# Welcome Visitors

We're happy you joined us today! Visitor Bags are available – please ask an usher or greeter. Join us for fellowship in Fellowship Hall directly after the service. Thank you for visiting. We look forward to seeing you again!

### **Helpful information:**

- Hearing assistance devices are available.
- Childcare is available in our nursery, room 109 at 9:30 AM.
- Bathrooms are located outside the Sanctuary and the Chapel.

### **Name Tags**

We ask all members and regular visitors to please wear nametags on Sunday mornings. Name tags are in a rack at the rear entrance to Church and in the Narthex. Leave them where it is most convenient for you. New name tags can be provided by David Henritzy or George Schildge. Thank you for your co-operation!



Visit us at www.umcredbank.org or at www.facebook.com/umcredbank or at www.instagram.com/umcrb



# In Our Prayers

All those affected by natural and human-made disasters, economic conditions, famine, civil war and genocide, those serving our country, shut-ins, all who are sick in body and spirit, those struggling with depression, eating disorders, and substance abuse. Pray for our president and our nation, our elected leaders, Terri Dinkel, Margaret Birkemier, Barbara Dawson, Peter Delaney, for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one, and for strength and healing for all in the world who need it and for compassion and understanding in our relationships.

**REMINDER** – If you know someone is in the hospital or needs a pastoral care visit, please call the office and let us know. Thank you for helping us care for all our members!

# Our Staff

Contact Us: (732) 747-0446 or

Rev. Jessica B. Naulty, Senior Pastor
Rev. Christina Zito, Minister of Visitation
Evan Courtney, Director of Music Ministries
Elaine Dawson, Director of CYYA Ministries
Sheila Leavitt, Financial & Church Secretary
Bob Shindel, Sexton
Tom Sutton, Sexton
Rev. David Henritzy, Retired Pastor Emeritus
Jibnaulty@umcredbank.org
czito@umcredbank.org
ecourtney@umcredbank.org
setawson@umcredbank.org
sleavitt@umcredbank.org
bshindel@umcredbank.org
suttonto@yahoo.com
dhenritzy@umcredbank.org

Cover Image: http://ourredeemernewark.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/the\_transfiguration\_of\_our\_lord\_by\_starcross-d5e8lcq-210x300.jpg

# Happening This Week

FEBRUARY 11-17, 2018

| Sunday, February 11   | Worship (Chapel)               | 8:15 AM  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|----------|
|                       | Nursery Care (109)             | 9:15 AM  |
|                       | Worship (Sanctuary)            | 9:30 AM  |
|                       | Sunday School                  | 9:30 AM  |
|                       | Adult Ed                       | 9:30 AM  |
|                       | The Village Worship (FH)       | 11:00 AM |
|                       | Village Dream Team (208)       | 12:00 PM |
|                       | UMW General Meeting (114)      | 12:00 PM |
|                       | Theater Rehearsal (FH)         | 5:00 PM  |
| Monday, February 12   | AA (114)                       | 10:30 AM |
|                       | McCaskill Support Group (114)  | 7:15 PM  |
|                       | Membership Committee (Lib)     | 7:30 PM  |
| Tuesday, February 13  | UMW Craft (LL)                 | 11:00 AM |
|                       | Balance/Strength Training (B1) | 12:00 PM |
|                       | AA (B2, B3)                    | 12:00 PM |
|                       | Meyers Counseling (UR)         | 5:00 PM  |
|                       | Al-Anon (114)                  | 6:30 PM  |
|                       | Village Rehearsal (FH)         | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | Bible Study @Mellon's          | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | Trustees (L)                   | 7:30 PM  |
| Wednesday, February 1 | <b>4</b> Yoga (B1)             | 9:30 AM  |
| Ash Wednesday         | UMW Ash Wednesday (C, 114)     | 12:00 PM |
|                       | AA Women (B2, B3, B4)          | 1:00 PM  |
|                       | UMY                            | 6:00 PM  |
|                       | Ash Wednesday Worship (S)      | 7:00 PM  |
| Thursday, February 15 | Bible Study (L)                | 11:00 AM |
|                       | AA Women (B2, B3)              | 12:00 PM |
|                       | Meyers Counseling (UR)         | 6:30 PM  |
|                       | AA Women (B4)                  | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | NA (114)                       | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | Finance/Trustees (PO)          | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | Theater Rehearsal (FH)         | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | Sanctuary Choir                | 7:00 PM  |
|                       | AA Mixed (B5)                  | 8:30 PM  |
| Friday, February 16   | Meyers Counseling (L)          | 9:00 AM  |
| Learning Tree closed  | AA (114)                       | 6:30 PM  |
| Saturday, February 17 | OA (114)                       | 9:30 AM  |
|                       | Prayer Shawl Group (L)         | 10:00 AM |
|                       | HUBOB Dessert Theater (FH)     | 7:00 PM  |

**REMINDER** - Please contact Sheila with your meeting and event dates. This includes all committees and fellowship groups. Items to be included in the announcements should be submitted by Tuesday. Please keep notices brief. Send to sleavitt@umcredbank.org.



247 Broad Street | Red Bank NJ 07701 (732) 747-0446 | www.umcredbank.org





The United Methodist Church of Red Bank is open for ALL to CONNECT with God and others, to GROW in our faith, and to SERVE in love.

# Welcome to worship!!!

February 11, 2018 8:15 AM Worship in the Chapel 9:30 AM Worship in the Sanctuary 11:00 AM Worship in the Fellowship Hall

Shining Brightly



# Traditional Worship at 8:15 & 9:30 AM

Our worship service begins with the prelude.

