

The Congregational Church UCC

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Preparation Music Ringing of The Church Bell Welcoming of Visitors and Friends Worship Begins With Prayer Call to Worship

Leader: Lord, where are You in this world so full of modern technology?

People: Lord, where are You in the midst of our personal confusion?

Leader: Lord, where are You when the world around us seems to be crumbling?

People: Lord, where shall we look to find Your presence in our day?

Leader: Christ is truly with us always. Stand sure on your faith in God!

All: Almighty Creator God, You laid the foundations of the Universe itself and yet You desire to walk with us in every day of our lives. We give You our praise and our heartfelt love. In Christ we pray. Amen

All: Blessed be the name of the Lord!

Opening Song #357 "Earth and All Stars" vs. 1,2,5

Scriptures John 17:20-26 ESV

"I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, (21) that they may all be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. (22) The glory that you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one, (23) I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me. (24) Father, I desire that they also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory that you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. (25) O righteous Father, even though the world does not know you, I know you, and these know that you have sent me. (26) I made known to them your name, and I will continue to make it known, that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them "

Collection of Tear Off Sheets Children's Moment "That We May All Be One... in Jesus"

Joyful Noise Anthem

Confession of Sin

All: Lord, we are so blind sometimes when we need to see You most. In our distress we fail to see Your wonders around us, Your love in the caring of those who reach out to help us, and Your guidance in helping us work things out in our daily lives. Forgive us for being so blind. Help us not only to see but also to be Your presence in today's world. In Christ we pray. Amen.

Response #537 "Lord, Be Glorified" vs. 1 & 2

Recognition of 2019 High School Graduates

Pastoral Prayers, Including the Lord's Prayer

Offering

Sung Praises # 649

We give Thee but thine own What e'er the gift may be All that we have is Thine alone; A trust, O Lord, from thee.

Prayer of Dedication

Message "Evangelists, Prophets, Pilgrims"

THE APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, The Creator of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord: Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and Sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, From whence He shall come to judge The living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, The one holy universal Christian church, The communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sacrament of Holy Communion Statement
The Sacrament of Communion is open to all persons who believe that Jesus is Lord and Savior.

Today communion will be served in the pews. As you receive the bread, partake of it as you are moved by the Spirit. (the communion bread is gluten free) As you receive the cup, hold it so that we all may partake of it together, as one body of Christ.

Sacrament of Holy Communion Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving

We thank you, God, for inviting us to this table where we have known the presence of Christ and have received all Christ's gifts. Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another, and let us show forth your praise in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

Closing Song #739 "Pass It On"
Closing Response Amen; Amen; Amen.
Music to Send Us Into The World

CHURCH CALENDAR

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Sun.	Jun	02	10:00 am	Worship/Communion/
				Graduate Recognition
			11:15 am	Mission & Social Concerns Mtg.
Mon.	Jun	03	9:30 am	Senior Dining
			7:00 pm	Boy Scouts
Tues.	Jun	04	6:30 am	Men's Bible Study
			9:30 am	Senior Dining Hall Open
			10:00 am	Bible Study
Wed.	Jun	05	3:30 pm	Homework & Hangout (Last one
				of Year) Early dinner/Hope Alive at
				Michael Park
Thur	Jun	06	9:30 am	Local Communions
			9:30 am	Senior Dining Hall Open
			5:30 pm	Women's Bible Study
			6:00 pm	Dementia Friendly Choir Practice
			7:00 pm	Money Management
Fri.	Jun	07	8:30 am	Distant Communions
			9:30 am	Senior Dining Hall Open
Sat.	Jun	80	6:00 am	Food Set-Up for Ruby's
			7:30 am	Food Registration Begins
			8:00 am	Youth Service and Funday
			9:00 am	Food Registration Ends, Distribution
				Begins
Sun.	Jun	09	10:00 am	Worship/Mission Team Send Off
				Sunday
			11:30 am	Mission Team 20th Anniversary Dinner
				(Reservations Required)

^{*} Nursery available during Worship and Education Hour

Welcome: To our members, friends, guests and visitors. Our Congregation reaches out to you in faith and love.

June Ushers and Coffee Host - Congregational Giving

Remember in your Prayers: Pray for our service personnel, for Fire, Police and EMS workers, for all who keep us safe and strong. Pray for those that are ill or hospitalized. Pray for those fighting addiction of all forms. Pray for Carter, Bette, Mike, Betsy. Pray for our military at home and abroad. We ask God for safe travels for all. We pray for family healing. We give thanks to our church, our freedom, and family. Prayers for another successful Mission Trip. Praise to God!

