



NEWS + NEEDS

United Methodist Women: This Week

Sing a New Song will meet this Thursday, July 10, at 10 a.m. in the UMW Room.

The July-August edition of *The Upper Room* devotional series is available in regular and large print in the narthex, Welcome Center, and other entrances at the church.
Pick yours up today!

Food Pantry Needs for July:
Jelly | Mustard | PB Crackers
Thank you for your donations!

Save the Date! **CUMC Car Show**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
9:00-1:00 | CHRIST UMC



MORE INFO TO
COME SOON!



Car registration is now available! Visit the QR code here or contact the church office, 865-922-1412.

Registration is \$25 per car in advance, \$30 the day of the show.

DATES TO NOTE

Monday, July 7: Church Council, 6:30 p.m.
Thursday, July 10: Sing a New Song, 10 a.m.
Saturday, July 12: United Methodist Men, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday, July 13: Bluegrass Sunday - Stoney Point
Monday, July 14: Prisca's, 10 a.m.
Wednesday, July 16: Food Pantry, 10:00-12:00
Thursday, July 24: Istorla, 4 p.m.
Sunday, August 17: Songfest! 6 p.m.

Church Office Operations:

Monday-Thursday, 9:00-3:00; closed on Fridays
865-922-1412

Website — www.christumcknox.com

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Prayer Requests — christumcprayers@gmail.com



We hope you received a "Save the Date" postcard in the mail recently and plan to be present for our first Homecoming Sunday! You may also use this QR code to register your attendance (specifically for a headcount for lunch afterward). We look forward to seeing familiar faces of old friends, former clergy, and staff here at CUMC on October 19!



Like and follow our NEW Facebook Page! Look for this GRAY church logo with the name "Christ United Methodist Church, Knoxville"

Join Our Email List!

For full announcements and updates, please refer to our online newsletter, *The Christ Connection*, which is emailed out every week. If you are not an email subscriber and would like to receive weekly emails and announcements, scan the QR Code here to access the online form.



WiFi Network: "Christ UMC Guest"
(No password required)



CHRIST

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Our Mission: To Make Disciples of Jesus Christ For the Transformation of the World

July 6, 2025



Pastor: Rev. Mark Kilbourne
Director of Music: Sarah Holloway
Organist: Mike Beckley | Pianist: Nancy Hodges
Today's Liturgist: Chris Burtner

7535 Maynardville Pike, Knoxville, TN 37938
Phone: (865) 922-1412 | www.christumcknox.com
Sunday Morning Worship: 10 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:00 & 11:00 for all ages

CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH—KNOXVILLE

Sunday Worship

July 6, 2025

10:00 a.m.

Sanctuary & Online

Prelude

Welcome | Passing of the Peace

Chris Burtner

*Congregational Hymn

“Holy, Holy, Holy” | UMH #64

*Apostles’ Creed

UMH #881 (also on screen)

Children's Message

Rev. Mark Kilbourne,

(Children may exit immediately following this moment for additional kids' activities.)

*Congregational Hymn

“What a Friend We Have in Jesus” | UMH #526

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Doxology

UMH #95

Pastoral Prayer, followed by

The Lord’s Prayer

(Please be in prayer for those individuals being displayed on the Prayer List that is up on the screen and in your bulletin.)

Scripture

2 Samuel 9:1-13 (NRSV)

Anthem

“Old Time Religion” | CUMC Choir;

Drew Holloway, soloist

Message

“Covenant Companion” | Rev. Kilbourne

Invitation to Holy Communion

UMH 12-13 (also on screen)

Communion | Today’s servers: Harry & Ruth Beason; Jerry & Brenda Dyer

*Congregational Hymn

“It is Well With My Soul” | UMH #377

*Benediction

Rev. Kilbourne

Postlude

**Rise in body or in spirit*



Today’s altar flowers are given by Kathleen Brockelman: In loving memory of my grandmother, Florence Hoback, who would be 136 years old on July 7, as well as my parents, Richard and Shirley Miller, in celebration of what would have been their 80th wedding anniversary on July 4.



WELCOME TO CHRIST UMC!

Whether you are visiting today or have been with us for many years, we invite you to take a moment and mark your attendance in our pew books at the end of your row, and fill out a Connection Card also located in your pew to let us know more about yourself, a change in contact information, a prayer request, or anything else you need our office to know. Have a wonderful Sunday!

Next Bluegrass Sunday: July 13

Featuring Stoney Point

Make plans to welcome our Stoney Point friends to our 10 a.m. worship service next Sunday!

Save the Date:

Songfest 2025

(formerly known as Camp Meeting)

Sunday, August 17 | 6 p.m.

CUMC Music Ministry

Mark your calendars for this annual musical event that will uplift your spirit and fill your heart!



The altar flower calendar is located on the bulletin board outside the church office if you’d like to reserve a Sunday to dedicate flowers in honor or in memory of someone. You may sign up directly on the flower calendar OR call the office during the week (865-922-1412) to check the available Sundays in 2025.

United Methodist Men

The next UMM meeting will be this Saturday, July 12, at 8:30 a.m. in Wesley Hall. All men are welcome to join for breakfast, a devotional lesson, prayer time, and a little bit of business. See you Saturday!



As a reminder, we are on camera during our worship service’s livestream. Please know that you are potentially going to appear in video/video images that will be seen publicly and may be used in future publications.

CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Barbara Wolfenbarger
Kim Counts
Cindy Skaggs
Mark Grace
Sheila Morris
Jaxton King
Doug Anderson
Lois Watkins
Vicki Clair
Larry and Lyn Coble
Nell Bowers

Alora Ryden
Roger Prater
Carl McCarter
Lilian Taylor
David Leon Coppock
Lindsey, niece of Nancy Counts
Mary Lynne Lipe
Paula Williams

Names remain on our Prayer List for **4 weeks, unless requested otherwise. To add or omit a name on this list, please contact the church office, 865-922-1412 or scan the QR code here to send an email to office staff.*

