

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Today, October 5, 2014	9:00 a.m.	Worship
.....	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School
Monday, October 6, 2014	9:00 a.m.	Sermon Shaping
Wednesday, October 8, 2014	9:00 a.m.	Book Club
.....	7:00 p.m.	UMW Meeting
Friday, October 10, 2014	8:00 a.m.	REACH (all day)
Saturday, October 11, 2014	9:00 a.m.	Scout Training
.....	(All Day training)
.....	10:00 a.m.	Food Pantry

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENTS – SEPTEMBER 28, 2014

General.....	\$1,656.00	Parsonage	\$175.00
Coffee/Outreach	\$10.00	Bathroom.....	\$25.00
Walk to Columbus.....	\$261.00	Benevolences.....	\$25.00
Outreach Appointment.....	\$210.00	Hospitalization.....	\$120.00
Attendance: Worship – 45		Sunday school –	

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS



Please join us for today’s **STEAK SUPPER**, at 12 noon. The cost is \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children.

The United Methodist Women have scheduled their **UMW MEETING** for Wednesday, October 8, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. Devotions: Kathy Bame, Responsive Readings: Marilyn Keys, Program: Anne Deutschman, and Hostess: Katie Boltz

You are invited to bring food items for our **CUMC FOOD PANTRY**. There are two boxes in the narthex in which to put your non-perishable food items. The new Food Pantry hours will be on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 10AM-11AM, beginning with the month of October. As always, **THANK YOU** for your donations.

For our upcoming **FALL STUDY**, we will be studying: Sins of the Spirit, Blessings of the Flesh by Matthew Fox.....if you are interested in being a part of the study sign up on the paper in the narthex. We have scheduled it for Thursdays at 7pm beginning October 9th, 2014.

The Portage Lions Club is once again taking orders for **GUGGISBERG CHEESE** and items will be delivered mid-November. Please see one of the members for this years purchase.



Christ United Methodist Church

301 West Main Street

Portage, OH 43451-0218

<http://home.dacor.net/ChristUMC/>



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 Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.
Christ Church Vision Statement:
 CHRISTIAN SERVANTS UNITED IN MISSION TO THE COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD

Christ United Methodist Church

October 5, 2014
17th Sunday after Pentecost

We Gather for Worship

Sharing of Events & Ministries

Passing of the Peace (Greet one another with gestures of welcome)

Invitation to Prepare for Encountering the Holy
Prelude as the Light of God enters Among Us

Call to Worship Nancy Shrider
We have gathered here this morning to worship God.
We have come seeking comfort, inspiration, community and insight.
We have come to open ourselves to the power of God's presence in our midst.
We have come to offer up the seasons and the turnings in our lives, and to ask God's help in our learning and our growing.

Invocation (Unison) Nancy Shrider
Nearness to God is to embrace the infinite and eternal. To experience God and ourselves as one, is to be changed. God in that moment offers that we trust and be faithful, as the Almighty has been to us. To know God this intimately is to then understand ourselves and one another in a new light.

*Hymn #127 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Hearing the Sacred Text Nancy Shrider
We Proclaim God's Word
Deuteronomy 5:12-14

Interpretation of the Sacred Text Sermon Series: Sabbath as Resistance to Coercion

We Respond to God's Word

Offering our Prayer
Time of Silent and Personal Prayer
Pastoral Prayer

Gathering the Offering
Offertory followed by *Doxology
Offering Prayer

Holy Communion

We Are Sent Forth

*Hymn #620 One Bread, One Body

Benediction Rev McDaniel
Go into the world with faith, trusting all to receive you.
Go into the world with hope—with God's will before you and great dreams in your heart.
Go into the world with love—love for all people; serving with those in whom Christ lives and laboring for those for whom Christ died;
And the faithfulness of God, the hope which quickens God's Spirit within us, and the love of Christ be with us all.

Participants in this morning's Worship Service

Pastor..... Rev Bruce McDaniel
Organist Linda Allen
Pianist Kathy Bame
Acolyte..... Sam McDaniel
Liturgist Nancy Shrider
Greeters: North Vicky Allen & Carole Fitzwater
East..... Bonnie Schatzke & Barb Brandeberry
Ushers..... Tom & Carolyn Keys

Prayer/Concerns Requests

Beverly Brandeberry	Mary Briggs	Joe Colen	Dale Fry
Char Kelly	Jim Hone	David Lowe	Nancy Lowe
Barb McDaniel	Laura Rothhaar	Bob Sabo's Family	Nicholas Salaz
Dale Stacey	Nancy Stehulak	Pauline Thiebaut	Margaret Trantham
Family of Michael Wenig			