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Offering the Way...Teaching the Truth...Living the Life through Jesus Christ
The mission of Ono United Methodist Church is to be fellowship intent on
BEING and MAKING disciples of Jesus Christ.

November 18, 2018

2 Peter 3:18: "Instead, grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and savior Jesus Christ. To him belongs glory now and forever. Amen."

ORDER OF WORSHIP...8:00 A.M.

Call to Worship from Psalm 28

Leader: I cry out to you, LORD.

People: You are my rock; don't refuse to hear me.

Leader: Listen to my request for mercy, when I cry out to you,

People: When I lift up my hands to your holy inner sanctuary

Leader: The LORD is his people's strength;

People: Save your people, God! Shepherd them and carry them for all time!

Prelude

* (Stand in prayer as our pastor and worship leader come to the altar during chimes.)

* Invocation

* Gloria Patri

* Hymn *Glory to His Name* No. 527

Children's Message

Ministry of Music by Jess Grimes

Prayers of the People

Scripture Lesson *1 John 4:7 - 21* 863 Pew Bible

(**Please sign and pass the red-covered pad found in the pews.)

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offering

Text to Give: 4849733 to 715-803-4772

Offering Hymn *Tell Me the Old, Old Story* No. 424

* Doxology No. 625

Scripture Lesson *John 4:4 - 42* 752 Pew Bible

Sermon

Encountering Christ: Savior

* Closing Hymn *Jesus Saves!* No. 306

* Benediction * Singing of the Lord's Prayer * Postlude

* Those who are able, please stand.

8:00 a.m. – Assisting as leader in worship today is Jean Bragg. Leading the Call to Worship is Jim Bragg. Ruth Leibold greeted you.

PRAISE WORSHIP SERVICE...10:30 A.M.

* Opening Songs *King of My Heart*
One Thing Remains

Children's Message

(Children, Age 4 to Grade 1 are dismissed to go to their Children's Church Class in Rm 23. Children in Grades 2 – 4 meet in Room 17 in the lower education wing.)

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* A Time of Worship *Who You Say I Am*

Scripture Lesson *John 4:4 - 42* 752 Pew Bible

Sermon

Encountering Christ: Savior

* Closing Song *Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)*

* Benediction

10:30 a.m. – Assisting as leader in worship today is Vanessa Helms. The worship team leads the music. Pastor Eric and Mary Ritz greeted you.

A WARM CHRISTIAN WELCOME TO ALL who have come to worship with us. **Please sign the red-covered pad found in the pews. If you are our guest, please include your contact information. Thank you.

WE NEED YOUR PHOTOS!! This year we would like to include a special surprise during the Christmas Cantata, and in order to do that we need your favorite family photo from Christmas (it could be last year or 30 years ago!) You can submit them either online to the church email onochurch@gmail.com and in the subject line please just put "cantata". Or if you prefer you can place them in the designated box on the table by the library (the box will have a side to drop off pictures and a side to pick them up once we are finished.) Deadline for the photos is Dec 5! We look forward to seeing your memories!!

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH/PRAYER CALENDAR

TODAY: 8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

9:30 a.m. Church School

10:30 a.m. Praise Worship

12:30 - 3:30 p.m. OCC Relay Center

7:00 p.m. Groups: Adults; Youth and Children

MONDAY: 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. OCC Relay Center

6:00 p.m. Onorobics

7:00 p.m. Christmas Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY: 9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study; Kids4Jesus; Youth Production Team

THURSDAY: *Thanksgiving Day*

SUNDAY: 8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

9:30 a.m. Church School

10:30 a.m. Praise Worship

7:00 p.m. Groups: Adults; Youth and Children

THE GIVING TREE: We are once again having a Giving Tree. We invite you to choose a tag, or two, and have fun shopping for gifts. When choosing a tag(s), please remember to sign the book with your name and phone number next to the corresponding number. All gifts go to at risk children enrolled with the children and youth services of Lebanon County. Items on the tag are requested specifically for that child. We ask that you adhere closely to the suggested items. Please also refrain from purchasing any games or items that have violent content. Suggested spending is approx. \$25 per tag. Gifts are taken to the court house and given to parents or guardians to give to the children at Christmas. Please be sure to return the gifts on or before the due date of Dec. 9. Thank you for your continued support of this wonderful community program started in our church by Mrs. Ruth Jones, many years ago.

BUILDING MATERIALS NEEDED: We are looking for building material to build the stable for the living nativity. We need 8 sheets of plywood, ½ to ¾" thickness. It does not have to be new. Please contact Dale Gongloff at 717-865-6719, will pick up. Supplies are needed by Thanksgiving.

LIVING NATIVITY 2018! Friday & Saturday, Dec. 14 & 15 from 6-8pm, with a weather make-up day of Sunday, Dec. 16 from 6-8 pm. Many volunteers are needed to make this happen! Please take a few minutes to check out the sign-up sheets in the narthex and sign up to help on 1 or both nights. We need costume characters (no speaking parts), indoor and outdoor greeters, carolers, clean-up crews and of course, cookie bakers.

CAROLING AT BG'S: As part of the Living Nativity Advertising Campaign we will be caroling at BG's on Saturday, December 8th from 10am-12noon. No Practice needed, we'll all be singing the ole favorites! The church bus will be leaving our parking lot at 9:45am or you can meet us at BG's. The bus will be parked at BG's for your comfort. Please check out the sign-up sheets in the Narthex. Any questions see Laurie Shuey.

Mission Service Trip Update: The Missions Commission is moving forward with a trip to Falfurrias, TX to work with Don and Lucinda Anderson the week of March 3, 2019. Cost will be \$325 plus flights, and scholarship money is available. Adults and students 9th grade or higher. Please take time to pray that God will stir the hearts of those He is calling to participate!

CHURCH DECORATING – November 28th, 6 p.m. Do you enjoy decorating? Join us as we fill Ono's halls with the sights, sounds and tastes of Christmas.

Expression of Thanks: *"Thank you to my church family for all the cards, calls and visits I received."* ~Ilene Schriver

The word *Cornucopia* comes from the Latin *cornu copiae* which means "horn of plenty." Since ancient times, it has been a symbol of the earth's bounty – particularly associated with the harvest season.



The symbol originated in ancient times but came to be associated with early America and "its seemingly endless supply of game and produce".

America has been greatly blessed with abundance throughout its history, but it gives us pause to remember the great want that the Pilgrims suffered during their first winter in America. Yet, they never ceased to recognize their utter dependence on God, and He was faithful to provide for them "all things in good plenty" the following harvest season of 1621 (William Bradford, Of Plymouth Plantation, 1620-1647).

May we recognize, as the Pilgrims did, that every good thing comes from God and "give thanks in all circumstances" (1 Thessalonians 5:18) to Him from whom all blessings flow.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Ono UMC 11/18/18