

July 30, 2017

11:00am

LIVING TRUTH

Sermon Series - Week 8

PRELUDE Cheryl Smith

WELCOME & GREETING TIME Pastor Mike Hudson

*OPENING PRAISE "Victory in Jesus"

*CALL to WORSHIP Pastor Bob Haley

SONGS of PRAISE Cheryl Smith

PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Mike Hudson

CHILDREN'S CHAT

OFFERTORY "Sing an Alleluia to the Lord" Choir

*DOXOLOGY

SERMON "Standing Firm" Pastor Bob Haley
James 4:13 - 5:12

*RESPONSE "How Great Thou Art"

*BENEDICTION & POSTLUDE CCLI #489431

*Congregation stand if you are able.

Today's Acolytes: Paige Carfield & Alyssa Chapman

Altar Flowers are presented:

By Judy Kurinsky in honor of my husband, John's birthday,
And in honor of what would have been Joe & Joy Mazzola's
55th anniversary on July 31.

OFFERINGS	Week
General Fund	Due to vacation schedules, financials will be reported next week.
Mortgage Payment Fund	
Principal Reduction	
Mission Fund	
Children's Home & Ranch	
Year to Date Offerings	
General Fund Offerings	Due to vacation schedules, financials will be reported next week.
Mortgage Payment Fund	
Principal Reduction	
Mission Fund (3/1/17-2/28/18)	
Children's Home/Ranch (2017)	
General Fund / Mortgage	
Weekly Average Budget (ytd)	
Weekly Offering	
Weekly Average Offering (ytd)	
Income (Jun)	92,692
Expenses (Jun)	96,837
YTD Income (6/30/17)	698,218
YTD Expenses (6/30/17)	638,466
MORTGAGE RESERVE FUND	26,400
	5/31/17 6/30/17
Roof Project Loan Bal. 193,179	185,383
ATTENDANCE	
7:30 Worship	68
9:00 Worship	190
11:00 Worship	310
Children's Church	4
Total Worship	572
Total Worship (ast year)	645
Sunday School	103
Youth Group	35
Salty Service	13

Sunday Worship Schedule

7:30 & 11:00am
Traditional

9:00am
Contemporary

CUMC STAFF

LEAD PASTOR
Rev. Michael Hudson

ASSOCIATE PASTOR
Rev. Denvil Farley

ASSISTANT PASTOR
Robert Haley

MUSIC MINISTRY
Cheryl Smith

ADULT MINISTRY
Nancy Kinney

FAMILY MINISTRY
Jeff Dunn-Rankin

YOUTH MINISTRY
Jonetta Halpin
Marcia Schaberg

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
Becky Diefenbach

**MEDIA MANAGER &
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP**
Will Sledge

TREASURER
JoEllen Whipple

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR
Michele Morley

**CHILD DEVELOPMENT
CENTER**
Anita Burton

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A STUDY OF JAMES

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Israel Trip Info Meeting. TODAY at 4pm

Pastor Mike is hosting a trip to Israel March 6-15, 2018 through Educational Opportunities Tours. **There will be an informational meeting with representatives from EO on Sunday, July 30th at 4pm.** You can pick up a brochure about the trip in the church office.

Ladies Summer Salad Night, August 2

Come join us for an evening of food, fellowship and fun! Wednesday August 2nd 6:30-8:30pm in Memorial Hall. Bring a large salad item to share OR \$5 at the door. Sign up at the welcome desk and childcare can be provided by reservation.

Sunday Summer Movie, August 6 at 2pm

Discover the real evidence of Jesus' death and resurrection! Whether you are a skeptic or have been a Christian for years, you will be touched by the true story of an award-winning investigative journalist (Lee Strobel)—and avowed atheist—who applies his well-honed journalistic and legal skills to disprove the newfound Christian faith of his wife.... with unexpected, life-altering results.



Second Campus Info Session, August 7 at 7pm

There will be an informational meeting for adventurers and anyone else interested in learning more about our 2nd Campus Launch. We are looking to start a small group Bible Study in the Laurel Rd/I-75 area that will grow to become a worshipping community by October 2018. If you feel the Lord leading you to be part of this adventure, or are just curious about it, please plan to attend.

Prayer Chain - Call Judy Kurinsky, 496-8046 or judithckur@aol.com If you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, call the church, 493-7504. We won't know if you don't tell us.

