

**Schedule of Events and Meetings for this Week Aug 21-27**

Worship .....	9:30 AM .....	Sunday, Aug, 21
Sunday School .....	10:30 AM .....	Sunday, Aug, 21
Parsonage open house .....	6:00 PM .....	Sunday, Aug, 21
Lions Club .....	6:00 PM .....	Wednesday, Aug, 24
Choir .....	7:00 PM .....	Thursday, Aug, 25

**Participants in this morning's worship**

Pastor.....	Rev. Maurice "Mo" Dunn
Pianist.....	Linda Allen
Ushers .....	Eileen Smith & Eileen Avery.
Liturgist .....	Nancy Shrider
Greeters-East .....	Kent & Kay Lincoln
Greeters-North.....	Eileen Smith & Eileen Avery

**Stewardship of Time and Talents, Aug 7, 2016**

General .....	\$1647.00	Benevolence .....	\$25.00
Coffee Outreach .....	38.00	Hospitalization .....	50.00
Parsonage .....	\$100.00	Attendance.....	57

**Pastor Dunn and Leanne would like to welcome you into the parsonage tonight!**

August 21, 6:00-8:00 PM Refreshments will be served!

**It's that time!**

The layette kits will be packed and dedicated on Aug, 28 at the end of worship service. Come and be a part of this ministry!

# Christ United Methodist Church

301 West Main Street  
Portage, Ohio 43451



Worship: 9:30 AM Sunday school: 10:30 AM

Vision Statement:

**CHRISTIAN SERVANTS UNITED IN MISSION TO THE COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD**

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**Praises, Prayers and Concerns**

Betty Perez	Evelyn Perez	Smoke Perez
Dick Gill	Fran Hottinger	Jacob Yeastings
Isabel Ziebolt	Karen Mason	Josh Earl
Mike Bateson	Tom Roller	Tina Perez
Phyllis Johns	Mary Longo	Shirley Drain
Richard Drain	Phil Zulch	Gary Rothenbuhler
Ryder McDaniel	Deb Smith	
Aaron & Conner Beck	Clement & daughter	

**AUGUST 21, 2016**

**9:30 AM**

14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

**And let us run with endurance the race God has set before us**  
*Hebrews 12:1c NLT*

**The Church Gathers**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Lighting of Candles

\*Call to Worship

May the peace of God rest upon your busy lives so that you may be quieted into prayer.

**May the love of God flow through your worship words that they may be alive with opportunities for service.**

May the grace of God seek out your every need and may the restless gospel set your hearts afire.

\* "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" No. 462

\*Exchange of Greetings

**To Share**

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen***

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology No. 94

\*Prayer of Dedication

***Thank you, God, for the opportunity to share in your creative and restorative work among people. Because you have blessed us, we have much to give. These offerings express our gratitude and our aspiration to be more fully your own loyal community. Amen.***

Children's Moments Ellie Krassow

**To Experience the Word of God**

New Testament Reading 1 Corinthians 9:24-27

"Are Ye Able" No. 530

Message Pastor Dunn  
"Running Your Race"

**The Church Departs to Serve**

\* "The Old Rugged Cross" No. 504

Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

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\*(This symbol is an invitation to stand if you are able.)