#### ANNOUNCEMENTS • JULY 27, 2025

#### July 27 - August 2

#### Sunday

Departure for those attending Montreat 9 a.m. - "Over the Coffee" meets downstairs 10 a.m. - Worship Service 11 a.m. - Lemonade on the Lawn

Tuesday

12:30 p.m. - Staff Meeting

Wednesday

Noon - Bulletin Deadline

#### LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SUNDAY

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost Communion Sunday 10 a.m. - Worship Service

#### MLK'S "LETTER FROM A BIRMINGHAM JAIL" The CVIC

[Cedar Valley Interfaith Council] with permission printed copies of Dr. King's letter for the Juneteenth Service of Repentance. His words addressed to white church leaders then ring true in our day and time as well. Copies are available in the church commons. Please take one for yourself and for a friend. We have made copies available to other houses of worship as well.

**OVER THE COFFEE** - Join us Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. This group, while showing its "grey," welcomes all ages for intergenerational discussions and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you!

THE SUNDAY SUPPER Free Community Meal is served at First Presbyterian Church in downtown Waterloo at 5 p.m. every Sunday. Cedar Heights is scheduled to provide 4-5 people each week [2-3 to open at 3:30; 2-3 to close at 4:30]. See the sign-up sheet in the Commons. Please sign up - we NEED YOU!

#### **FAIR TRADE COFFEE FOR CHCPC** is a mission

project of the Outreach Committee for many years. The Outreach budget pays for Fair Trade Coffee for small and large congregation gatherings. The Fair Trade designation means the coffee product helps to eliminate poverty and sustain development for farmers, workers, and their families in communities around the world by responsible business practices and conscious consumerism. If you are serving coffee for a group, please use the Fair Trade Coffee provided. Thank You.



The flowers by the pulpit are in honor of Judy Benson's 80th birthday and provided by her family.

#### ~ CHURCH STAFF ~

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# Hugh Brown

Accompanist

#### **Eileen Gavin**

Soprano Section Leader

#### **Al Saulsbury**

Alto Section Leader

#### Mason Sealock

Tenor Section Leader

# Tiffany Sherwood Guitarist

At Cedar Heights Community Presbyterian Church, we believe in the centrality and power of prayer. You may put a request on our prayer list by emailing the church office at office@cedarheightspres.org. If you would like your name removed from the list, please inform the church office.

**PRAYERS FOR** the people of the Middle East, Ukraine, Russia, Bihembe, Rwanda & Makantakita, Nicaragua; for those currently serving in the military; and for all facing surgery, difficulty, or times of great challenges.

**BE WATCHING FOR MORE INFORMATION** on two special services in August. On August 17, the United Church of Christ from Cedar Falls will be visiting CHCPC. On August 24, we'll be worshiping at Overman Park in downtown Cedar Falls with St. Luke's Episcopal Church. More details soon!

**WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE** for their prayers, cards and caring thoughts as Chuck has undergone treatment for skin cancer. We have reached the point of checkups every six months and his care team is confident that the cancer is gone. We give thanks to God for all of you. Chuck & Kathy Orr

**THANK YOU CEDAR HEIGHTS!** Your gift has already made an impact. All donations we receive benefit individuals and families using our services in your communities. Thanks to your generosity, we will continue to meet our vision of everyone has a home by living out our mission to end homelessness by leading with the Housing First approach, driving systemic change through strong community partnerships, and providing individualized support that prioritizes client choice. Thank you for your generous gift to Friends of the Family. With deep gratitude, Ben Brustkern, Executive Director and Danielle Vance, Director of Development

**RAISE THE ROOF!** Did you know that our roof over the Christian Education wing is over 30 years old? Our insurance company will no longer give us coverage for the roof because of its age. Therefore, we need to replace it in the next three to five years. A new roof will cost \$65,000.

- Do you know someone who deserves a thank you for what they have done for the church? Make a Tribute Contribution to the "Roof Fund".
- Have you lost a loved one? Make a Memorial Contribution to the "Roof Fund".
- Maybe you need an end of year tax deduction? Make an undesignated gift to the "Roof Fund".