In Extended Care:

Joan Bigelow - Consulate
 Jeanne Booth - Windsor
 Ann Flanagan - Quality Healthcare
 Dolores Glass - Sunset Lake
 Warren Jensen - Harbor Chase
 Dick LaFave - Pinebrook
 Paul Martin, Jr. - Beneva Lakes

Roy Mason - Brookdale
 Tommi Mathews - Quality Healthcare
 Thelma McKee - Harbor Chase
 Peggy Mitrushi - Sunset Lake
 Barb Schoenfelder - Gardens of Venice
 Bonnie Snyder - Jacaranda Trace ALF
 Buck Zeigler - Harbor Inn



We extend our deepest Christian sympathy to the friends and family of **Lee Zimmerman**, and join together in an expression of love at this time.

Youth Summer Mission - Orlando Outreach

Our Youth Missionaries will be representing Christ UMC in Orlando this week, partnering with Orlando Outreach at Vista Community Church to bring Jesus to people in their community through hands-on labor, Neighborhood Summer Clubs, etc.

Please pray for the team: Emilee Barrett, Amanda Barrett, Faith Kern, Rebecca Kern, Sarah Warman, Bryden Canty, Alexis Wheat, Makenna Burns, Moriah Haley, Matthew Giunta, Adrian Lopez, Wyatt Witkowski, and team leaders Jonetta Halpin, Alex Lopez, and Elizabeth Kresse.

Thanks to all of you who help to support our youth missionaries through your participation in our fundraising activities during the year, and through your prayers!

Please Remember to Pray IN THE MILITARY



Sam & Agnes Teitsma	Scott Klaus	Joe & Myrna Gop
Don Davis	Joan Kellogg	Meredith Gould
Cassidy Hamm	Terry Green	Stan Harrison
Jan Grant	Jarrett, Pat & Larry	Trish Hadsall
Fran McLaughlin	Arlene Decker	Cal Stone
Jim Barrick	Conner Barthol	Dick LaFave
Max Jones	Sam Teitsma	Richard & Janie Palmer
Susan Luscomb	Bobbie Allen	Betty Stahlaker
Joy & Ross Gammon	Mary Knight	Sharon Monk
Peggy Campbell	Phyllis Tucker	Peggy Mitrushi
Kimberly Andrews	Pat Billings	Peter Warhurst
Allie	David Bryant	Dee Robson
Linda Foster	Janet Outerbridge	Connor Gaunt
Jack & Bobbie Miller	Shirley Purdy	Gene & Pat Hunt
Terry Miller	Brooke Noser	Susan Wonnell
Nila Rowan	Claire & David Evans	
Jim Bennett	Gloria Schmetmann	
Jennifer Hunt	Luke Schmidt	
David, Sherry & Julia	Sue Holloway	
Hotaling	Louise Griffiths	

Kyle Addison
 Chris Anderson
 Dallas D. Bergl, II
 David Bruce
 John A. Campanale Jr.
 David Colucci
 Tucker Conrad
 Daniel Cutting
 Ashley Ehasz
 Maddie Wright Farris
 J. D. Frank
 Randall Hinkle
 Tyler Kellogg
 Daniel & Keisha Kerr
 Paul Lucyk
 Zachary Mackie
 Alisha Milligan
 Danny Parks
 Patrick Penney
 Joseph Perry
 Chris Peters
 Nicholas Reider
 Brady Rentz
 Michael Rodgers
 Sean Ruehr
 Betsy Scott
 Mark Scott
 Wyatt Seeley
 Jason Toole
 Travis Toole
 David Zachary Wilson

The Prayer Focus for July is

birthing revival in our country. Praise God that His hand is not too short to save. Claim the promise that the Lord draws near to those who call upon Him in truth (Is. 59:1; Ps. 145:18).

Sunday 7/30	Monday 7/31	Tuesday 8/1	Wednesday 8/2	Thursday 8/3	Friday 8/4	Saturday 8/5
7:30a Early Riser Worship (MH) 9:00a Contemporary Worship (MH) 9:00a Adult Bible Classes 10:15a Bible Classes for All Ages 11:00a Traditional Worship (MH) 4:00p Israel Trip Info Meeting (MH) 5:00p Children's Activities (MH) NO Club Whatever (FLC)	9:00a Exercise Class (FLC) 10:30a Connecting Souls (P) 4:30p Taekwondo Youth (FLC) 5:30p Taekwondo Adult (FLC) 6:00p SAFE Support (M24) 6:30p Taekwondo BlackBelt(FLC) 6:30p Lay Leadership Team (MC) 7:30p AA 12-Step Group (MH)	8:30a Men's Emmaus (M23) 9:00a Creative Team (MC) 9:30a Quilting for Missions (FLC) 10:30a Living Stones (M14)	8:15a Bread & Coffee (MH) 6:30p Heaven Study (M24-25) 6:30p Ladies Summer Salad Night (MH)	7:00a Men's Bible Study & Breakfast (M24) 10:00a Soul Searchers (P) 10:00a Worship Team (MC) 1:00p GriefShare (M22-23) 4:30p Taekwondo Youth (FLC) 5:30p Taekwondo Adult (FLC) 6:30p Shim Soo Do Adult (FLC) 6:30p Emmaus Team (M22-23,25) 7:00p Praise Team Rehearsal (MH) 7:00p GA- 12 Step (M24)	7:30a Lawn & Garden Team 9:00a Exercise Class (FLC) 12noon AL-ANON (M24-25) 7:00p AA Mens & Ladies Groups (M22-25)	

