

## Serving Church and Community

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	<u>This Week (06/30/19)</u>	<u>This Week (07/07/19)</u>
Fellowship:		
Gathering Music:	Kathy Makowski	Kathy Makowski
Greeters:	Pete & Robin Kribbet	Keith & Ariadne Winquist-Schuldt
Liturgist:	Betty VanderWal	
Nursery :		

**MARK THIS DATE!!!** Sunday, July 28, our worship time will change to 1:00 p.m., Sunday afternoon, so that we can be led in worship by the Restoration Community Church (RCC) congregation. The church is led by Congolese Pastor Banza Mukalay, who is ordained in the African Methodist Church, and lived in a refugee camp for 13 years in Tanzania. This congregation of 150-200 people is composed of mostly African refugees who have settled in the Grand Rapids area. They worship at Wesley Park United Methodist Church in Wyoming. Last fall several of our church attended worship with RCC and there began a friendship that we hope to cultivate in the future. This service is one way we can show our communion in Christ and learn more about the African culture as we expand our horizons as a local church.

**There will be one worship service on July 28, at 1:00 p.m.** A meal will follow in the fellowship hall. Watch for more details as the date approaches. Get ready for an inspiring, moving worship experience in the African tradition!

### 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 June 30, 2019 at 10:15 a.m.



### GATHERING MUSIC AND GREETING

**\*SONG** "We Are Marching" TFWS 2235-b  
(Siyahamba/Caminando)

### \*OPENING PRAYER (in Unison)

**SONG** "Jesus Loves the Little Children" On Screen  
*All children are invited to come forward at this time.*

### THE MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN

Janet Scott  
*Note: Children's Church is in recess until September 8. We love to see our children in worship. There is also a nursery for preschool and under.*

### MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Vacation Bible School "Choir"

**SCRIPTURE** Luke 9:51-62 Common English Bible

**SONG** "Here I Am, Lord" UMH 593

**SCRIPTURE** 1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21 Common English Bible

**MESSAGE** "Don't Look Back" Rev. Bill Johnson  
*(Something Might Be Gaining on You)*

### COMMUNITY PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

### OUR LIFE TOGETHER AND MISSION MOMENTS

*Commissioning of Our Habitat for Humanity Work Team*

### THE OFFERING, \*DOXOLOGY AND \*PRAYER

**\*SONG** "The Summons" TFWS 2130

### \*BENEDICTION

*Let the celebration continue as we greet one another!*



T Loop is available

\*Please stand as you are able.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing

Child care is available during worship for infants to three years old.

## THIS WEEK AT CEDAR SPRINGS UMC

Summer Offering (in conjunction with Cedar Springs Ministerial Association)  
 “Hand2hand” – eliminating local childhood hunger.

See the July Chimes for a list.

Or visit: <https://www.csministerial.org/donate>

### SUNDAY (06/30)

#### Offering: Food Pantry

Worship –10:15 a.m.

Coffee Fellowship – 11:30 a.m.

### MONDAY (07/01)

Mission Team Meeting – 10:00 a.m.

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

### TUESDAY (07/02)

Women’s Bible Study – 10:00 a.m.

Trustee Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

### THURSDAY (07/04)

Happy Independence Day!

Office Closed

Food Pantry Closed

### FRIDAY (07/05)

Office Closed

Food Pantry Closed

### SUNDAY (07/07) Communion Sunday

#### Offering: VBS Special Offering / RCC

Worship –10:15 a.m.

Coffee Fellowship – 11:30 a.m.

Mission Trip Departure

### Silent Auction!

Hazel Palmer has donated a collection of diverse artwork that she would like us to have for the purpose of fundraising for any purpose we wish. The artwork will be on a rotating display in Sanctuary during the month of July and in August they will all be displayed for auction. More details will come in July. The Church Council will be discussing the use of the funds raised.

**Spoke Folk** – A unique opportunity will be presented at CSUMC on July 23 by a traveling worship group that celebrates at a new church each day and performs a program of Christian music and testimonies. Mark your calendar to enjoy an evening out with good music and worship. Details will be coming soon.

“**Discovery Class**” designed for people who may wish to know more about CSUMC. This class will also serve as membership orientation for those who wish to unite with this congregation as members.

The class will be held on Sunday mornings, 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., on July 7, 14 and 21, and on August 4. There will be a makeup date on August 11, in case there is any need to miss one of the other dates. It’s summer, after all! 😊



### Take me out to the Ball Game!

August 25 - 2:00 p.m.

Tickets available - \$14.00 each - Deadline is August 11!

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

Names will remain on the prayer list for 1 month unless notified. Thank you.

Members	Friends	
Chris Segard	Nancy Gerlich	Diane Hammond
Phil & Sue Harrison	Donna Pachulski	Tim Price
Albert & Frances Abel	Jeff Blanchard	Randy Benedict
Leon Avery	Ed McIntyre	Mel Zimmerman
Bob Ries	Eric Scott	Dale Waller
Stacey Grooters	Family of Kaitlynn Scott	
Jerry & Lois Collis	Jean Douthert	
Fred & Carollee Gunnell	David Segard	

### Members and Friends in Care Facilities:

Metron of Cedar Springs: Rose Hunter

The Brook of Cedar Springs: Albert & Frances Abel

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

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

### In Our Country’s Service:

Jordan Ackerman

Mitchell Phillips

Nick Segard

Jenny Jo Collin

James & Jackie (Champion) Finley

Russell & Janet (Noreen) Scott, Evelyn & Noah

Ben & Sarah (Noreen) Smith, Kate

Elisabeth Bullen

Waylon Carlson

Tyler Hinton

Aaron Burnside

Peter & Mikelle Noreen

### Prayers for our Habitat for Humanity volunteers headed to the U.P. July 7!

Ed Abel, Carl Brown, Dan Davis, Linda Hagan, Mari Anne Jones, Brian Jones, Nancy Nielsen, Tom Noreen and Ann Scott.

**Sympathy** to Rosalind McIntyre and family on the passing of her husband, Edwin (Ed) McIntyre. Please keep their family in your prayers.



### Summer Series: “Listen” (July 7 – August 11)

Have you ever misplaced your phone—which is on vibrate of course—and then asked someone to call it? We get really still and really quiet. Our ears perk up in all directions in order to be ready to hear that little buzz. It’s like quieting down and being on high alert all at the same time. This Summer we will quiet things down and heighten our attention to the “still, small voice” of God and our own True Self. Listening through prayer as well as meditation on holy texts is an ancient Christian practice. Come and listen.