Make your check out to CHCPC and put **Roof Fund in the memo**. The Tribute, Memorial and Endowment Committee has allocated \$10,000 to the roof replacement.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! First of all, the Sunday Supper Committee would like to express our thanks for all you do—the volunteers, the supply drives, the monetary contributions, and of course, the prayers. We are in need of one or two new cooks. If anyone in your congregation is interested, please let Lesley Johnson know. I am including her email at the end of this appeal. A cook will plan and execute the meal one Sunday a month. Lesley will do the shopping for you. Volunteers will help you prepare, serve, and clean up. If you like to create menus, assign people tasks, and then see so many happy and well-fed faces, this is the job for you. If interested, please contact Lesley at 2lesley.johnson@gmail.com. Thank you, Jean Seeland

#### Live It Out VBS

Monday, August 11 to Thursday, August 14  $\sim$  5:30 - 8 p.m. Big Woods Lake, South Side Shelter, Cedar Falls

During "Live It Out" VBS, kids focus on five key aspects of faith-love, live, share, forgiveness, and service-each rooted in a Bible story that encourages them to embody these values in their daily lives. This emphasizes practical application, guiding children to live out their faith through tangible actions that reflect Christ's teachings.



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JULY 27, 2025 - 10:00 AM Seventh Sunday after Pentecost



# "Joyful for ... Community in Christ's Body"

Romans 12:9-21 1 Corinthians 12:12-26

Dr. Dave Kivett



Welcome and Announcements

Dr. Dave Kivett

Gathering Music Hugh Brown

\*Call to Worship (Adapted from #515, "I Come with Joy")

One: We come with joy, children of God, forgiven, loved, and free;

the life of Jesus to recall, in love laid down for me. One: The Spirit of the risen Christ, unseen, but ever near, is in such friendship better known, alive among us here.

Together met, together bound by all that God has done,

we'll go with joy, to give the world the love that makes us one.

\*Opening Hymn - 450 "Be Thou My Vision"

Our Shortcomings (a guided moment of silence)

God's Forgiveness

\*Sharing God's Peace

Prayer for Illumination

Romans 12:9-21 **New Testament Lesson** 

1 Corinthians 12:12-26 New Testament Lesson

Message for Children (and children at heart) Ai Elgersma

Special Music "Zion's Walls" **Aaron Copland** 

Michelle Monroe-Kettler

"Joyful for ... Community in Christ's Body" Dr. Dave Kivett Sermon

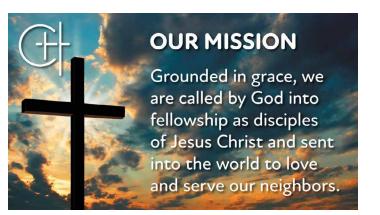
\*Hymn - 768 "We Are the Body of Christ"

\*Affirmation of Faith - (Responsive)

Adapted from the Westminster Shorter Catechism

One: What is the chief end of humanity?

Our chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy God forever!



Prayers of the People

With special prayers for those attending Montreat this week.

**Chaperones:** Johnny Janssen and Sue Holms

**Youth:** Anna Brodahl, Marie Darst, Marissa Garrett, and Maya McNally

#### 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offering Ourselves to God

Jordyn Beranek Offering in Song

\*Response - 582, v. 1 "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*Closing Hymn - 261 "Peoples, Clap Your Hands"

\*Blessing and Sending

\*Sending Music

\*Please Rise, in Body or in Spirit



**Greeters & Ushers** Harry & Lynette Banks

Camera & Soundboard Randy Darst

> **PowerPoint Darst Family**

Lemonade on the Lawn **Outreach Committee** 













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#### We are so glad you chose to worship with us!

If this is your first visit, we look forward to meeting you and getting to know you. Please be sure to sign in on this Bulletin Stub and leave your contact information so we can welcome you! [Please tear off this stub and place in offering plate.) We can also add you to our weekly eNEWS list so you know what is coming up in worship and in the life of the church.

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Regular Attendee (Non-member)
Here for Special Occasion Only
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I heard about CHCPC from:
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