Announcements

Please see the table outside the Sanctuary (by the elevator) for sign-up sheets and other information. If you would like to have your ministry's announcement listed, please complete the form at the church office.

Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service — November 18 at 7:00 PM at Life Church.

Carlyle Christmas Parade — November 23.

Israel Trip Information Meeting — November 28 at 6:00 PM in the Conference Room. Join us for an informational meeting for those interested in the trip to Israel January 7-16, 2020.

<u>Cookie Walk and Craft Bazaar</u> — There will be a Cookie Walk <u>AND</u> a Craft Bazaar on <u>December 1</u> beginning at 9:00 AM. That is only 1 week away. Everybody please make crafts to donate to this and bring them in that week. We will not be having craft work days this year. Please help out so we have a good fund raiser for our church.

Christmas Caroling — December 14 at 6:00 PM.

Live Nativity — December 21 at 6:00 PM — Live Nativity on the south lawn.

<u>Youth Choir</u> — We are beginning a Youth Choir that will sing once a month during our Sunday service! Please talk to David Wilton, Alison Davison, or Amy Bass to get connected! Rehearsals will be Wednesdays from 6:30 to 7 PM.

<u>Thank You</u> — I would like to thank everyone who brought food, helped set up, helped in the kitchen and helped clean up to make the Fall Harvest Dinner a success. We had great fellowship. Thank you again.

Sharon King, Kitchen Coordinator

<u>Christmas Mitten Tree</u> — Look for the tree near the elevator and attach mittens, gloves, hats and scarves. These items will go to needy recipients at the SPERO Family Services ministry in Mt. Vernon!

<u>Christmas Families</u> — We are supporting 2 local families this year for Christmas. Gift tags will be available on the table in the foyer. Thanks for supporting this great ministry!

<u>Christmas Concert with Cathy J. Reynolds</u> — Sunday, December 2, 2018 at 2:00 PM at Grace United Methodist Church, 116 E. Schwartz, Salem, IL. Cathy J. Reynolds loves GOD with all her mind, heart, and soul. She believes JESUS died for her and will forever live for HIM. Cathy is 4 time Southern Gospel Artist of the Year for independent Christian artists in Nashville as well as International Lyricist of the Year by the CGMA as well as central division Female Vocalist of the Year 2016. She has performed all over the US. A free will offering will be taken.

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK

Attendance: Sunday School 22 Worship 99 Offering: General Fund: \$1,245.00; Building Fund \$100.00



Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost Thanksgiving

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ORDER OF SERVICE

The asterisk (*) invites you to stand, but please feel at home sitting if standing is difficult.

WELCOME Rev. Steve Barrett

PRELUDE David Wilton

* CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Steve Barrett

ONE: We called out for help to you, O Lord, and you heard our cries.

ALL: Oh Lord, I am blessed. We are grateful.

ONE: Our ancestors were once homeless in the wilderness. You give us homes to share with our grandchildren, our elders, our neighbors.

ALL: Oh Lord, I am blessed. We are grateful.

ONE: The children of Israel were once slaves in Egypt. Our labor can fill trains from our mountains again and again.

ALL: Oh Lord, I am blessed. We are grateful.

We gather at tables filled with laughter and food from the kitchen, the food bank, the community garden. In Jesus' name we say together:

Oh Lord, I am blessed. We are grateful. Amen.

OPENING PRAYER Rev. Steve Barrett

* Music "How Great Thou Art" UMH #77

* GREETING / PASS THE PEACE OF CHRIST (Please remain standing.)

* Music "This is the Day" UMH #261

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Alison Davison

Joys & Concerns Rev. Steve Barrett

OFFERING-OFFERTORY

DoxoLogy "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

CHANCEL CHOIR

* SCRIPTURE Malachi 3:8-18 Kathy Beckemeyer

GLORIA PATRI "Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70

SERMON TITLE "Filling the Storehouse of God" Rev. Steve Barrett

* **Music** "You Are My All" DVD

CLOSING PRAYER Rev. Steve Barrett

* POSTLUDE "Come, Thou Almighty King" UMH #61 vs. 1,4

VISITORS AND GUESTS

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL</u> begins at 9:00 AM. We have classes for all ages, preschool through adult.

 $\underline{\textbf{Worship}}$ BEGINS AT 10:00 AM. Our service is a blended service of traditional and contemporary music.

NURSERY – The nursery is available during Worship for children age 0-5.

<u>VISITORS AND MEMBERS</u> - Please sign the pew register and pass for others to sign. Ushers will pick up from center aisle before children's message.

<u>ELECTRONICS NOTICE</u> – Please feel free to use your cell phone, iPad, etc. for taking notes during the service. Out of respect for the people around you please silence these devices. Thank you!

<u>Note</u> – If you would like to meet with the pastor or are interested in joining the church, please check the appropriate box on the Attendance Register or the yellow Guest/Prayer Request cards located in the hymnal racks and someone will contact you.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS		
DATE	Тіме	EVENT
Saturday, November 18, 2018	7:00 PM	Ministerial Alliance Thanksgiving Service — Life Church
Monday, November 19, 2018	9:00 AM	Mobile Market — Immanuel UCC
Tuesday, November 20, 2018		Newsletter Deadline
Wednesday, November 21, 2018	8:30 AM	Matthew 25 Food Pantry — St. Mary Church
Thursday, November 22, 2018		Thanksgiving Day
Friday, November 23, 2018		Christmas Parade
Sunday, November 25, 2018		UM Special Sunday - UM Student Day
		Hanging of the Greens
Monday, November 26, 2018	9:00 AM	Card Ministry
Wednesday, November 28, 2018	8:30 AM	Matthew 25 Food Pantry — St. Mary Church
	5:45 PM	"Going Deeper" Bible Study
	6:30 PM	Youth Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, November 29, 2018	10:00 AM	Women's Bible Study
Saturday, December 01, 2018	9:00 AM	Cookie Walk / Craft Bazaar