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	<u>This Week (03/08/20)</u>	<u>Next Week (03/15/20)</u>
Gathering Music	Kathleen Makowski	Jerry VanderWal
Fellowship:		
Greeters:	Nancy Buck	Linda Hagan Evilo Cassady
Liturgist:	Tom Noreen	Sue Harrison
Nursery :	Liz Neiderheide	Robin Kribbet
Sound Tech:	Mark Scooros	Mark Scooros
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Altar Flowers are given by Janet Scott in celebration of Russell and Noah's Birthdays.

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

Welcome to Cedar Springs United Methodist Church March 8, 2020 at 10:15 a.m.



GATHERING

PRELUDE "It is Well With My Soul" CSUMC Hand Chimes

***WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP** On Screen

***HYMN** "Let All Things Now Living" TFWS 2008

***OPENING PRAYER** (In Unison) On Screen

ANTHEM "Zeroes into Heroes" Kids' Choir

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

THE MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN Janet Scott

SCRIPTURE Psalm 121 Common English Bible

HYMN "People Need the Lord" TFWS 2244

SCRIPTURE Luke 15:1-10 Common English Bible

MESSAGE "Hope: For Acceptance" Rev. Bill Johnson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OUR LIFE TOGETHER AND MISSION MOMENTS

THE OFFERING...*DOXOLOGY...PRAYER

***HYMN** "O How He Loves You and Me" TFWS 2108

***BENEDICTION**
Let the celebration continue with beverages and snacks!



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 (03/08/2020)

Special Offering: UMCOR

Worship – 10:15 a.m.

Coffee & Fellowship – 11:30 a.m.

Outreach Meeting – 11:30 a.m.

The Brook Worship – 2:00 p.m.

Green Acres Worship – 3:00 p.m.

MONDAY (03/09)

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Adult Wood Carving – 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY (03/10)

Women's Bible Study – 10:00 a.m.

Love & Stiches Cedar Café – 12:00 p.m.

Love & Stitches – 1:00 p.m.

Hand Chimes - 2:40 p.m.

Kids' Choir – 3:40 p.m.

Girl Scouts – 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY (03/11)

Faith & Food – 6:00 p.m.

Adult Choir – 6:45 p.m.

THURSDAY (03/12)

Food Pantry Support Team – 10:00 a.m.

Metron Worship – 10:00 a.m.

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

SATURDAY (03/14)

UMW Meeting – 10:00 a.m.

SUNDAY (03/15/2020)

Special Offering: UMCOR

Worship – 10:15 a.m.

Coffee & Fellowship – 11:30 a.m.

Upcoming Engedi Auction-03/20 @6pm

C.S. High School.(after school program

For 6-8th graders-safe & supervised)

***UMCOR & UMCOR Sunday are two different offerings in March. Please be sure to note on your envelope which offering you are giving to. Thank you.**

Lenten Worship: "Hope for Hard Times"

Right now the times are hard. Few people are optimistic about the economy or the environment or the culture. We fear for our nation, our United Methodist Church, for the ozone layer, for the manners of our children. Fear is the national pastime, and it seems that optimism is on vacation. For people of faith, there is good news: There is no better time for hope. Worship with us during the Lenten Season, and discover how hope is the answer for hard times. Two special, 7 p.m. services, Ash Wednesday and Holy Thursday, book-end our weekly worship on Sundays at 10:15 a.m. Join us!

Sundays, March 1 – April 5

March 15 - Hope Beyond the Hope in Violence (Luke 15:13)

March 22 - Hope for the Church (2 Corinthians 4:7)

March 29 - Hope in the Face of Death (Luke 18:1-8)

April 5 – Hope for Love (2 Timothy 4:1, 7-8; 16-17)

Thursday, April 9 – Holy Thursday Worship at 7 p.m.

This will be a service emphasizing the approaching darkness of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross. Music and accompanying Scripture readings tell the story of the week that changed history. Childcare is provided.

CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

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

Members	Friends	In Care Facilities
Fred & Carollee Gunnell	Claudia Jean Keef	The Brook of C.S.-
Bob Ries	Wheaton Family	Albert & Frances Abel
Leon Avery	Jill Wesche	Metron of C.S. -
Wayne & June Price	Ruthanne Miller	Rose Hunter
Bud & Helen Gambee	Family of Cindy Vanderwoude	
	Shelly Price	
Woody & Jan Avis	Anthony	
Sid & Rose Kempf	Dale Waller	
June Price	Tim Price	
Mike Mercer	Randy Benedict	
Albert & Frances Abel		
Todd & Marnie Swan		

Kids Hope USA:

Mentors, Prayer Partners, and Students

In Our Country's Service:

Jordan Ackerman

Aaron Burnside

Tyler Hinton

Mitchell Phillips

Waylon Carlson

Elisabeth Bullen

Nick Segard

Peter & Mikelle Noreen

Jenny Jo Collin (Mueller)

Russell & Janet (Noreen) Scott-Evelyn, Noah

James & Jackie (Champion) Finley

Ben & Sarah (Noreen) Smith- Kate

Sympathy to Cam Teusink and family on the passing of her husband and longtime member of CSUMC, John Teusink. Please keep their family in your prayers.

UPCOMING EVENTS & CHURCH NEWS

We have a New Name! Sale Dates April 2—April 4

Schedule of daily events:

Sunday 3/29 - Bring items to fellowship hall from the side porch after Worship. **HELP IS NEEDED.**

Monday 3/30—Wednesday 4/01 - Sale set-up from 9 am - 4 pm.

Come when you are able.

Saturday 4/4- Clean-up begins at 2 pm. **HELP NEEDED**

Sign-up sheets are available outside the Sanctuary.

Questions? Contact MariAnne Jones about staffing, Nancy Kidder or Teresa Tibbe about donations.

Save the Dates!

May 10 – Mother's Day & Children's Musical & Promotion / Graduation Sunday

Remember if you have a senior who will be graduating this year, please contact Nancy Noreen with information about your graduate and their future plans.

New-2-You Sale



