

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 8TH, 2026

Church Meeting - A Town Hall will be held between services on Sunday, March 22nd around 9:45am in the sanctuary. There will be no Sunday School that morning. We will be highlighting some of the awesome things happening here at CCUMC, goals for our future, and a brief Q and A time.

Reminder - Please pick up some Free Chicken Corn Soup after each service today.

Reminder - If you ordered Ham Loaves, pick up is Monday, March 9th, from 1:00-5:00pm.

Upcoming Meetings: Staff - March 10th @ 1:00pm
Christian Classics - March 12th @ 6:00pm
Children/Youth Ministry - March 15th @ 12:30pm
Worship Committee - March 17th @ 3:00pm

The Christian Classics will meet on **Thursday, March 12th, at 6:00pm** for our **Roll & Bowl** which includes Soups, Breads, and Desserts.

Recycle Christmas & Year Round Greeting Cards - The deadline has been extended for the collection of Christmas and Year Round Greeting Cards for Mission Central. They will be repurposing them into Cheer Kits. **A gathering box will be in the Fellowship Hall through March 24th.**

A Mission Central Trip will take place on **Wednesday, March 25th (New departure time of 8:00am from the church parking lot)**. We will enjoy lunch at The Olive Garden. Sign up now!

Arts & Crafts Fair - We are preparing for our 2nd Annual Arts & Crafts Fair on Saturday, March 28th, from 9am-2:00pm. A Kitchen Food Court will be open for eat-in or take out until 2pm. **Sign-up sheets are posted for food donations and help the day of the fair.** Mark your calendars now. Come to the fair and find great Easter & Mother's Day gifts!

College Care & Military Ministries - Our Spring 2026 outreach will be sent March 30th. We are in need of gift cards (\$5, \$10, \$15, and \$20 increments) or monetary donations to purchase gift cards. Some favorites are: Wendy's, McDonalds, Dunkin, Starbucks, Taco Bell, Moes, Weis, Walmart, Jersey Mikes, Chipotle, Aldi, Subway, and Dominoes. **You are welcome to purchase these gifts cards through the church between services through March 22nd.** If you have someone to add to this ministry, please share their name, address, college or military branch, and graduation date. All donations and new addresses need to be in by Sunday, March 29th. They can be given to Judie Steinbacher or Monica Hoover directly, or placed in the CCUMC College Care/Military Ministry Mailbox.

A 4th Day Friends meeting will take place on **Monday, March 30th, at 6:00pm** in the classroom off the Fellowship Hall. Anyone interested in attending a Spring 2026 Mens (April 23-26) or Womens (April 30-May 3) Emmaus Walk Weekend at Wesley Forest is encouraged to attend to learn more.

An Easter Eggstravaganza will take place on **Saturday, April 11th, from 10am-12Noon.** We will have food, games, an egg hunt and much more! We will also have a sensory friendly egg hunt for children with those needs. Mark your calendars now for this fun event! **Donations of individually wrapped candy are appreciated and may be placed in the donation bin in the Fellowship Hall.**

Join us for Tuesday Morning Prayer Time from 9:00-10:00am, in the lounge, room 20.

A Spring Pop Up Table is in the Fellowship Hall. We are featuring Spring and Easter Décor.

Check your mailbox - If it is your birthday month, check for blessings given by friends!

If you have a prayer request, call Barb Inch, Delores Kauffman, or the church office. You may also fill out a prayer card located at the entrance to the sanctuary and on the Welcome Desk in the Narthex and place in the prayer box.

To order flowers in honor of a birthday, anniversary, etc., or in memory of loved ones, please contact Stephanie Rauch.

Thank You, CCUMC for food donations to Christ's Prayer Pantry Ministry! **Needs continue.** Consider rice, pasta, peanut butter, canned soups and cereal purchases.

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST COMMUNITY

Please pray daily for the following:

Today 3/8

9:30 A.M. Free Soup Handout
12 Noon Free Soup Handout

Monday 3/9

1:00-5:00 P.M. Ham Loaf Pick Up

Tuesday 3/10

9:00 A.M. Prayer Time
1:00 P.M. Staff Meeting
4:00 P.M. Youth Group
5:45 P.M. Handbells
6:45 P.M. Choir

Wednesday 3/11

5:00 P.M. Lenten Soup Dinner
6:00 P.M. Lenten Study
6:00 P.M. Awana

Thursday 3/12

6:00 P.M. Christian Classics

Sunday 3/15 *UMCOR Sunday*

8:30 A.M. Worship
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship
12:30 P.M. Children/Youth
Ministry Meeting

