

February 18, 2018

First Sunday in Lent

Union Cross Moravian Church

“A Christian Family seeking to reflect God’s Love”

Chimes

Abigail Nelson

Call to Worship

Praise Team

Welcome and Announcements

Pastoral Prayer

Children’s Chat with Pastor Russ

Sharing our Gifts with the Lord

Offertory Hymn

Lord, is it I? - Martin

Sermon Text: Luke 15:11-32

Sermon-Rev. Russ Williams

“The Distant Country”

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Service for Holy Communion in Celebration of the Atonement



Pastor: Rev. Russell Williams
Choir Director: Phyllis Long

Organist/Pianist: Janice Reich
Alice Linville

Today

Sunday School

Opening

Ronnie Sisk

Infant Nursery

Caroline Tesh

John Tesh

Preschool Nursery

Kim Greene

Emma Greene

Custodial Check

Cindy Pruitt

Dan Johnson

Greeters-Narthex

Kim and Steve

Hampton

Greeter-Vestibule

Frances Brown

Usher Captains

for February

Kim Greene

Randy Knox

Next Sunday

Sunday School

Opening

Karen Vaughn

Infant Nursery

Jane Lawrence

Sheila Underwood

Preschool Nursery

Jill Ramsay

Ricky Ramsay

Custodial Check

Dan Johnson

Brad Johnson

Greeters-Narthex

Kim and Steve

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8:00 AM Praise Team Rehearsal

9:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service

9:45 AM Sunday School Opening

10:00 AM Sunday School Class

11:00 AM Worship Service, Holy Communion
Confirmation Class after Worship

4:00 PM Hockey Game

Wednesday

10:00 AM Women's Bible Study

6:00 PM Lenten Supper and Program

7:15 PM Adult Choir Practice

Announcements

Lenten Season-Each Wednesday night during Lent we'll gather for supper at 6pm followed by our Lenten program in the fellowship hall. This year's program will invite us to examine the parallels between Jesus' last week on earth and our own last week on earth. All are welcome!

Library Books-There are some library books in the Fellowship Hall. They are discards from our collection (to make room for new ones) or books from broken sets. These books are still good reading. Please help yourself, and, if you are able, leave a small donation.

Afterschool Volunteers-Volunteers are needed at the afterschool program. They are looking for people willing to give 30 minutes a day from 3 until 3:30 PM. If you can contribute 30 minutes or a couple of hours a week please contact Catherine Jenkins at 336-971-5382.

Before and After School-Is in need of a Director, Assistant Director and Counselors. If you or anyone you know is interested, please contact Catherine Jenkins. Job descriptions can be picked up in the church office.

Crystal Etchings-Don't forget about the Lovefeast crystals. They make a lovely gift for any occasion. If you would like one please see Natalie Johnson. Each crystal is \$50 and 100% of the total sale price goes to the church building fund.

† Prayer Request Updates †

Please Add: Connie Leonard, fell and hurt her hip.

Vicki Carlyle, upcoming back surgery.

Martha Knox, had surgery Wednesday.

Heather Stanley, Heather Thornton's sister-in-law, having complications from surgery to repair bleeding from strokes.

Doug Vaughn, recovering from stroke.

Please remove: Carole Dillard

Terry Sells

Bobby Smith

Lewis Peacock

Ongoing prayer requests can be found in the Church Newsletter.

Any prayer requests or updates can be submitted either by email (ucmc@unioncrossmoravian.org) or by contacting the church office (336-769-2411).

Looking Forward

- Feb. 25 JOY Group, YFC, and Utes 5 PM
Feb. 26 Girl Scouts Meeting 6:00 PM
RCC at Friedland 7 PM
Feb. 28 Women's Bible Study 10 AM
Lenten Supper and Program 6 PM
Adult Choir Practice 7:15 PM
Mar. 4 Men's Breakfast at C&H Cafeteria 8 AM
Mar. 5 Board of Elders Meeting 7 PM
Mar. 6 Women's Circle Meetings 9:45 AM and 7 PM

Watchword for the Week is from Psalm 25:8

**Good and upright is the Lord; therefore he instructs
sinners in the way.**

Our Generosity of Time and Treasures

Attendance 2/11/2018

**Last Week's Offering \$7670
Building Fund \$ 200**

Praise Service	26	02/04	Canceled
Sunday School	83	01/28	\$2162
11 AM Worship	134	01/21	\$4224
Service		01/14	\$2994

Pastor's Office 336-986-9406

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The Secretarial hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., M-F

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