

## DAILY SCRIPTURES AND QUESTIONS

Sun Dec 23 Mark 6:30-44  
Mon Dec 24 2 Chronicles 28:16-27  
Tue Dec 25 Mark 6:45-56  
Wed Dec 26 2 Chronicles 29:1-19  
Thurs Dec 27 Mark 7:1-13  
Fri Dec 28 Mark 7:14-23  
Sat Dec 29 2 Chronicles 29:20-36

### Questions to answer as you read them this week.

1. Mark 6:30-44 What does the feeding of the five thousand reveal about Jesus?
2. 2 Chronicles 28:16-27 What were the steps of King Ahaz's increasing disobedience to God?
3. Mark 6:45-56 What might the disciples have failed to understand about Jesus at this point?
4. 2 Chronicles 29: 1-19 How did King Hezekiah lead a return to worshipping the Lord when he became king?
5. Mark 7:1-13 How did religious tradition interfere with people actually keeping God's law?

## PRAYER REQUESTS

12/16 - *Elizabeth Cunningham family*  
12/9 - *Amanda Krotzer-home but needs more tests, Joan Luce-cat scan for headaches*  
12/9 - *Denny Barshinger-heart cath procedure, Lisa Flinchbaugh-stroke/in rehab*  
12/9 - *Maddie-in hospital, Janice Nace, Cork Corcoran-TEE procedure, Bill Clapper family*  
12/9 - *Charles (Doug) Meads family, Vicki Leiphart-ankle surgery, Ron Krout-tests*  
12/9 - *Veronica Forry-wrist surgery, Pauline Garner, Liz Cunningham-hospice*  
12/3 - *John Daniels-pancreatic cancer, Delores Laucks-heart problems*  
12/3 - *Jake Hose-subarachnoid bleed, Amanda Krotzer-in hospital/tests/colitis*  
12/3 - *Rachael Stough-addiction, Kayla Krystiak-broken ankle*

### SPECIAL CHURCH CONFERENCE

**Sunday, Jan. 13th**

**Noon in the Welcome Area**

The purposes of this Conference are:

1. To vote on the candidacy of Candidate(s) for Ministry recommended by the Governing Board
2. To elect a member of the Governing Board in the area of Finance
3. To pass a motion authorizing the Governing Board to nominate and elect persons to fill any vacancies that arise in church offices before the next church Conference

**As a church conference, members of the church will have voice and vote.**

**Any questions, please call Pastor Jason.**

# CELEBRATION IN TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

8a.m. & 10:30a.m. Sanctuary

## BELL RINGING CALLING US TO WORSHIP

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME AND PARISH OPPORTUNITIES

### CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsively)

L: Sing and rejoice, O daughter of Zion!

**P: For lo, I will come and dwell in your midst, says the Lord.**

L: Many nations shall join themselves to the Lord in that day,

**P: And shall be my people; and I will dwell in your midst.**

(Zechariah 2:10-11b)

### \*HYMN #209

**“Blessed Be the God of Israel”**

### \*INVOCATION: (in unison)

O God, you so loved the world as to give your only begotten Son, that whosoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. Grant to us the precious gift of faith, that we may know that the Son of God is come, and may have power to overcome the world and gain a blessed immortality through Jesus Christ. Amen.

### \*LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE

*8am Lee & Pauline Huntsman  
10:30am Gordon & Sheila Miller*

## CHILDREN'S WORD

### GOD'S PEOPLE AT PRAYER

HYMN #229

**“Infant Holy, Infant Lowly”**

THE SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

THE MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

### THE SCRIPTURE LESSON (pg. 658&724)

**Micah 5:2-5a  
Luke 1:39-45**

L: This is the word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God.**

**CELEBRATION IN TRADITIONAL WORSHIP**

8a.m. & 10:30a.m. Sanctuary

**WORSHIP CHORUS (10:30 only) #219**

**“What Child Is This?”**

**SERMON**

**“Surprising Grace”  
Pastor Jason Guillaume**

**THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS**

**\*OFFERING SONG (pg. 95—on screen)**

**\*CLOSING HYMN #234**

**“O Come, All Ye Faithful”**

**\*THE BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**\*If able, please stand**

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE  
ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Announcements

Music

Scripture

Sermon

Music

Children’s Word

Joys/Concerns

Offering/Music

Music

## Sunday, December 23, 2018 – Announcements

<b>THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS &amp; EVENTS</b>			
<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>WHO? / WHAT?</b>	<b>WHERE?</b>
<b>TODAY</b>	9:00a.m.	Sunday School Cookie Social	Social Hall
<b>MONDAY</b>	7:00p.m. 10:00p.m.	Christmas Eve Services Contemporary Family Service Traditional Service	Sanctuary
<b>TUESDAY</b>	ALL DAY	Jesus is Born! Merry Christmas!	All Over the World!
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	6:30p.m.	Wednesday At the Well <b>CANCELLED FOR THIS WEEK</b> <b>Closed Governing Board Mtg.</b>	CUMC
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	7:30p.m.	Praise Team Practice	Social Hall
<b>WEDNESDAY-TUESDAY</b>	---	Pastor Jason Vacation	---
<b>UPCOMING MEETINGS &amp; EVENTS</b>			
<b>Jan. 5th</b>	7:00p.m.	Epiphany Concert	St. Joseph Church York, PA
<b>Jan. 6th</b>	11:30a.m.	Safety Committee Mtg.	Welcome Area
<b>Jan. 8th</b>	7:00p.m.	UMW	Social Hall
<b>Jan. 13th</b>	Noon	Special Church Conference	Welcome Area
<b>Jan. 13th</b>	6:00p.m.	Game Night #2 Empty Nester's vs Young Adults	Social Hall

