

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT CAMPAIGN

The Trustees have an ongoing list of repairs, upgrades and projects around our 54 year old church. We need to build up the capital improvement fund to work on these projects and to cover any large emergency repairs.

Checks should be made out to the church "CUMC" and note it is for the Capital Improvement Fund. These donations are above your regular tithe pledged to the church. Your regular tithe is for the day to day operations of the church.

If you have additional suggestions for the Trustees, please put it in writing, sign it, include how to contact you and leave your note in the Trustees mail slot in Conference Room 1 near the church office or in the offering plate on Sunday.

Goal: \$100,000

Received: \$55,000

Completed Projects:

- Replaced sanctuary air conditioning units
- Repaired roof and ceiling above entrance to Fellowship Hall
- Repaired van
- Reupholster benches at the front entrance of the sanctuary

Future Projects

- Power wash the front of the sanctuary and steeple; requires a special lift to reach the height and angle of the steeple – *contractor hired*
- Install security cameras and safety system for office area – *installation started*
- Repair roof leaks in Fellowship Hall and kitchen – *getting estimates*
- Repair rental house to prepare for a new tenant – *getting estimates*
- Repair the church sign – *getting estimates*
- Replace older air conditioning units around the church

Our Vision is to invite all people to follow Jesus Christ, build them up into his body and image, and send them out to serve others



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Attendance Card

August 6, 2017

Please print your name and everyone attending with you

VISITOR - 1st time 2nd 3rd
 Visitors, please provide your contact information below

How did you find us: family/friends
 driving by website
 facebook newspaper

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- Church Member
- Regular Attendee (not a member)
- Seasonal Attendee
- Please update my information that I have noted below.

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email: _____

Please fill out this card, tear it off and put it in the offering plate.

The flowers on the altar are dedicated to the Glory of God

In memory of Linda Hart
 by Earl and Sharon Hart
 and
 In honor of our 64th anniversary
 by Janice and Bill Martin

Our Prayer List

In the hospital:

In rehabilitation:

In hospice:

In Nursing Homes or Homebound:

Mary Armstrong, Drema Brooks, Evelyn Canning, Ray and Hallie Jerome, Libby Jones, Nelly Kuiper and Norma Viera

In Christian Sympathy to:

Please call or email the church office when you or a family member goes into a local hospital, rehab or nursing home. Also note it on your attendance card so visits can be arranged.

Our Record of Stewardship for last week

New Members received this year: 10
 Passionate Worship: Sunday 145, Spanish 14
 Intentional Discipling: Sunday 18, Small Groups
 Salty Service (through church ministries): 5

Extravagant Generosity:
 General Budget: \$2776
 Capital Improvement: \$60
 Missions: General \$28, Children's Home \$626.04, Sneakers \$440

2017 General Budget: \$4868 needed each week to meet budget.
 We were \$2092 below budget last week.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<u>EVERY Week</u>			<u>Additional Events THIS Week</u>		
Sunday			Sunday, August 6 - Communion		
10:30am	Traditional Service	S	3:00pm	UMW Exec Board	CR2
2:00pm	Spanish Worship	FH	Monday, August 7		
Monday			Tuesday, August 8		
5:30pm	Small Group	Farag	10:00am	Evangelism Team	CR2
7:00pm	Boy Scouts	Scout House	4:00pm	Care Team	CR2
Wednesday			7:00pm	Worship Committee	L
10:00am	Small Group	Morgan	Thursday, August 10		
1:30pm	Small Group	Parlor	First Day of School		
6:30pm	• Youth Group	YR	Office Closed		
6:30pm	Spanish Bible Class	CR2	9:00am	Global Leadership Summit	
Saturday			Cape Coral		
4:00pm	Small Group	Ibanez	8:00am	ROMMEO Men	Perkins
			7:00pm	Finance Committee	L
			Friday, August 11 – Office Closed		
			9:00am Global Leadership Summit		
			Cape Coral		
			NEXT Week		
			Sunday, August 13		
			9:15am • Information Class		
			12:00pm • Youth Bowling		
			Monday, August 14		
			September newsletter articles due		
			Vouchers due		
			Tuesday, August 15		
			7:00pm Church Council		
			7:00pm Cub Scouts/Parents		
			Thursday, August 17		
			8:00am Rap n Roll Men		
			9:45am Immokalee Soup Kitchen		
			Saturday, August 19		
			10:00am One Starry Night		
			Planning Meeting		
Room Locations:					
BR – Bell Room CH—Chapel P - Parlor					
C—Choir Room FH—Fellowship Hall					
CR2—Conference Room 2 L—Library					
S—Sanctuary YR-Youth Room					
SS# - Sunday School Room					

• See Announcements page for full details

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME HOME!

We give a special welcome to all **first time guests** and invite you to become part of our church family. We invite you to stay for refreshments afterwards so we can get to know you.

Please complete **the attendance card** attached to these announcements so we know that you worshipped with us today. Tear it off, fill it in and put it in the offering plate.

NURTURE

2017 Youth Activities Bring Friends To All Activities at the Church - Not To Outings			
Date	Activity	Where/Time	Cost
Wed Aug 9	Ice Cream Social	Church 6-8pm	\$1.00
Sun Aug 13	Bowling Leave at 12pm	You must attend church to go on the outing; signed permission slip needed	\$5.00
Wed Aug 16	Movie Night	Church 6:30-8:30pm	free
Wed Aug 23	Pizza and Games	Church 6:30-8:30pm	\$1.00
Wed Aug 30	Activities	Church 6:30-8:30pm	free

INFORMATION CLASS is held the second Sunday of each month at 9:15 am. Meet in the sanctuary before going to Conference Room 2. This class is for those who want to know more about the United Methodist denomination, our church, or how to become a church member.

OUTREACH

Dearest CUMC:

Thank you so very much for all the wonderful gift cards (226) for the sneakers. We have divided them for each school: all elementary and middle schools in Lehigh – a limited number per school. The guidance counselor at each school selects the most needy students to receive the gift card. Please let your congregation know what a huge difference you make in our community.

With sincere gratitude for your kindness and your special help.

Sincerely,
Charlotte Rae Nicely, Executive Director
Lehigh Community Services

WORSHIP

Baskets In The Front On Communion Sundays

The money collected in these baskets goes to the Parish Discretionary Fund. This fund is used to help members of the congregation with financial situations. Assistance is limited to allow us to help a number of people or families. There is a process that is followed and the first step is to contact the church office.

NAME TAGS

Church members please wear your name tags so our guests can learn our names. If you are a regular attendee, you also may request a name tag. Print your name on the attendance card attached to this page and note you need a name tag. Tear off the card and put it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Name tags are made in batches so keep checking for your last name on the name tag board if you requested one.

FELLOWSHIP TIME

During the summer we will have beverages available after church but no snacks. More volunteers are needed to help prepare and serve the beverages on Sunday. Talk to Michelle Cabral at the beverage table if you can share your gift of hospitality in this area.

FLOWER CALENDAR

Openings still available on September 17, and October 29. Cost is \$17.50 per vase. The sign-up calendar is in the sanctuary lobby across from the refreshment table. Please note what is the special occasion you are commemorating or the special person.



Salty Service

[] Check the box or write a number if more than 1 person in your family did Salty Service this week.

Salty Service is serving through church ministries to the community.

Please complete the other side

Comments / Prayer Requests



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