

## Serving Church and Community

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Choir Director: Sue Harrison  
Kids' Choir: Nancy Noreen  
Ushers: Dan Davis and Keith Caldwell

### This Week (09/15/19)

Gathering Music: Kathy Makowski  
Fellowship: Bob & Kathy Ries  
Greeters: Joyce Hansen, Louise Shaw  
Liturgist: Kathy Ries  
Nursery: Robin Kribbet  
Ushers: Betty VanderWal, Diane Bengtson  
Karen Mueller, Lilly Scott  
Acolyte: Allison Scott



### Sale Dates October 10 - October 12.

#### Schedule of daily events:

Sunday 10/06 - Bring items to fellowship hall from the side porch after Worship. HELP IS NEEDED.

Monday 10/07 - Wednesday 10/09 - Sale set-up from 9 am - 4 pm.

Come when you are able.

Sale -Thursday 10/10 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Sale -Friday 10/11 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (bag sale on clothes \$3.00/ bag -buy 2 get 1 free)

Sale -Saturday 10/12 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (clothes \$1.00/ bag -1/2 off other items) Clean-up begins at 2 pm. (HELP NEEDED)

Sign ups sheets are available outside the Sanctuary.

### 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 September 15, 2019 at 10:15 a.m.



### WELCOME AND HISTORY OF UMW

Kathy Ries

### LEGACY FUND

Betty VanderWal

### UMW MISSION MOMENT

Ann Scott

### OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Bonnie Hitchingham

### \*SONG

"Marching to Zion"

UMH 733

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 14

UMH 746

### SONG

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" (vs. 1&3)

On Screen

### THE MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN

Nancy Noreen

### MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"The Way That He Loves"

Nancy Nielsen

Jeny Ransom

### SCRIPTURE

Luke 15:1-10

The Message

### INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER

### MESSAGE

"Jesus Outwitted Them."

Rev. Mary Brown

### COMMUNITY PRAYERS, THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Mary Brown

### AWARD PRESENTATION

Carolyn Davis, Joyce Hansen

### THE OFFERING, \*DOXOLOGY, PRAYER

Betty VanderWal

### \*SONG

"Here I Am, Lord"

UMH 593

### \*BENEDICTION

Janet Scott



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.

United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose *purpose* is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive community; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in global ministries of the church.

## THIS WEEK AT CEDAR SPRINGS UMC

**SUNDAY (09/15) UMW Sunday**  
**Mission Offering: Family Promise**  
Worship – 10:15 a.m.  
Fellowship – 11:15 a.m.  
Outreach Meeting – 11:30 a.m.  
**\*\*Chimes Articles Due\*\***

**MONDAY (09/16)**  
Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
SPRC Meeting – 6:00 p.m.  
Finance Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

**TUESDAY (09/17)**  
Women's Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.  
Blood Drive – 12:30 p.m.  
Love & Stitches – 1:00 p.m.  
Kids' Choir – 3:40 p.m.  
Girl Scouts – 6:00 p.m.  
Nominations Mtg. – 6:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY 09/18)**  
Worship Review Meeting – 6:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY (09/19)**  
Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Cub Scouts – 5:30 p.m.

**SATURDAY (09/21)**  
Men's Group Meeting – 9:00 a.m.

**SUNDAY (09/22)**  
**Mission Offering: Family Promise**  
Worship – 10:15 a.m.  
Fellowship – 11:15 a.m.

**Collecting for Missions:**  
School Supplies-see list in Chimes/totes  
Hand-2-hand – canned soup & individual  
Bags of chips  
C. S. Community Food Pantry

## ONGOING EVENTS

**Silent Auction!** Don't forget to check out the artwork donated by Hazel Palmer. All proceeds will go to congregational care – care packages for church members or their families who have an extended stay in the hospital due to illness, surgery or other reasons.

**School Bags:** Our goal is to fill 200 bags this year. We are still in need of: crayons (24ct), colored pencils (12ct), blunt tip metal scissors, pencil sharpeners and rulers. Please drop your donations in the tubs on either level of the church or if you prefer to give money, indicate "school supplies" on the check or envelope. As always, your support and generosity are greatly appreciated.

**Women's Bible Study:** Tuesday mornings 10:00-11:00 a.m. in the church parlor--all women are invited! We are beginning to explore the Book of Revelation. Materials will be provided.

**Kids' Choir:** Choir for 1st Grade & up will start Tuesday, September 17 at 3:40p.m.

**Chimes** - will begin in late September or early October for 6th graders and older.

**Faith Classes** - Wednesday night Faith Classes will begin October 16 at 6:30p.m. From 6:00-6:30p.m. a fellowship meal will be offered to students & their families as well as other groups meeting that night. Contact either Janis Opperman at (616-262-6507) [janis@shaneravenuenursery.com](mailto:janis@shaneravenuenursery.com)) or Nancy Noreen at (616-696-5186 [nanoreen@aol.com](mailto:nanoreen@aol.com)).

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

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

Members	Members	Friends
Albert & Frances Abel	Leon Avery	Shawn Parker
Duff Kilts	Jerry & Lois Collis	Stacy (no last name given)
Hal Ringle	Fred & Carollee Gunnell	DeAnna Magoon
Eric & Stacey Wesche		Lena Thompson and family
Diane Christie		Tom Hansen
Ken & Carol Brooks		Dale Waller
Bud Gambee	<b>Friends</b>	Tim Price
Wayne & June Price	Esther Anderson	Randy Benedict
Jackie & Madaline Harvey	Mike Mercer	
Jo Furhoff	Dick Rickert	

### Members and Friends in Care Facilities:

Metron of Cedar Springs: Rose Hunter

The Brook of Cedar Springs: Albert & Frances Abel

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

### In Our Country's Service:

Jordan Ackerman	Elisabeth Bullen	Aaron Burnside
Mitchell Phillips	Waylon Carlson	Tyler Hinton
Nick Segard	Peter & Mikelle Noreen	
Jenny Jo Collin (Mueller)	Ben & Sarah (Noreen) Smith, Kate	
James & Jackie (Champion) Finley		
Russell & Janet (Noreen) Scott, Evelyn & Noah		

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Adopt-a-Highway:** The Adopt-a-Highway trash pickup on 17 Mile Rd from Algoma Ave to Olin Lake Ave is open to everyone over 16 in an effort to get more folks involved. Please contact Tom Noreen: 616-696-5186.

**Crop Walk:** 10/13 - Rockford United Methodist Church. Sign-In Time: 1:30p.m., Walk Time: 2:00 p.m. Questions: Contact Dan or Carolyn Davis @ 616-696-1939. More information will be added as it becomes available.

**Church Conference:** Sunday, October 13 there will be a brunch following Worship and the Church Conference will begin at 12:30 p.m. All are welcome.

**Family Promise:** *Items needed:* Pillow covers, mattress pads (twin), comforters (washable). Kids pj's, alarm clocks, board games, children's books--( Don't have to be brand new). Bring items to church office or call Ann Scott @696-1567 for pick-up. *Volunteer needs*--Our first time to work will be the Tue., Thur., and Sat. of the week of October 27 and again on Saturday, November 2. Host church is Courtland-Oakfield UMC on Myers Lake Ave. Contact Ann Scott for more information on this ministry and to volunteer.