



Greetings in the name of Christ!

As we have been moving forward with our church opening we are pleased to see all those who have been attending.

I would like to thank everyone for following the guidelines and for being cooperative about the changes we needed to make in order to insure we can be as safe as possible.

As we adapt to our current situation we are trying our best to insure everyone can feel included and participate in church activities.

**Starting Tuesday August 3<sup>rd</sup> and each Tuesday following communion Sunday** I will be offering anyone who wishes to receive communion to come and have it done individually during office hours 9:00am -1:00pm. I know many wish to receive communion but still do not feel able to come on Sundays. (**Please note:** this is not every Tuesday, only the Tuesday following communion Sunday)

At some point we do plan on posting our church services on Facebook. We are working very hard to make sure we have all the necessary technology and of course copyright licenses to do streaming and post these services.

I ask for your patience while we get all the proper things in order.

Each week for the past few weeks I have been posting a weekly devotional for everyone. I am happy to see all those who are viewing it. This will continue even after we begin to post our services.

As we move forward during these uncertain times I would like to encourage you to stay involved with your church family in any way you can. Call each other, send cards and of course come on Sundays when you feel comfortable enough to do so.

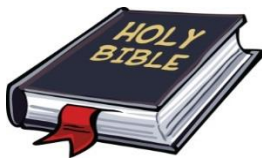
Just a reminder to use common sense when we gather. If you have been feeling ill or have traveled please stay home until you are sure you are better.

I am praying everyone stays healthy and hope to see you all on Sundays.

Your servant in Christ,  
Pastor Linda



Sunday August 16<sup>th</sup> we will once again be blessing the backpacks for the upcoming school year. All ages are invited from kindergarten to college to bring your backpacks to be blessed.



Monday Night Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

We begin with prayer at 6:30pm then following prayer we begin our bible study.

Some upcoming topics:

Peace and what it means

Forgiveness & Forgiving

The Beatitudes

All are welcome to come and join us!



Sunday August 9<sup>th</sup>

We will be collecting a special offering for New Paris Food Bank.

Please mark your checks or envelopes to be designated for this offering when placing it in the offering plate at the back of the church.



## August Birthdays

- 1 – Susie Felten
- 2 – Julie Huffman
- 6 – Richard Wolf
- 13 – Brian Shroyer
- 16 – Jay Ickes
- 17 – Molly Grubb
- 17 – James Berkey
- 17 – Molly Grubb
- 19 – Bill Benna
- 19 – Kaitlin Egolf
- 20 – Viola Smeltzer
- 29 – Jay Grubb
- 31 – Judy Ickes



## August Anniversaries

- 2-Jim & Julie Huffman
- 9-Sam & Barb Beard
- 13-Kevin & Lori Pahl
- 23-Fred & Susan Shankle



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### Chat & Chew

**Wednesday August 19th**

We are going to: Wing & A Prayer  
We will meet at the church  
and leave at 11:00am.  
All are welcome to join us!

**And Craft Sale      September 2, 3, & 4**  
**Wednesday thru Friday**  
**Held in the church fellowship hall**

The church will be offering tables for \$10.00 a table.

Each person who wishes to set up a table will be responsible for their own items.

**You must take anything you don't sell back with you.**

**Only one person for each table.**

Mask will be required for all shoppers and participants.

Please contact Doris Imgrund if you wish to rent a table and for more information.




# August -2020 Newsletter

**United Church of Schellsburg United Church of Christ**  
**Sunday Worship, 9:30am**  
**Fellowship Time following Sunday Service**  
**Church Office Hours are**  
**Tuesday thru Thursday 9:00 To 1:00**  
**Phone 733-4811**  
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# AUGUST-2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 9:30am Sunday Worship with Communion  Annual Congregational Meeting	3 Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 6:30 PM	4 TOPS 8:30am  Personal Communion	5	6	7	8
9 9:30am Sunday Worship  New Paris Food Bank Special Offering	10 Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 6:30 PM	11 TOPS 8:30am	12	13	14	15
16 9:30am Sunday Worship  Blessing of the Backpacks	17 Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 6:30 PM	18 TOPS 8:30am	19 Chat & Chew Leaving church at 11:00am Wing & A Prayer	20	21	22
23 9:30am Sunday Worship	24 Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 6:30 PM	25 TOPS 8:30am	26	27 	28	29
30 9:30am Sunday Worship	31 Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 6:30 PM					

A Corn Boil is being planned for either August 21<sup>st</sup> or the 28<sup>th</sup>.  
Watch for the announcement in the bulletins  
or contact Doris Imgrund for information.