"Revealing the Mysteries of Heaven" - Wednesdays

Join us on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm in Memorial Hall Room 24-25 for this Dr. David Jeremiah DVD series. If you have missed one of the messages, no problem, each week it is a completely different message. All are on heaven but not an extension of the previous week. After viewing the DVD message, there is a time for discussion and questions about that week's lesson. Paul Baxendale will be leading the class.

Habitat Women's Build, Info Meeting August 9

Women With Purpose is hosting a Women's Build with Habitat for Humanity this Fall! No construction experience is needed, just willing hearts and time. Join us for an informational meeting **Wednesday, August 9 at 7pm** in Memorial Hall Room 24-25. Build Date: Saturday, September 23, 2017 7:30 am - Noon, Lunch provided by Gold Rush BBQ. Location: Warm Mineral Springs, North Port. Additional volunteers can be scheduled on a weekday during the week of September 19-22. For more information email Kaitlyn Kramer at kait.kramer@gmail.com

SAFE Joyful Outing, Tuesday, Aug 15

Join us for our exciting August outing on Tuesday August 15. Actually, we will be staying at the church for a painting on wood project. An instructor will be coming to teach us how, and all supplies will be provided. Seating is limited, so please call 941-485-2616 to register. SAFE is a ministry of Support and Addiction Family Education. Our confidential support group meets every Monday evening at 6:00p in Memorial Hall room 24. Childcare is available when requested in advance. Anyone who has an addicted family member or loved one is welcome to join us for sharing and support, education, prayer, and good fellowship.

SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES

Glenn Lashway is leading a 6-week Bible Study in the Kingdom Class titled "Who Are You?" The class meets in Memorial Hall, Room 22, Sunday mornings at 9:00. Everyone is welcome. The only requirement: *Bring your Bible.*

Dan Manningham is facilitating a study with John Piper's series on WHY WE BELIEVE THE BIBLE. Piper is an excellent and very sound teacher and makes this topic very interesting, even for those of us who have studied the Bible for years and claimed it's inerrancy. The videos are all about 25 minutes long which leaves time for discussion. You don't have to be a current member of Dan's class to come. Open to all. Class meets in MH Room 23 at 10:00.

Manage Your Giving Online

We are excited to announce that as of **Tuesday, August 1**, you can manage your giving online! Giving online is easy and allows you to set up automatic recurring contributions and view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have access to the Internet. Simply follow these easy steps:



1. Visit the church website at www.ChristVenice.com
2. Click on the Give Online - big blue button
3. Click on the Create Profile button
4. Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions. Take away the worry of missing your contribution through online giving.



Director of Connectional Ministries

We are so excited to welcome Rev. Val Garron to our staff! Val is stepping into Nancy Kinney's shoes beginning August 7th. Val is a retired Methodist pastor from the New Jersey Conference and has been an active member at our church for over a year. She is a connection coach, a small group leader, and volunteers in many ways. She is a perfect fit for getting people connected here at Christ UMC. If you don't know Val already, please make an effort to get to know her and welcome her to the staff.

BACKPACKS and SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

It's back-to-school time once again and our help is needed to provide needy youngsters in our community with school supplies and backpacks! A special bin will be in the Memorial Hall foyer next week to collect your donations. Supplies will be given out by The Center of Hope. Sharpened pencils, spiral notebooks, folders with pockets, erasers, and other supplies are needed. There is a more complete list available in the office. Thank you for helping!

BLOOD DRIVE, Sunday, August 13

The OneBlood bloodmobile will be on campus Sunday morning, August 13 from 8:30am til 12:30pm for your donating convenience. All donors will receive a OneBlood Tervis Tumbler, a Culver's "Give a Pint, Get a Pint" free custard coupon, and a wellness checkup.