Welcome to Christ United Methodist Church - A *Reconciling Congregation!*
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We are a community of faith, who welcomes ALL people. We believe that the love of Jesus was, and is, radically inclusive. We desire for you to find this sanctuary and church to be a safe place, full of love and grace.

Thank you for filling out the enclosed Connection Card and placing it in the offering plate during offering time.

October 5, 2025 – 17th Sunday after Pentecost

(*Those who are able, please stand.)
(Bold face type – parts we all speak or sing.)

GATHERING & CENTERING TIME

OPENING MUSIC "Abide with Me" arr. Darwin Wilford

WELCOME Rev. Dale Carl Fredrickson

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 137

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

How shall we sing the Lord's song in a land of suffering?
We shall sing of courage and the strength of the Lord.
How shall we sing the Lord's song when we feel so lonely?
We shall sing of unity and faithfulness, of reconciliation and hope.
Come, let us sing the Lord's song this day.
Let us praise God in all our ways forever. AMEN.

***SONG "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" UMH #557**

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

CHILDREN'S TIME

SONG "Where Children Belong" TFWS #2233

(Children & adults are welcome to come forward. Childcare for children 2 years and under is available in the Nursery. Children will go to Sunday School after Children's Time.)

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS, GIFTS & TITHES

PRAYER SONG "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" TFWS #2193

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.

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERING OPTIONS: QR Code to Give: Use the QR code. Text to Give: Text dollar amount to 801-317-8833 and follow the prompts.

MUSIC "Two Communion Hymn Meditations" arr. Jay Althouse
Chancel Choir, directed by Logan Bingham

OFFERING PRAYER

Faithful God, our source and sustainer, take these gifts as seeds of trust, planted in hope and watered with gratitude. Even when our faith feels small, you multiply our offering into acts of healing, welcome, and justice. So, increase not only our faith, Lord, but also our willingness to serve—with humility, joy, and confidence that you are at work through every generous act. In the name of the one who came to remind us we are not alone.

RECEIVING TIME

SCRIPTURE READING Ruth 1:1-18 & Hebrews 13:5

SERMON Rev. Dale Carl Fredrickson
"The Words We Need to Say, Part 5: You Are Not Alone"

*RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

SENDING TIME

***SENDING SONG "Abide with Me" UMH #700, vv. 1,3,5**

WAYS TO ENGAGE

BENEDICTION Rev. Dale Carl Fredrickson

CLOSING MUSIC "Carillon Toccata" by Douglas Wagner

THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastors	Rev. Dale Carl Fredrickson & Rev. Bruce Kolasch
Children's Ministry	Alicia Griffing & Alicia Simons
Organist	Dr. Shelby Fisher
Media	Barrett Carpenter & Thomas Mittelstadt
Liturgist	Kay Grimme
Communion Servers	Chancel Choir

Christ UMC - TODAY's Events: October 5

8:00 am – Chapel Worship Service, Chapel/Room 100
8:30 am – Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Music Room
9:30 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time, Front Hallway
10:00 am – Worship in the Sanctuary & Children's Sunday School
(children will start in worship)
11:00 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time, Gym
11:30 am – Mission & Outreach Meet & Greet, Room 201 (upstairs)
4:30 pm – Asbury Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room
5:30 pm – Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room

Christ UMC Events: October 6 – October 12

Monday: 7:00 pm Hospitality and Events Committee, Zoom
7:00 pm Sloe Jam (Bluegrass), Youth Room/Room 200 (upstairs)
Tuesday: 7:30 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room
Wednesday: 10:00 am Wednesday Morning Study Group, Parlor
6:30 pm Witty Knitters, Parlor
Thursday: 8:00 am Breakfast Group, Anna's Restaurant (4770 S 900 E)
7:30 pm apPRAISEation Rehearsal, Music Room
Sunday: **Health Fair & 18th Sunday after Pentecost**
8:00 am Chapel Service, Chapel/Room 100
8:30 am – 12:00 pm Health Fair, Gym & Chapel/Room 100
9:30 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway
10:00 am Worship in the Sanctuary & Children's Sunday School
(children will start in worship)
11:30 am Youth Group, Youth Room/Room 200 (upstairs)
11:30 am Social Justice Event, Room 201 (upstairs)
4:30 pm Asbury Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room
5:30 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room

Reconciling Ministries Network

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"Part 5: You Are Not Alone"

17th Sunday after Pentecost

October 5, 2025 – 10:00 a.m. Worship

Pastors, Rev. Dale Fredrickson & Rev. Bruce Kolasch

"Creating and promoting a faith that is thoughtful, compassionate and inclusive"