



Juniata United Methodist Church

Knowing, Loving, and Serving Christ in our Community



Little children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth.

1 John 3:18

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of His Son
Jesus Christ, and love one another as he has commanded us.

1 John 3: 23

Announcements

This Sunday

Worship at 9am and 11am
with Holy Communion

Nursery open at both
services

Sunday School at 10am

Scripture Circle

Some of you are aware that
for the past two years
Pastor Michelle has been
studying with Anam

Cara (<https://anamcara.com>)
focusing on a different way
to engage scripture in
community. We

are going to have the
opportunity to try this
learning out together on
March 15th from 2-5pm.

This is a practice that
deeply feeds Pastor
Michelle's soul and she
hopes will feed yours as
well.

What is a Scripture Circle?

Scripture Circles are an
experience of studying the
Scriptures that invites all of
who we are as

we come together in
community.

Generally, weekly Scripture
Circles last an hour and a
half, whereas monthly
Circles are three
hours in length.

Space is usually limited to
12 people per study/ You
can sign up alone, with a
friend, or with a
group.

Candy Collection

We are collecting Easter
candy during Lent for a
Sunday School Easter Egg
hunt on Palm Sunday. Find
the collection bucket in the
gathering room.

Please sign up on the
Discipleship Table by
3/9/2025.

Wehnwood Lenten Luncheons

“Journey to the Cross: Encounters with Jesus”

**3/12: Encountering Jesus the Healer (Mark 2.1-12)
Pastor Susan Gingery (Lakemont/Broad Ave. UMCs)**

**3/19: Encountering Jesus the Teacher (Matthew 5.1-12)
Rev. Dr. Lillian Smith (Freedom Trail District
Superintendent)**

**3/26: Encountering Jesus the Forgiver (Luke 7.36-50)
Rev. Dr. Lenore Hosier (Christ Community/Llyswen
UMCs)**

**4/2: Encountering Jesus the Servant (John 13.1-17)
Pastor Trina Miller (Mardorf UMC)**

**4/9: Encountering Jesus in Agony (Matthew 26.36-46)
Rev. Dr. Randy Willis (Wehnwood UMC)**

**4/16: Encountering Jesus Betrayed (Luke 22:54-62)
Chaplain Ben Chon (VA Home)**

We know that sometimes there is so much going on in the building that you don't know where to start. Here are some suggestions:

Things to Do This Week while at Juniata UMC

- Drop off donations for Mustard Seed and the Altoona Food Bank
- Pick up March prayer calendar
- Bring in donations of paper products for the Hope Drop-In Center
- Bring in Donations of Easter Candy
- Bring in donations for God's Little Offering



Circle of Prayer Churches

McAlisterville UMC, McAlisterville

Sterling UMC, Sterling

Coalmont UMC, Saxton

Valley St Marks UMC, Milroy

New Era UMC, Wyalusing

*Linglestown Life UMC, Harrisburg

* *Gaston UMC, Yengema - Sierra Leone*

Charlestown UMC, Mercersburg

Trinity Roaring Spring UMC, Roaring Spring

Dallas UMC, Dallas

St Marys Bloserveville UMC, Newville

Upcoming Dates

Sunday, March 2nd - Confirmation Meeting @1:30pm
Tuesday, March 4th - Outreach Meeting @6:30pm
Wednesday, March 5th - Ash Wednesday Service at Wehnwood @3pm
Wednesday, March 5th - Ash Wednesday Service at Fairview @7pm
Wednesday, March 5th - Joyful Noise Celebration @7pm
Thursday, March 6th - Nursery Meeting @7pm
Saturday, March 8th - Funeral Service for Diane Helsel @1pm
Sunday, March 9th - Youth Group @3pm at Christ Community
Saturday, March 15th - Scripture Circle - 2-5pm
Sunday, March 16th - Joyful Noise @2pm
Tuesday, March 18th - Nurture @6pm
Wednesday, March 18th - Grief Group @7pm
Saturday, March 22nd - Soup Dinner - 4-6pm
Sunday, March 23rd - Youth Group @3pm at Christ Community
Tuesday, March 25th - Trustees @6pm
Saturday, March 29th - Messy Church - 2-4pm
Sunday, March 30th - 5th Sunday Worship @10am with Meal to Follow

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*Abba Father, I come to you today with
thanksgiving in my heart standing on your
promises that are written in your holy word. As
Jesus taught, "Ask and it will be given to you;
seek and you will find; knock and the door will be
opened to you." By the power of the Holy Spirit
please grant me wisdom for each day. As I strive
to do your will, open my eyes and my ears so that
I may see and hear others as you do. Open my
heart that I may love as you love so that you may*

*be glorified. In the precious name of Jesus my
lord and savior I pray! Amen and Amen.*

