

## **Serving Church and Community**

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Ushers: Dan Davis and Keith Caldwell

	<b><u>This Week (09/22/19)</u></b>	<b><u>Next Week (09/29/19)</u></b>
Gathering Music	Janis Opperman	Kathy Makowski
Fellowship:		
Greeters:	Bob & Kathy Ries	Pete & Robin Kribbet
Liturgist:		Sue Harrison
Nursery :		

### **North Kent Connect Pastors' Feud – Part Deux**

We have reserved a table seating 10 people for this event. Tickets are \$75.00/person and we still have six seats open. Please contact Pastor Bill or the office if you would like to reserve a seat for yourself or someone!

### **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 22, 2019 at 10:15 a.m.**



### **GATHERING MUSIC AND GREETING**

**\*SONG** "I Surrender All" UMH 354

### **\*OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)**

**SONG** "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" (vs.1&3) On Screen  
*All children are invited to come forward at this time.*

### **THE MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN**

Karen Mueller

**SCRIPTURE** Psalm 113 Contemporary English Bible

**SONG** "To God Be the Glory" UMH 98

**SCRIPTURE** 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Contemporary English Bible

**MESSAGE** "How Shall We Pray for Politicians?" Rev. Bill Johnson

### **COMMUNITY PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

### **OUR LIFE TOGETHER AND MISSION MOMENTS**

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

**\*SONG** "For the Healing of the Nations" UMH 428

### **\*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

### **SUNDAY (09/22)**

#### **Mission Offering: Hand-2-hand**

Worship – 10:15 a.m.  
Fellowship – 11:15 a.m.

### **MONDAY (09/23)**

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

### **TUESDAY (09/24)**

Women's Bible Study - 10:00 a.m.  
Welcome & Care Committee – 12:00 p.m.  
Love & Stitches – 1:00 p.m.  
Kids' Choir – 3:40 p.m.  
Girl Scouts – 6:00 p.m.  
Nominations Mtg. – 6:00 p.m.  
Church Council – 7:00 p.m.

### **WEDNESDAY 09/25)**

Stewardship Meeting – 11:30 a.m.  
Moms' Group – 1:00 p.m.  
Worship Review Meeting – 6:30 p.m.  
Adult Choir Practice – 6:45 p.m.

### **THURSDAY (09/26)**

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Cub Scouts – 6:30 p.m.

### **SUNDAY (09/29)**

#### **Mission Offering: Hand-2-hand**

Worship – 10:15 a.m.  
Fellowship – 11:15 a.m.

#### **Collecting for Missions:**

Hand-2-hand – canned soup & individual  
Bags of chips  
C. S. Community Food Pantry

## CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

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

<b>Members</b>	<b>Members</b>	<b>Friends</b>
Wayne & June Price	Leon Avery	Esther Anderson
Albert & Frances Abel	Jerry & Lois Collis	Mike Mercer
Hal Ringler	Fred & Carollee Gunnell	Dick Rickert
Ken & Carol Brooks		DeAnna Magoon
Bud Gambee		Dale Waller
Jackie & Madaline Harvey		Tim Price
Jo Furhoff		Randy Benedict

### **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

**Silent Auction!** Today is the last day for placing a bid on artwork. 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.

### **Family Promise:**

*Items & Volunteers needed*--Our first time to work will be the Tue., Thur., and Sat. of the week of October 27. Tasks: prepare and serve evening meals, evening hosts, overnight hosts (beds provided all three nights). On Saturday, November 2, there are additional tasks--hosting breakfast; site host (10am—2pm; 2pm-5pm; 5:30pm-8:30pm). All activities will be at the Courtland-Oakfield UMC. Contact Ann Scott to volunteer or for more information about items needed for this ministry.

### **Red Flannel Day Saturday 10/05:**

UMW Bake Sale –We invite everyone to bring goodies to sell! Baked goods can be dropped off Friday, October 4 and Saturday October 5 (before 9am).

Men's Group Food Booth in Fellowship Hall – Donations needed. Serving starts @ 10:00 a.m. Signup sheets are upstairs outside of the Sanctuary for both events.

**Euchre Party:** October 12 @ 4:00 p.m. – Sid & Rose Kempf's house. Please bring a "hand" food or appetizer. See signup sheet for complete details.

**Crop Walk:** 10/13 @ Rockford United Methodist Church-159 Maple, Rockford. Sign-In Time: 1:30 p.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 – Join together for a potluck brunch at 11:15 a.m. after worship and then gather back in the Sanctuary at 12:30p.m. for the Conference. All are welcome.

### **S'More Fun in Faith Classes!**

Our Wednesday night Faith Classes will begin October 16 at 6:30p.m. There will be a preschool/early elementary group, elementary group and MS/HS Youth Group.

From 6:00-6:30p.m. a fellowship meal will be offered to students and their families as well as any other small group meeting that night. It would help our chefs if the Sunday before you would sign up or email [nanoreen@aol.com](mailto:nanoreen@aol.com) if you are planning on attending the meal for that coming week. **Let's have s'more fun this year!**

**Kids' Choir:** Choir for 1st Graders and up on Tuesdays @ 3:40p.m. in the upstairs church library for a snack with practice to follow. Please contact Janis Opperman [janis@shaneravenuenursery.com](mailto:janis@shaneravenuenursery.com) 616-262-6507) or Nancy Noreen ([nanoreen@aol.com](mailto:nanoreen@aol.com) 616-696-5186) if your student needs a ride from Cedar Springs Public Schools.

**Chimes:** Chimes will begin in October for 6th graders and older. Watch for future announcements.