

Serving church and community

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Kids Choir: Nancy Noreen

Ushers: Dan Davis and Keith Caldwell

	<u>This Week (04/29/18)</u>	<u>Next Week (05/06/18)</u>
Children's Church:	No Children's Church	No Children's Church
Fellowship:	Deb Mercer, Darcy Reister	Coffee In Parlor
Gathering Music:	Jerry VanderWal	Kathy Makowski
Greeters:	Deb Mercer, Darcy Reister	Tim & Dorothy Scott
Liturgist:	Sue Harrison	Keith Caldwell
Nursery :	Robin Kribbet	Jennifer Totten

We wear friendship badges as a sign of hospitality.

Sign up for one at the table in the greeting area.

Child Safety Training

Our children are precious to us so we at CSUMC have a Child Safety Policy.

If you plan on working with children at CSUMC, here is what you need to do. Fill out the application. Attend a short meeting discussing the policy. A short interview will be held. Anyone who will be volunteering for Vacation Bible School needs to have paperwork turned in May 1st and interviews and training will be set up.



Cedar Springs United Methodist Church

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Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Welcome to Cedar Springs United Methodist Church April 29, 2018 at 10:15 A.M.



T Loop is available *Please stand as you are able.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing

Childcare is available during worship for infants to two years old.

Children's Church is offered the 2nd & 4th Sundays after Children's Sermon.

GATHERING AND GREETING

*OPENING HYMN "Cry of My Heart" TFWS 2165

*UNISON PRAYER FOR EASTER SEASON *Flames of the Spirit, Ruth Duck*

Gracious God, we your children praise you for all the gifts of your grace. We thank you for those who are our partners in the adventure of living; we thank you for Jesus Christ, who in serving love gave all human partnerships new meaning. And since without your help we can do nothing as we ought, we pray you to enrich us with your grace, that we may be faithful and loving in all our relationships; through the Spirit of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

SCRIPTURE 1 Peter 2:2-10 NIV 1888

CHOIR ANTHEM "Gather By the River To Pray"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

CALL TO PRAYER, COMMUNITY PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN "Change My Heart, O God" TFWS 2152

SCRIPTURE Acts 7:55-60 NIV 1704

MESSAGE "Yeah, It's Hard" Rev. Bill Johnson

THE OFFERING *(Special Sunday Offering: School Bags & Health Kits)*

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER UMH 94

*HYMN "Help us Accept Each Other" UMH 560

*BENEDICTION

Our Community Connects with each other after worship!

THIS WEEK AT CEDAR SPRINGS UMC

SUNDAY (04/29)

Discovery Class – 9:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study - 9:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 10:15 a.m.
Coffee Hour - 11:15 a.m.

MONDAY (04/30)

Review Committee - 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY (05/01)

Women's Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.
Love & Stitches 1:00 p.m.
Youth Hand Chimes - 2:30 p.m.
Kids' Choir - 3:45 p.m.
Scouts #3220 - 6:00 p.m.
Trustee Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY (05/02)

Food & Faith- Dinner – 6:00 p.m.
Kids Christian Ed – 6:20 p.m.
Adult Choir - 6:45 p.m.

THURSDAY (05/03)

Scouts – 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY (05/06)

Adult Bible Study - 9:00 a.m.
Worship Service w/Communion &
Reception of New Members
10:15 a.m.
Coffee Hour - 11:15 a.m.

General Offering Received Sunday 04/22/2018: \$6,324.00 (2 weeks offerings)

Farewell Celebration: Bill Haggard D.S. Farewell – May 6 at Georgetown UMC – 3:00-5:00 p.m. Let us represent CSUMC!

Promotion Sunday- May 13: If there is someone you know graduating this year from high school or college please contact the office (Office@cedarspringsumc.org or 696-1140) or Nancy Noreen (nanoreen@aol.com or 616-5186)

Habitat for Humanity Mission Trip - Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser – May 20

Join us for our annual Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser. Donations will be used to help offset the cost of the trip. If you would like to donate food for the dinner, please sign up at the back of the church.

Save-the-Date: Celebrate Janet Avery's 56 years of Music Ministry by joining us for a Potluck & Recognition on June 10 after worship.

Vacation Bible School: "River Rampage" - June 25-28 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. For kids 3 yrs. (potty trained) thru 8th grade. Registration forms available online or in church office--see Sally Johnson. Monetary donations needed & appreciated.

CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

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

Members	Friends	
George & Ruth DeYoung	Mel Zimmerman	Ed Johnson
Jerry & Lois Collis	Family of Ronald Sinclair	Tim Price
Jo Furhoff	Dale Waller	Chloe Mason
Bud & Helen Gambie	Mike & Carolyn Reed	Randy Truman
Jackie & Madaline Harvey	Family of Burdette Helenius	Nancy Bernard & family
Fred & Carollee Gunnell	Family of Estelle Cornell	
Helen Tibbe	Trina Ula	
Albert Abel	Leon Avery	
John & Joyce Hansen	Jackie Tabor & family	
Soonja Koole	Dawn Pell	
Greg & Sally Johnson	Lori Ostrom	

Members and Friends in Care Facilities:

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

Missionaries: Robert & Shirley Amundsen, Thousandsticks, KY

Kids Hope USA: Mentors, Prayer Partners, and Students

In Our Country's Service:

Jordan Ackerman	Elisabeth Bullen	Aaron Burnside
Kenny Neville	Wayne Carlson	Jake Merritt
Nick Segard	Tyler Hinton	Mitchell Phillips
Jenny Jo Collin	David Segard, III	
James & Jackie Finley-Champion		
Ben & Sarah (Noreen) Smith		
Russell & Janet (Noreen) Scott, Evelyn & Noah		
Peter & Mikelle Noreen		