As we gather for worship please make sure your cell phones are silenced and refrain from using flash photography.

#### The Church Gathers

Prelude "Fairest Lord Jesus" Lani Smith

Welcome and Announcements

If you are visiting with us, please take a moment to fill in the "Welcome Visitor" cards located in the pew racks. Cards may be placed in the offering plates or returned to a greeter.

\*Call to Worship

Leader: In the midst of our darkness, Jesus brings holy light!

P: Pierce our darkness; scatter the shadows of doubt and fear! Bring us your light, O Lord.

L: We seek the light but have long lived in the darkness.

P: Help us be ready to receive your light, O Lord!

L: Come and see the radiance of Christ. Receive healing and hope.

P: Lord, our lives are ablaze with your love and healing power. Praise be to you, O Christ! AMEN.

#### **Centering Prayer**

The darkness of winter has been our companion, Lord. Now the days are lengthening. Bring your light to us, that we might see your glory and may work for you, offering hope and peace to this world. We ask this, in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

#### To Hear the Word

First Reading Psalm 50:1-6

Time with the Children (9:30) Elaine Dawson

Choral Anthem (9:30) "Come Ye Sinners" Ronald Turner

Sanctuary Choir

\*Gospel Reading Mark 9:2-9

L: This is the word of the Lord. P: Thanks be to God.

Sermon Shining Brightly Rev. Jessica Naulty

#### To Respond in Faith

Hymn #258 (9:30) "O Wondrous Sight! O Vision Fair"

**Pastoral Prayer** 

#### **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 trespasses, as we

forgive those who trespass against us. 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 our Gifts Scan this code to use our online giving tool

Offertory "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" arr. Jonathon Robbins

Charlotte Jansky, saxophone

### Doxology #95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Celebration of the Sacrament of Communion (8:15)

#### And Scatters to Be in the World

\*Closing Hymn #189 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

\*Benediction

\*Choral Benediction

Postlude "Prelude in C major" J.S. Bach

\* Please stand in praise to God if you are able.

Reader: Anne Walradt

# The Village Worship at 11:00 AM

Gathering & Opening Song "This Is Amazing Grace" Phil Wickham
Welcome and Announcements Evan Courtney
Please fill in the Attendance Cards and put them in the offering basket.
Song "All My Days" Mark Miller

Praver

Passing the Peace of Christ

Scripture Mark 9:2-9
Sermon Shining Brightly Rev. Jessica Naulty

**Table Conversations** 

Sharing What We've Learned

Song "How Great You Are" Joel and Pat Sczebel Offering baskets will be collected and brought forward.

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Closing Song "Build Your Kingdom Here" Rend Collective

Benediction

Worship Team: Evan Courtney, Nicola Blake, Eric Hackler, Andy Judkis, Michele Naples, Scott Paden, Tech Crew: Chelsea Foster, Eric Hackler and Howard Naulty

#### Connect

Prayer Shawl Group 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues @ 6:30 PM & 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sat @ 10 AM Craft Group Second and Fourth Tuesdays @ 11 AM-2 PM Stop by the Card Table this Sunday to get your valentines! At February Craft Group meetings, we will be creating Easter Cards.

**UMW General Meeting – TODAY February 11 @ 12 noon in 114**Come celebrate our 2017 Woman of the Year and join us for lunch.

# Ash Wednesday – 2 worship opportunities - Wed, February 14th

- UMW sponsored worship at 12 PM, followed by a light lunch.
- Evening worship at 7 PM to center our hearts as we enter Lent.

"Death Sails on the Oceania" - On Saturday, Feb 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM, Join us for this dessert theater experience! Lead the investigation or help piece together the puzzle with your tablemates. Stop by in Fellowship Hall to make your reservation for the journey of a lifetime!! Tickets: Adults \$15.00 and Children (under 12) \$10.00.

# Grow

### **Education and Growth Opportunities**

Children's Sunday school Sun @ 9:30 AM
Adult Education Wed @ 7 PM and Sun @ 9:30 AM
Bible Study Thurs @ 11 AM (Pastor Jess) or Tues @ 7:30 PM (Jim Mellon)
Youth Group Wednesdays @ 6 PM

### **Health and Fitness Groups**

Balance and Strength Training Tuesdays @ 12:00 PM
Prana Flow Yoga Wednesdays @ 9:30 AM

### Forum on Social Justice: RACE - Sunday, February 25 from 3-5 PM

Join the conversation, learn from our presenters and one another as we seek ways to build a more just world. This forum focuses on race relations and features Rev. Gil Caldwell, Sid Bernstein and Gilda Rogers of Thomas Fortune Cultural Center, and you!

### Serve

### **Fellowship Hour Hosts Needed**

Sunday Fellowship Hour is held 9-9:30 & 10:30-12 each Sunday in Fellowship Hall. Volunteers are needed for setup, providing food, or cleaning up. Remember no peanuts or tree nuts. Sign-up by the coffee machine. For details contact bkroguski@gmail.com.

#### Please mark your calendar for "best corned beef in town!"

The date of this year's annual Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner – fundraiser for our Scholarship Fund - will be easy to remember: St. Patrick's Day, Sat., March 17<sup>th</sup>!!! More information to follow.

#### Backpack Crew Gala – March 3<sup>rd</sup> from 6-10 PM

Support our Backpack Crew feeding ministry through this celebratory fundraising event. Purchase tickets online through www.backpackcrew.com.

<sup>\*</sup>Passing the Peace of Christ

<sup>\*</sup>Opening Hymn #77 "How Great Thou Art"