Ruth Ream passed away on May 28th. Her services will be held on Wednesday, June 19th, 11am at Williamson-White Funeral Home. Visitation will be held on hour before the service. Our prayers and condolences to the family.

<u>Pastor's Office Hours:</u> Pastor Schaefer's regular office hours are Tuesday and Wednesday from 9am to 12pm. To contact him, call his cell 715-222-2899.

News and Events:

Bible Study, Tuesdays at 10 am in Conference Room Join us for, <u>"The Parables of Jesus"</u> From the parable of the mustard seeds to the parable of the

From the parable of the mustard seeds to the parable of the prodigal son, get a fantastic overview of 6 major key parables Jesus shared with followers and Pharisees alike, and what they meant in first-century Jewish and Roman culture. Each session begins in Israel, making it easier to experience and understand the cultural background of key events.

Sessions include:

The Coming of the Kingdom: Weeds, Mustard Seeds, Yeast

The Grace of the Kingdom: Two Debtors

The God of the Kingdom: The Prodigal Son

The Demand of the Kingdom: Treasure and Pearls
The Mission of the Kingdom: The Wedding Banquet

The Fulfillment of the Kingdom: Sheep and Goats

Youth News:

Wednesday June 5th - Please join us for our final Homework & Hangout of the school year. Following an early supper, we will walk to Michael Park for Hope Alive - a free family friendly event to kick off summer in our community. There will be live music, bounce houses, games and a petting zoon, along with food vendors if you wish to purchase snacks. Parent pick up time is at Congo Church at 8:30pm.

Community VBS- Registration is now open! Dates are Sunday June 23 - Thursday June 27th for kids in grades Pre-K through 5th grade. Middle school and high school youth are encouraged to come help with our younger



kids. Please see Charlotte for more details!

Ruby's Pantry Service & Swim Day: All youth are invited to help serve at Ruby's Pantry on Saturday June 8th starting at 8am. Following clean up and lunch we will enjoy and afternoon pool party at Charlotte's house. Parent pick-up at Charlotte's house is 3pm.

<u>Graduation Sunday</u>: Thank you for worshiping with us today as we recognize our graduating seniors, Megan Johnson, Essie Whitehead, Madisen Jackson and Jon Ross. Cake will be served in the Fellowship Hall after the service. Please join in the celebration.

Help Feed Hungry Kids: June 7 at the Amery Fire Hall. Sponsored by the Amery Fire Department. BBQ/Hot Dog fundraiser Meal and Silent Auction. 4pm-8pm. Live music, bounce house and dunk tank. All proceeds will go to support the Polk County Salvation Army Backpack Program that helps feed families in need during the school year. Congo kids will be helping with the dunk tank after school. See Charlotte to sign up!

Charlotte Gillen, Youth Director Email: youth.ameryucc@gmail.com Cell 715.338.6929



Mission Team 2019

This year, our Mission Team will embark upon their 20th trip to build houses for Habitat for Humanity. Sunday June 9 we will be hosting a special worship service and a special dinner in honor of this feat. Here are the details: The worship service and the special 20th year trip will be held on Sunday June 9th. Worship will be at

10am and the Special 20th anniversary meal will be following the service, with meal serving to be approximately at 11:30am. IF YOU ARE NOT A MISSION TEAM MEMBER YOU MUST MAKE A RESERVATION by TODAY. You can reserve your

dinner spot by filling out the tear off sheet indicating your desire to attend the meal on June 9th. Reservations are necessary so that adequate meal provisions can be purchased. This is not going to be a pot-luck type of meal, but one that is more like an honorary banquet.

Join us in 20 years (and counting) of building for the Lord through Habitat for Humanity.



June Tote

The tote for June will be for backpacks. We are asking for canned vegetables only.
Thank you, Missions & Social Concerns

Congratulations Graduates!

Megan Johnson, Essie Whitehead, Madisen Jackson and Jon Ross



Please join after the worship service today

As we celebrate with our graduates

Amery UCC Mission Statement:
"We are a family of faith, dedicated to the mission of
making disciples, spreading the Good News and
baptizing in the name of Jesus Christ"