dreams to carry you.

Go into the world with love!

Serving with those in whom Christ lives, and laboring for those for whom Jesus died.

Go in Faith, Hope and Love!

BENEDICTION HYMN All Things Bright and Beautiful

UMH #147. vs. 1

POSTLUDE Sun Dance, by Bob Chilcott

THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor Rev. Russell Butler Organist Shelby Fisher

Media Barrett Carpenter, Josh Jensen, Chuck Mittelstadt, Shannon Meyer

Liturgist Ruth Burkett

If you would like to sign up to be a liturgist or greeter, please sign the book in the front hallway.

Past sermons and special music are available for viewing online at www.christumcutah.org/sermons.

Pastoral Care Concerns And Information

In Need of a Pastor's Visit or Call?

Please contact the church office at 801-486-5473. For emergency situations after office hours, you can reach Pastor Rusty at 385-215-4675 or Pastor Bruce at 406-891-0434.

Deepest Condolences to Patty Emery on the death of her mother, Robin McCabe, Thursday, February 24th.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Deepest Condolences to Sue Hoeppner on the death of her husband, David (Dave) Hoeppner, Friday, February 18th.
 A Celebration of Life will be held Friday, March 25th at 11am.

Keeping in Prayer

Danielle Barajas and son, Judah Quering Rev. Jean Schwein

Maxine Garwood Leslie Swanson Jean Rengers

Lincoln Trujilllo, Anne Carr's friend

Ryan, Debbie Rohovit's nephew

Paul Allison Lela (Lee) Brown John Lay

Marilee Wear, Judy Babbitt's mother Jeannine Gregoire, Janette Knight's sister Kathy & Lloyd Bolson, Donna Mitchell's sister & brother-in-law Ken and Becky Prater