

# CEDAR SPRINGS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## Service Times

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### Sunday Worship @ 10:15 a.m.

- ››Supervised Nursery Care
- ››Children's Church 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays
- ››Holy Communion 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday

### Wednesday Food & Faith @ 6:00-7:00 p.m.

- ››Dinner for All
- ››Kids' Christian Ed & Youth Group

## Contact Us

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### Office Hours...

Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.



**T-Coil Hearing Loop Available in the Sanctuary**  
**See an Usher for Assistance**

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## FEBRUARY 11, 2018



*“Light, So That.....”*  
Rev. Bill Johnson

# W E L C O M E

## GATHERING MUSIC

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP *(adapted from Isaiah 40)*

Like Moses, we hear the voice of God calling us,  
**And like Elijah we will proclaim God's marvelous deeds.**  
Like James and John, we want to be close to Jesus,  
**Like Jesus, we want to be close to God.**  
So here we are, to prepare ourselves for ministry,  
**Yes! Here we are to be washed in the light of God, and sent into the world.**

\*OPENING HYMN "Shine, Jesus Shine" TFWS 2173

### \*UNISON PRAYER

**Awesome God, whose brightness shines through Jesus, whose astonishing love has been revealed throughout all generations, and who continues to reveal yourself in our day: We are here to worship you in spirit and in truth, but we are also here to be refueled for service. We pray that in this hour you will teach us your ways. We will offer our best to you in worship, so that as we come down from the mountain top we will be filled with new energy and insight for the journey; through Christ our Lord we pray, amen.**

## KIDS CHOIR

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

## THIS WEEK'S PRAYER CONCERNS AND PRAISES

CALL TO PRAYER "Change My Heart, O God" TFWS 2152

## A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER

## PASTORAL PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

**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.**

HYMN "We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding" TFWS 2103

SCRIPTURE Mark 9:2-9 NIV 1567

SERMON "Light, So That..." Rev. Bill Johnson

## OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

\*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*CLOSING HYMN "Be Thou My Vision" UMH 451

### \*BENEDICTION

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**It is a privilege** for Cedar Springs United Methodist Church to hold the Charter for Cub Scout Pack 3220, to offer our building for their use as these young people mature through the outstanding contributions of scouting. We want to thank the young people who are here today representing their Pack, along with the adults who lead them. We also thank them for providing cookies for our fellowship time. Remember to say thanks to the Cub Scouts and their leaders today! Special thanks to Jacob Baughan, Lucas Baughan, Lucas Tagg, Ethan Hess, Ryan Hess, Robert Judis and Caleb Terrien for being a part of our service today.

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\*Please stand as you are able.

UMH=United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS="The Faith We Sing" Hymn Supplement

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN SERVICE

Putting our faith into action is at the very heart of our Christian calling. Every person has the opportunity to serve and to live out their calling more faithfully. Volunteers embody Christian love in action by bringing their diverse talents to our worship service, educational offerings, mission programs, and local outreach ministries. Sign-up sheets are available on the bulletin board in the hallway outside the Sanctuary or you may talk to Pastor Bill.

	<u>This Week (02/11/18)</u>	<u>Next Week (02/18/18)</u>
Audio	Mark Scooros	Mark Scooros
Children's Church	Janet Scott	--
Choir Director	Sue Harrison	Sue Harrison
Fellowship	Scouts	Ann Scott
Gathering Music	Jerry VanderWal	Kathleen Makowski
Greeters	Roy & Marge Covell	
Kids' Choir	Nancy Noreen	Nancy Noreen
Liturgist		Sue Harrison
Nursery	Helene Caldwell	Robin Kribbet
Organist	Janet Avery	Connie Kidder
Pianist	Bonnie Hitchingham	Bonnie Hitchingham
Ushers	Keith Caldwell, Dan Davis	Keith Caldwell, Dan Davis
Video	James Scott	Tim Scott

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC MISSION

*To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world*

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC VISION

*We share the love and hope of Jesus Christ...*

- by inviting people of all ages to participate with openness and sincerity
- by worshipping through music and fellowship
- by studying God's Word together
- by praying and caring for each other
- by serving each other, our community, and our world
- by giving of our time, talents, gifts, and resources

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

Prayer is the primary work of God's people. It is a vital connection to God where we can hear from, listen to, and respond to God. We encourage you to pray as part of being a healthy disciple. Here are some folks you can pray for this week...

