



Sunday, November 18th

8:45 – Early Service
9:40 – Sunday School for all ages
10:45 – Worship Service
Noon – Spiritual Form Tm. Mtg.
NO Advent Study
NO Evening Worship here at SMUMC.
7:00 – *Community Thanksgiving
Worship at Cox’s Landing UMC.

Monday, November 19th

9:30 – Refit
NO Scouts
7:00 – Admin Mtg.

Tuesday, November 20th

6:30 – Celebrate Recovery
7:00 – No Advent Study

Wednesday, November 21st

9:30 – Refit
1:00 – Advent Study
5:30 – All-Stars 4 Jesus!
6:00 – Youth
No Advent Study

Thursday, November 22nd

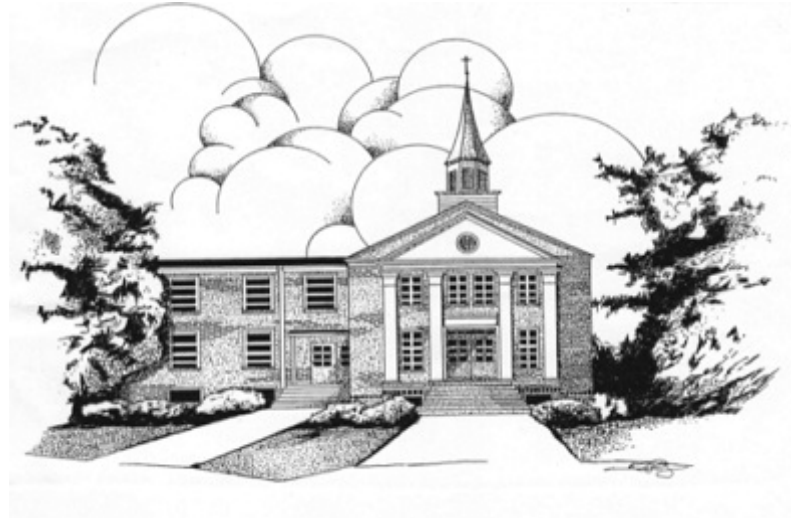
Office Closed
Happy Thanksgiving!

Friday, November 23rd

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Sunday, November 25th

8:45 – Early Worship
9:40 – Sunday School for all ages
10:45 – Worship Service
No Advent Study



CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of Steele Memorial United Methodist Church is to ENGAGE with people in order to know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord; to CONNECT them in their journey of faith; and to offer opportunities to DEVELOP their relationship with the living God through love, worship, and SERVICE.

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**STEELE MEMORIAL
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**



**November 18, 2018
WELCOME TO WORSHIP!**

PRELUDE

***HYMN** No. 310 *“He Lives”*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

This is a time to share the work of the Church and recognize the community of believers as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship the Lord!

STORY TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Doxology
No. 94 *“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

***SONG OF PRAISE**

No. 694 (vs. 1-3) *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

GOSPEL READING

This is the Word of God for People of God
Thanks be to God!

MORNING PRAYER

with The Lord’s Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

November 11, 2018
7,348.00

Amount Received	Amount Needed Per Week
\$8, 988.35	\$8, 849.84

Last Sunday Attendance

Morning Worship: 162	Early Worship: 27
Sunday School: 122	Evening Worship:

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 19th - Administrative Council Meeting
December 2nd - Hanging Of The Greens & Holiday Covered Dish
December 6th - United Methodist Women Luncheon
December 8th - The Renaissance Concert
December 12th - All-Stars 4 Jesus Performance
December 14th Singles & More Christmas Party

ANTHEM

Choir

Children ages 4 through 2nd grade may exit for Children's Church and go downstairs to the 1st and 2nd grade Sunday School classroom.

SERMON

2 Corinthians 5: 14-21

Pastor Kevin Lantz

"Day 2"

***HYMN**

No. 572

"Pass It On"

BENEDICTION**POSTLUDE**

ECCHO is in real need to replenish their pantry, so we are asking that for November everyone continue to donate canned chili, canned stew, and canned pastas with meat (spaghetti & meat balls, ravioli, etc.). Please place donations in our ECCHO food box located in the front hallway.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY Each Tuesday evening, a small group of believers meet with a large group of people struggling with hurts, habits and hang-ups. We provide a warm meal, a bible-based lesson, songs of praise and worship, a small group time for sharing and lots of warm smiles, handshakes and hugs. Our group has grown to more than 100! Thanks be to God! Thanks to all who donate to our clothes closet! Special needs include coats, hats, gloves, belts, socks and always shoes

If you would like to volunteer in any capacity to minister with us, we would love to have you! Ways you can help: greeter, nursery, children's lesson, teen lesson, driver, small group leader lesson, provide food, prepare a meal, serve a meal and clothes closet.

