Vacation Bible School

In-person VBS this summer June 27th to 30th from 9:00 am to Noon. Registration is now open at christumcutah.org/vbs.



The cost is \$15/child to be paid at registration.

VBS is open to children ages 3 years (by January 1, 2022) through entering

6th grade this Fall. All children must be potty-trained, please.

<u>VBS volunteers are needed!</u> Any adult or youth 7th grade and older is appreciated. To help out contact Alicia Griffing or Alicia Simons at children@christumcutah.org.

Pastor Rusty's Retirement

June 12th will be Pastor Rusty's last Sunday at Christ UMC. Join us after worship that day to celebrate Pastor Rusty and his retirement. Thank you, Pastor Rusty, for your many years in the ministry and 5 years at Christ UMC!! If you would like to contribute to a gift for Pastor Rusty you can donate by check to CUMC with Pastor Rusty in the memo line or donate online using the QR code to the right.

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.

Keeping in Prayer

Ryan Rigstad
Kathie Mawson
Danielle Barajas and son, Judah Quering
Ryan, Debbie Rohovit's nephew
Paul Allison
John Lay
Jeannine Gregoire, Janette Knight's sister
Kathy & Lloyd Bolson, Donna Mitchell's sister &
brother-in-law

Ken and Becky Prater

Christ UMC Events

UMW Book Club

Monday, May 23rd at 1:00 pm, Parlor The book is *The Night Watchman* by Louise Erdrich.

 Wednesday Morning Study Group Wednesday, May 25th at 10:00 am, Parlor

News and Happenings

EV Chargers

Christ UMC now has 2 EV Chargers on the east side of the building. The parking spaces are noted with EV charging signs.

Explorer Preschool



Enroll now for Summer Camp at christumcutah.org/explorerpreschool.

- Crossroads Urban Center Current Wish List
 Donations can be dropped off at CUMC just inside the West doors or taken to Crossroads Food Pantry
 - Canned Fruit, Canned Chili, and Peanut Butter
 - Men's Clothes, Socks and Underwear, Pots and Pans

Pride Parade Volunteers

The CUMC Social Justice Committee invites you to join with the Interfaith Pride Coalition to March in the Pride Parade on Sunday, June 5th. The Social Justice Committee is looking for volunteers to represent Christ UMC and march with the Interfaith Pride Coalition as they carry the giant rainbow Pride Flag. If you are interested or would like to volunteer, please contact Lynne Barrett at lynneabarrett@gmail.com.

Ukraine Assistance

CUMC is collecting donations to help the people of Ukraine by directly supporting members of the dance troupe from Ukraine that performed at CUMC, most recently in 2019, and through humanitarian assistance through UMCOR. Go to christumcutah.org/Ukraine to find out more information and to donate. You can also donate by check to CUMC with Ukraine Dancer Assistance in the memo line or Ukraine UMCOR Assistance in the memo line.



May 22, 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

Prière, by Lèon Boëllmann

CALL TO WORSHIP (Please stand as you are able.)
Gracious God, we glory in the gift of this world. May we find enough love and trust today that we may open ourselves to hear the Word among the words as it is written on our hearts through scriptures, word, and song. Amen.

HYMN Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise UMH #103

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S TIME Where Children Belong TFWS #2233

RECOGNITION OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

High School Graduates

Rachel Arlen
Theo Dabling
Fiona Kelsey
Barrett Carpenter
Aidan Hemingway
Conner Manning-Duncan

Louis McCracken Alexandra Miller
Megan Palmer Carter Rutherford
Coltin Smith Andi Strong

Zoe Tiede

College Graduates

Emma Allison Caroline Nielsen

Colton Pulver

INVITATION TO PRAYER

LIGHTING THE PEACE CANDLE

HYMN Come and Find the Quiet Center TFWS #2128, vs. 1

UNISON PRAYER

Holy God, we arise and come from our homes to this place for so many reasons. For many it is the tranquility we seek, a place of silence in our often noisy and chaotic worlds. For some it is comfort to come to a place that has been here for us in the past and which promises to be here for us in the future, for some it is because we are tired and need a place to rest, for some it is because of the joy that we experience here with our partners in faith.

Whatever the reason, that we enter this place today, may we come together in this time, which reveals to us the ongoing divine holiness and love of God for all of us and for all the world. Amen.

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

Simple Gifts

arr. Kathryn Cater and Sandy Duff Norman Elinore Fisher, flute

OFFERING PRAYER

May the offerings brought this day be used as seeds, planted faithfully and nurtured lovingly so that God's way may be realized anew in this world.

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

John 14:15-21; 15:1-8

SPECIAL MUSIC What a Wonderful World, arr. John Miller
The Chancel Choir, Directed by Logan Bingham

MEDITATION A New Neighborhood?

Rev. R.V. Butler

HYMN For the Healing of the Nations **UMH #428**

BENEDICTION

This is the faith which we proclaim:

The power of God which created the world is the power of love.

The power in Jesus which rescues the world is the power of love.

The power in us which changes the world is the power of love.

Let us go now in the name of love.

POSTLUDE Festive Trumpet Tune, by David German

THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor Rev. Russell Butler

Children's Ministry Alicia Griffing, Alicia Simons

Organist Shelby Fisher

Media Barrett Carpenter, Josh Jensen,

Chuck Mittelstadt, Shannon Meyer

Liturgist Mike Hampton

If you would like to sign up to be a liturgist or greeter, please sign the book in the Narthex, the area behind the Sanctuary.

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

Sunday Morning Schedule

9:00 to 10:00 am Sunday School for Adults

Current study is **Social Justice Series**

May 29th - No Class

June 5th – Pride Parade Downtown

June 12th – Climate

10:00 to 10:30 am Fellowship & Coffee in the Gym
10:30 to 11:30 am Sunday Worship Service and Sunday School for Children (3 years – 6th grade)

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