### Members and Friends in Care Facilities:

Metron of Cedar Springs: Rose Hunter, Lois Larson  
The Sanctuary at St. Mary's: Helen Tibbe

### Homebound: Barb Rowland

<b>Members</b>	Kim Emery	Ron Wesche
Jerry & Lois Collis	Naomi Burton	Mary Smith
Jackie & Madaline Harvey	Deanna Magoon	Lawrence Reyburn
Christian Covell	Family of Paulette Fitzpatrick	Dale Waller
Fred & Carollee Gunnell	Anna Elabrock	Chloe Mason
Helen Tibbe	Fred Behziz & family	Lori Ostrom
Albert Abel	Kathy Raudenbush	Lyn Berkompas
John & Joyce Hansen	Sally Grayvold & family	Ed Johnson
Soonja Koole	Family of Dave Hammacher	Mallory Johnson
Bud & Helen Gabee	Pam Benedict	Nancy Gerlich
Greg & Sally Johnson	Cookie Jones & family	Tim Price
	Tarek Nasser	Mel Zimmerman
<b>Friends</b>	Ken Wesche	Randy Truman
Austin & Amber Frandsen & family	Barbara Mickam & family	Kathy Morris
Louise Yuncker	Mike Reed	

### Missionaries: Robert & Shirley Amundsen, Thousandsticks, KY

### Kids Hope USA: Mentors, Prayer Partners, and Students

### In Our Country's Service:

Jordan Ackerman

Kenny Neville

Nick Segard

Jenny Jo Collin

James & Jackie Finley-Champion

Ben & Sarah (Noreen) Smith

Russell & Janet (Noreen) Scott, Evelyn & Noah

Peter & Mikelle Noreen

Elisabeth Bullen

Wayne Carlson

Tyler Hinton

David Segard, III

Jake Merritt

Mitchell Phillips

Aaron Burnside

**Names will remain on the prayer list for one month unless specified otherwise on the prayer card. Thank you.**

## THIS WEEK AT CEDAR SPRINGS UMC

### **SUNDAY (02/11) Scout Sunday**

Adult Bible Study (Parlor) 9:00 a.m.  
Worship Service w/Children's Church (Sanctuary) 10:15 a.m.  
Coffee Hour (Fellowship Hall) 11:15 a.m.  
Fish Tales Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 11:15-11:45 a.m.  
Outreach/Evangelism Committee Meeting (Parlor) 11:30 a.m.  
District & CS UMW Meeting (Parlor) 2:30 p.m.  
Green Acres Worship Service 3:00 p.m.

### **MONDAY (02/12)**

Adult Woodcarving (Parlor) 6:00 p.m.

### **TUESDAY (02/13)**

Women's Bible Study (Parlor) 10:00 a.m.  
Love & Stitches (Cedar Café) 12:00 p.m.  
Love & Stitches (Parlor) 1:00 p.m.  
Youth Hand Chimes (Sanctuary) 2:30 p.m.  
Kids' Choir (Downstairs) 3:40 p.m.  
Scouts #3220 (F. Hall, Classrooms) 6:00 p.m.  
Finance Meeting (Parlor) 6:30 p.m.

### **WEDNESDAY (02/14)**

Ash Wednesday Service @ ENC 7:00 p.m.  
NO Food & Faith- dinner, Kids Christian Ed. or Adult Choir

### **THURSDAY (02/15)**

Cub Scouts (F. Hall, Classrooms, Parlor) 6:00 p.m.

### **SATURDAY (02/17)**

Lions Pancake Breakfast (Fellowship Hall) 8:00 a.m.

### **SUNDAY (02/17)**

Adult Bible Study (Parlor) 9:00 a.m.  
Worship Service / Communion / (Sanctuary) 10:15 a.m.  
Coffee Hour (Fellowship Hall) 11:15 a.m.

### **February 11<sup>th</sup> Special Offering: Racial and Ethnic Local Church**

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**Sympathy to:** the family of Barbara Rowland on her passing 02/05/18. Please keep her family in your prayers.

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## NEWS & EVENTS AT CEDAR SPRINGS UMC

**Haiti Bags:** We are in need of volunteers to sew the bags for school supplies. The kits for sewing are in the church office. If you have any questions, please contact Ann Scott from the Missions Team.

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**Children's Church:** Looking for volunteers to help out with the Children's Church on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board or contact Rose Kempf.

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**Food & Faith classes** Volunteers needed to help prepare meals & clean up each week (and of course enjoy supper). If you or your group would like to sign up, please email Nancy ([nanoreen@aol.com](mailto:nanoreen@aol.com)). **NO Faith classes/meals needed Feb.14, April 4 or after May 9.**

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### **Lenten Worship "Fruitful Faith"**

**February 18: "Radical Hospitality: Whatever it Takes"**

Scripture: Matthew 22:1-10

**February 25: "Passionate Worship: Happy Are Those"**

Scripture: Psalm 84

**March 4: "Intentional Faith Development: Day By Day"**

Scripture Text: Acts 2:42-47

**March 11: "Risk-taking Mission and Service: Lose Yourself"**

Scripture: Luke 9: 23-27

*(Don't forget Daylight Savings Time begins today)*

**March 18: "Extravagant Generosity: Be a Mirror of God's Giving"**

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

**March 25 (Palm Sunday): "Fish Tales"**

A Children's Music by Kathy Hill and Melody Mosely Morris

**March 29 Maundy Thursday Worship at 7:00 p.m.**

A service of scripture and song telling the passion story, with East Nelson UMC - **At Cedar Springs UMC**

**April 1 - Easter Day: Details coming soon!**