

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.

Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

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

GATHERING & CENTERING TIME

OPENING MUSIC

“Hymn of Promise”

WELCOME

Rev. Bruce Kolasch

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Lord, teach us how to be grounded in You.

Teach us to listen for Your voice;

Teach us to look for Your goodness in the world;

Teach us to pass on the love we feel from You,

To bloom where we are planted,

And to speak Your grace to the world.

This is the day that the Lord has made;

Let us Rejoice and be glad in it!

by Rev. Lisa Petty

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

***SONG**

“God Is So Good”

Sloe Jam

Verse 1: God is so good (x3), He’s so good to me

2: God answers prayer (x3), He’s so good to me

3: God loves us so...(x3) He’s so good to me

4: We love God too...(x3), He’s so good to me ... (Verse 1 again)

CHILDREN’S TIME

SONG

“Where Children Belong”

TFWS #2233

MYSTERY BOX

(Children & adults are welcome to come forward. Childcare for children 2 years and under is available in the Nursery.)

MUSIC MINISTRY

“Untitled”

by J. Raney

The Wesley Bell Ringers, Dir. Katie Lay

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS, GIFTS & TITHES

COMMUNITY PRAYER:

by Rev. Lisa Petty

In your divine mercy O Lord, we rest in your comfort. As the weeks move forward and the close of the year grows ever closer, remind us of your nourishing love. May we seek you first in all we do, so that others would know your grace through us. Forgive us for the moments we resist you and seek out other means of guidance. Allow us to constantly be disciples of your hope and joy. In your name we pray, 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.

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 MINISTRY

“How Great Thou Art”

by S.K. Hine

Sloe Jam

***OFFERING RESPONSE SONG “Give Thanks”**

TFWS #2036, vv. 2

RECEIVING TIME

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalms 1, NRSVUE

SERMON

“I Want to Be Like a Tree”

Rev. Bruce Kolasch

SENDING TIME

***SENDING SONG**

“Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”

UMH #89

WAYS TO ENGAGE THIS WEEK

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING MUSIC

“Hymn to Joy”

arr. J. Payne

THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor

Rev. Bruce Kolasch

Children’s Ministry

Alicia Griffing & Alicia Simons

Organist

Shelby Fisher

Media

Barrett Carpenter & Shannon Meyer

Liturgist

Ruth Burkett

Christ UMC – TODAY'S Events: November 12

- 8:00 am – Chapel Worship Service, Chapel
9:00 am – Social Justice Series Adult Sunday School, Chapel
9:30 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time & Blood Pressure Check, Hallway
10:00 am – Worship in the Sanctuary
 Children's Sunday School, (children will start in worship)
11:00 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time & Blood Pressure Check, Gym
11:00 am – Sunday School Singers, Room 201
11:15 am – Asbury Rehearsal, Music Room
2:00 pm – Mary Ann Allison's 90th Birthday Celebration, Chapel
5:00 pm – Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room

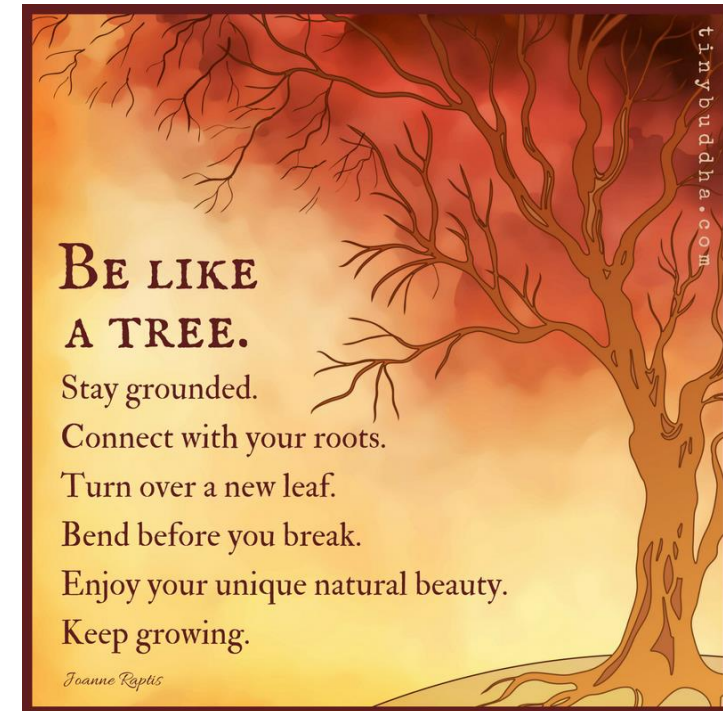
Christ UMC Events This Week: Nov. 13 – Nov. 19

- Monday:** 1:00 pm Witty Knitters, Parlor
7:00 pm Sloe Jam, Music Room *Newcomers welcome
- Tuesday:** 7:00 pm Finance Committee, Zoom
7:00 pm Young Adult Book Group, Level Crossing Brewery
7:30 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room
- Wednesday:** 10:00 am Wednesday Morning Study Group, Parlor
- Thursday:** 10:00 am Deborah Circle, Parlor
7:30 pm apPRAISEation Rehearsal, Music Room
- Friday:** Palmer Court Pet Food & Supplies Delivery
- Saturday:** 8:30 am – 11:00 am Rummage Drop-off, North Door
- Sunday: Bible Sunday, & 25th Sunday after Pentecost**
8:00 am Chapel Service
8:30 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Music Room
9:00 Social Justice Series Adult Sunday School, Chapel
9:30 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway
10:00 am Worship in the Sanctuary (no Sunday School today)
11:00 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Gym
11:00 am Sunday School Singers, Room 201
11:15 am Asbury Rehearsal, Music Room
11:30 am Bible Sunday Celebration, Gym
4:00 pm Broadway Hits Concert, Sanctuary
5:00 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room



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Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost
November 12, 2023 - 10:00 Worship

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“Creating and promoting a faith that is thoughtful, compassionate and inclusive”