\*\*\* = sign up sheet at Tables back of Sanctuary & Social Hall for this event  
**TBA** = to be announced; **CUMC** = Christ United Methodist Church;  
**UMW** = United Methodist Women; **NA**=Not Applicable

## Sunday, December 23, 2018 – Announcements



This

*Week's*

Birthdays

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|---------------------|---------------------|
| 23 - Charles Jansen | 28 - Bob Deatherage |
| 23 - Jessica Bowers | 28 - Jon Raab       |
| 23 - Bailey Tomes   | 29 - Kieran Buser   |
| 27 - Dorothy Leber  |                     |



This

*Week's*

- 23 - Min & Chrissy Crumling (2000)

Anniversaries



**The bulletins** are presented to the glory of God and in honor of *Jesus' Birth* by the Children's Sunday School Offering.



# MISSIONS

**December Missions we support thru our  
Faith Promise Fund**

**Please pray for and support:**

- Teach Beyond-Tim & Amanda Kmett \$1400 GLOBAL MISSION  
Joy-El Ministries \$600 LOCAL MISSION  
Big Brothers Big Sisters of York \$600 LOCAL MISSION

**Faith Promise**

**November Distributions:**

- Homes For Life—Stromstad \$1400 GLOBAL MISSION  
Methodist Children's Home - \$600 LOCAL MISSION

Details of ministries we support can be found on our website  
[www.cumcy.org](http://www.cumcy.org) under tab Ministries/Outreach

## Sunday, December 23, 2018 – Announcements (cont.)

Serving as:	Dec. 23rd	Dec. 30th	Jan. 6th
<b>ACOLYTE:</b>	Nathan Guillaume	Jillian Raab	Bryce Smeltzer
<b>GREETERS:</b>	Raab Family	Shana Carver Candace Stough	Kling Family
<b>BELL RINGER:</b>	Deb Althoff	Bryce Smeltzer	Ryan Gillaume
<b>LAY LEADER:</b>	Tricia Henise	Tricia Henise	Angie Nett
<b>COFFEE MATES:</b>	Nadine Barrett Donna Beck	Nadine Barrett Donna Beck	Joyce Fake Lisa Daugherty
<b>CHILDCARE: WalkAround Nursery Floater</b>	Nadine Barrett Lori Rissler	Alice & Kevin Staats	Wanda Boone Joyce Fake
<b>USHERS: TRADITIONAL CONTEMPORARY</b>	Wanda Boone Pete Raab Scott & Heather Krout	Jon & Angie Raab  Scottie Krout Brayden Warner	Danielle Miller Kim Saylor Tom & Donna Beck
<b>OFFERING COUNTERS:</b>	Steve & Lisa Daugherty Randy & Yvonne Minnick	Steve & Lisa Daugherty Randy & Yvonne Minnick	Wanda Boone Carolyn Jacobs Jeremy & Shana Carver

Greeters: Penny Erk 747-3562      Childcare: Lori Rissler 840-7947  
Ushers: Mike Boone 757-7247

All other serving groups call the Church Office: 757-3998  
If you are unable to serve your week please call the coordinator.

### **CHURCH WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT – 12/16/2018**

**General Offering** – \$18,319.00; **Loose Plate Offering**– \$296.00  
**Youth Dept.** – \$.00; **Flowers** - \$.00; **Bulletins** - \$.00; **Building Fund** - \$30.00; **Faith Promise** - \$150.00; **Social Hall Use** - \$75.00; **Love Offering** - \$230.00

**TOTAL DEPOSIT \*:** \$19,100.00

\$6,600 needed each week to support the ministries of Christ Church for 2018 \**These calculations are from the counter's report for each Sunday. They are a simple snapshot of weekly contributions but are not intended to replace our Treasurer Reports in Quickbooks.*

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE:

10:30AM Christmas Cantata 177

## Sunday, December 23, 2018 – Announcements (cont.)

### 2019 Contribution Envelopes

will be available for pick up during the end of the month of December to the rear of the sanctuary. Reminder: annual contribution statements are issued for tax purposes only to those who use contribution envelopes.

Please be sure to check out the table  
for your envelopes.

If you are interested in receiving offering envelopes for the year 2019, please inform Nadine Barrett in the church office at 717-757-3998.

If you would like to start or change your Electronic Giving please fill out a form found on the Sign Up Tables and put on Nadine's desk.

Thank you.

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The logo features the word "YOUTH" in a large, red, distressed font. Inside the letter "O" is a green silhouette of three people jumping or dancing. Below "YOUTH" is the word "Meeting" in a black, serif font, and to the right of "Meeting" is the word "SCHEDULE" in a bold, black, sans-serif font.

# YOUTH Meeting SCHEDULE

DEC. 23RD – NO

DEC. 30TH – YOUTH 6–8PM

### SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Sunday, Jan. 6th

11:30a.m. in the Welcome Area

For anyone interested in putting a plan together to address the safety needs of our church and congregation. We will walk through the building to access needs.

Any questions, please see or call Mike Boone 717-515-4484