BLUE CHRISTMAS! For the past few years the community has offered a "Blue Christmas" worship service at one of our local churches, keeping in mind that the season leading up to Christmas may be emotionally draining for some, especially if they have lost a loved one during the year. A "Blue Christmas" worship service offers our friends a place to acknowledge that sadness in the midst of a "happy" season. This year's Blue Christmas service will take place on Friday Dec. 21, at Kuhn Memorial Presbyterian Church (time to be announced).



Guest Preacher Sunday.

NEXT SUNDAY Rev. Jeff Arthur will serve as our Preacher for worship in Pastor Kevin's absence. Kevin and Kim will be away for part of the Thanksgiving week, Wednesday –

PRAYER CONCERNS

Johnna Adkins	Dana Godfrey, Sr.	Brian McMaster
Sue Ballengee	Lori Childers Godfrey	Michael Null
Rosetta Blake	Charles Hart	Keith Ross
Jim Boggess	Monica Jackson	Lois Silling
Shirley Bowen	Adam Johnson	Essie Thornton
Buddy & Lillian Dick	Whitt/Virginia Keefer	Don Williams
Meghan Elkins	Mike McClung	

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Jason Berkenbaugh	(Friend of Stephanie Taylor)
Avanell Cummings	(Mother of Becky Nisbet)
Jill Chapman	(Friend of Richard and Louetta Jimison)
Charlie Insalaco	(Grandson of Mike & Lynette Call)
Joshua Potts	(Cousin of Bryan Collins)
Valerie Salyers	(Mother of Savannah Watson)
E. Jean Townsend	(Sister of Julia Dickens)
Tommy Dickens	(Brother of Larry Dickens)

**FOOD BASKETS**

HOLIDAY BASKETS As the holiday season approaches, we think of those struggling to provide Thanksgiving and Christmas meals for their families. Won't you help? We encourage you, as you are able, to give a monetary donation. Mark a pew envelope, "Holiday Baskets". We receive the names of our families from **ECCHO**.

OUR THANKSGIVING COMMUNITY WORSHIP service will be this evening, 7p.m. at Cox Landing as the host church. Rev. Angela Gay Kinkead from Pea Ridge UMC is our speaker. An offering will be taken benefitting "Hunters Helping the Hungry" – (link: <http://www.wvdnr.gov/Hunting/HHH.shtm>)

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER The Greater Barboursville Community Outreach (GBCO) will serve a free traditional Thanksgiving meal on Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 22), 3p.m. at the Barboursville Senior Center (721 Central Ave, Barboursville, WV 25504). Reservations are not required, and the availability of take-out depends on how many people show up!

If you would like to assist in any meal preparations or make donations of food, please email greaterbarboursvilleoutreach@gmail.com. Monetary donations can be given in the form of checks made out to GBCO and mailed to GBCO, PO Box 293, Barboursville WV 25504.

THANK YOU to all who donated to the Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Ministry. We delivered 92 boxes from our church; which will be a part of the largest Christmas project of its kind to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children around the world. Thank you for your loving and for your giving.

ENGAGING INDEX CARDS! December is a great time to share an invitation to Church with one of your friends! December offers excellent opportunities:

- Holiday Family Dinner – Sunday, December 2, 5 p.m.
- Renaissance Christmas Choir program – Saturday, December 8
- Christmas Eve Worship – December 24!

YOUR ASSIGNMENT: Think of someone who may be ready for an invitation to worship or take part in another experience at your Church. Write their name and a contact: either 1) email or 2) mailing address on the colorful index cards.

With that, your Church will send a note inviting them, promising them **you** will make a follow-up call! This takes the anxiety out of making your own "cold call." The Church will send something like this: *"Pete Sargent would like to invite you to our Christmas Eve worship this year! This special family worship will be at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, December 24. Pete will be calling you to make arrangements to pick you up and answer any questions!"*

IMPORTANT! Include your name on the back of the index card!

Later, you make the call – making your invitation a less anxious experience! Let's see how many we can include in the celebration of our Savior's Birth! We know, through statistical analysis, that the majority of people will respond to your invitation to Church!

**Altar Flowers**

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are placed today in honor of Pat and Brenda Cornwell's 57th anniversary by their children and grandchildren. Happy Anniversary!

THE LYDIA CIRCLE will meet the second Thursday of every month at 1 PM in the Parlor.