

Beyond Worship...

Lent Studies

Brown Bag

Quest

Youth Groups

Sunday School

Music

Soup Suppers

Easter Flower Cross

Missional Connection

Welcome to Worship

PRELUDE **“God So Loved the World”** *Arr. Jan Sanborn
Cynthia Marlette, pianist*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *Pastor Heather Seman*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: This is the fifth step on our Lenten journey, the step of sacrifice.

Many: Be with us, Lord, as we take this step.

One: This requires the willingness to give all of your life to the Lord.

Many: Be with us, Lord, as we commit our lives to you.

One: Come, let us worship and offer our voices of praise to God.

All: Let us open our hearts and spirits to God this day. AMEN.

*OPENING HYMN **“Freely, Freely”** *No. 389*

*GREETING ONE ANOTHER - *welcome one another and seek out someone you don't know*

CHOIR ANTHEM **“Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy”**

PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER *Pastor Heather Seman*

OFFERING/OFFERTORY **“I Lay My Sins on Jesus”** *Arr. Howard Helvey*

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE *No. 95*
“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*APOSTLES' CREED

*SCRIPTURE **Psalm 103:9-12**

HYMN OF PREPARATION **“Dear Lord and Father of Mankind”** *No. 358*

MESSAGE **“As Far as East is from West...”** *Pastor Heather Seman*

HOLY COMMUNION *Pastor Heather Seman*
At this church we offer two ways to receive the Lord's Supper. The Communion servers will hand you a piece of bread, representing the body of Christ. At that point you are invited to either dip your bread into the cup and eat it, or take a small cup of juice, drink it as you eat the bread, then place your empty cup into the basket as you return to your seat. The juice, regardless of how you receive it, represents the blood of Christ. Everyone is welcome at the Lord's table. As you wish, you may pause for prayer at the altar. *Gluten free option available.

*CLOSING HYMN **“He Touched Me”** *No. 367*

BENEDICTION *Pastor Heather Seman*

POSTLUDE **“The God of Abraham Praise”** *Arr. Meyer Lyon*

Community NW Ministries

Reaching beyond our building to share the Gospel and Good News with someone new.
Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm beginning April 11th, in the dining hall at Camp Twinlow.

Yellow Cards

We appreciate you for filling out the yellow cards. By telling us you are here, we then know when you are not and can follow up to find out if all is well.

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday - March 25th; 9 & 10:30 am

Holy Thursday - March 29th; 7:00 pm

Good Friday - March 30th; 7:00pm

Easter - April 1st; 9 & 10:30 am



UMW Rummage Sale - May 4th & 5th

Get that closet or garage cleaned out and donate your haul to the UMW. If you need items picked up, contact Becky Knight at 208 699-1966.

Men's Breakfast Program

Saturday March 24th at Elmer's Restaurant, 7:30am

Learn about the full spectrum of Head Start in our Community Early Learning Center at CUMC from Robbie Eaton, Supervisor with Family Services for NIC Head Start. She will give us insight as to her aspirations in working with the staff and families at the Center. Women Are Always Welcome!



Thank you to Lake City High School's Life Skills class for folding our bulletins each week!

Last Sundays Attendance = 146

In Our Prayers:

Health Concerns: Rick VanLandingham, Sandy McConnell (Hillman's friend), Annamay Sauerwein, Leslie Eagon, Bill Sijan, Don Burk, Larry Bainum, Theresa Edwards (*Ginny Brown's niece*).

Surgery and Recovery: Cheryl Reed, John Edgar, Gail Russell, Donna Myer, Jim Jacobson (Dave's brother), Marvin Baker.

Battling Cancer: Barbara Haberman, Paula McCall, Kelly Dahlquist, Gordon Pierce, Ron Hillman, Marilyn Stafford (Gary Hamilton's cousin) Doug Landwehr, Wally Jacobson, Laura McNicol, Charlotte Cooper, Frank Kelley, Roberta Monroe.

Other Prayer Needs: Veronica Seright's grandson Colton, on mission in Philippines,

If you have a prayer request, please call Susan Ruyf @ 667-5478. The names listed above and many others are held in prayer daily. You may also note your request on your yellow attendance cards. Be sure to check the box if you would like their names published in the bulletin.

Are you new to Community UMC?

- Please fill out a *Community Connection* card. so we may connect with you beyond this morning. We will not share your information.
- Ask an usher if you need a hearing device.
- Communion is open to everyone who would like to receive.
- Hymnals are located at the back of the Celebration Hall.
- There is a fellowship time across the hall following worship - you are warmly invited. We would like to meet you!

Sunday Worship Services

Worship is the heart of our lives at CUMC, believing that we all have a need to praise God, know Christ and spend time in community doing just those things. While we have similar needs to worship, we offer the following worship experiences:

9am Worship

The Chancel Choir and, occasionally the Community Brass bell choir, provide special music during the school year. Hymns are traditionally accompanied by our historic pipe organ and the worship style is more traditional.

10:30am Worship

This service is a more informal style with contemporary music led by the Worship Team, and occasional special performances. Children are welcome at both worship services. A nursery is offered for infants to age 3.

Communion is celebrated on the first and third Sundays. All are welcome at the Lord's table.

Weekly Calendar

March 18 - 25

Today	9:00am 9:00am 9:00am 10:30am 10:30am 10:30am	Worship Lent Study Youth/Children's Sunday School Worship Lent Study Children's Sunday School
Monday	1:30pm	Lent Study @ Golden Spike Estates
Tuesday	6:30am 6:30pm	Lent Study Community Brass
Wednesday	9:30am 11:30am 6:00pm 6:00pm 6:30pm 6:45pm	Prayer Group Brown Bag Bible Study Youth Group Lent Soup Supper Chancel Choir Lent Study
Thursday	8:00am 6:00pm 6:30pm	Lent Study Song Team Rehearsal Church Council
Sunday	9:00am 9:00am 9:00am 10:30am 10:30am 10:30am	Palm Sunday Worship Lent Study Youth/Children's Sunday School Worship Children's Sunday School Lent Study

Our Ministry Team

Pastor: Rev. Heather Seman - heather@cdaumc.org

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Director Youth & Children Ministries: Emily Wise - emily@cdaumc.org

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Hours M & T 9:30 am -12:30 pm

Church Council Chair: Gail Hanninen - gail5wood@yahoo.com

Welcome to



If you're here for the first time, we're especially glad you've chosen to join us in worship. Everything we do this morning is intended to bring us closer to God and Jesus Christ, as well as to one another. We seek to be the hands and heart of Christ in this world.

Childcare is available during worship for children birth to three years. You'll find the nursery through the door at the front left of this hall. We invite children and youth of all ages to our worship.

Our Purpose

Our Purpose is to be and make disciples of Jesus Christ so that we are able to love and serve our community and world through ministries that transform lives, build stronger individuals and families.

March 18, 2018

9:00 am Worship

Community United Methodist Church

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