

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### MONDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 25, 2017

8:30 a.m. ~ Sunshine Ladies Brkfst . . . Denny's  
7:00 p.m. ~ Band Rehearsal . . . Hospitality Hall

### TUESDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 26, 2017

10:00 a.m. ~ Prayer Group . . . . . Chapel  
1:00 p.m. ~ College Seminar . . . . . Hospitality Hall  
3:00 p.m. ~ Council . . . . . Rose RM

### WEDNESDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 27, 2017

10:00 a.m. ~ Prayer Group . . . . . Chapel  
3:00 p.m. ~ Artwork Changeover . . . Hospitality Hall

### THURSDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 28, 2017

10:00 a.m. ~ Emmaus Road Group . . . . . Chapel

### FRIDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 29, 2017

9:00 a.m. ~ Arts/Crafts Fair . . . . . Hospitality Hall

### SATURDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

9:00 a.m. ~ Arts/Crafts Fair . . . . . Hospitality Hall

### SUNDAY ~ OCTOBER 1, 2017

Rev. Bonnie Lipton, preaching  
8:30 a.m. ~ Chapel Communion . . . . . Chapel  
10:00 a.m. ~ Morning Worship . . . . . Sanctuary

**PLEASE NOTE: THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS UNTIL OCTOBER 6.**

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### OCTOBER 1, 2017 LECTIIONS:

**EXODUS 17:1-7    PSALM 78:1-4, 12-16    PHILIPPIANS 2:1-13    MATTHEW 21:23-32**

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### CHURCH FANTASTIC FINDS SALE ~ October 5 and 6 ~ 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

October will soon be here and it will be time for our "FANTASTIC FINDS" sale. On October 2, 3, and 4, you may bring all of your donated items to the church between 9 a.m. and Noon. If you need help, please call Paula (633-6739). We need a lot of volunteers to help, so just show up anytime and we'll put you to work! It's a fun time and for a worthy cause—the church!

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### PICKERS AND PIZZA ~ Saturday ~ October 14 ~ 6:00 p.m. ~ Hospitality Hall

Don't miss one of the most popular events at UCC! The tickets are \$10/person and seating will be open; however, if eight seats are purchased at one time, you may reserve a full table. Tickets are available in Hospitality Hall during Fellowship Hour, and Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the church office. Dinner/Show ticket deadline is October 10. Show only tickets are \$5/person and can be purchased at the door.

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### FALL CALENDAR UPDATE FOR EVENTS AND MEETINGS

PLEASE . . . If you have a meeting scheduled for the month of October, call the office (634-3510) and just confirm the day, time and room availability. Things are getting busy and college is about to begin, so we need to make sure everyone is where they are expecting to be! Thanks very much.

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### HOSPITALITY PANTRY

We still need your help to replenish our supply of coffee hour snack foods.  
Thank you very much for your assistance.

## **WE PARTICIPATE IN THE GREENFIBER COMMUNITY RECYCLING PROGRAM**

The bin is located on the west side of the church. Don't forget, our church receives \$15 for each ton of **CLEAN RECYCLED PAPER (Paper products that have had NO contact with food.)**

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### **WORLD COMMUNION ~ OCTOBER 1, 2017**

On the first Sunday in October, we join many Christian churches across the globe in celebrating World Communion. This began as a World-Wide Communion celebration at the Shadyside Presbyterian Church in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania in 1933. The Rev. Hugh Thompson Kerr and his congregation sought to demonstrate the interconnectedness of Christian churches, regardless of denomination, appropriately choosing the sacrament of Holy Communion to symbolize this unity. In 1940, the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America adopted World-Wide Communion as a global celebration always occurring on the first Sunday in October. **Next Sunday**, we will join with millions of Christians around the world celebrating the sacrament of Holy Communion. As you receive the bread and cup, remember that you are part of the Church universal, catholic, holy, and apostolic in every way, united in Christ across time and space. (Adapted from <http://www.umc.org/what-we-believe/world-communion-sunday-a-celebration-of-unity-and-service>)

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### **MORE UPCOMING "FUN BRIGADE" EVENTS**

#### **POTLUCK AND A MOVIE ~ October 26 ~ 5:00 p.m. ~ Hospitality Hall**

Please bring your own plates, silverware, a dish to share, and your own adult beverage if different from the water, coffee and soda provided. The movie being shown is *The Shack*. This movie is about a grieving man who receives a mysterious, personal invitation to meet with God at a place called "The Shack," and stars Sam Worthington, Octavia Spencer, and Tim McGraw.

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#### **NEARLY NEW FASHION SHOW ~ November 9 ~ 1:00 p.m. ~ Hospitality Hall**

##### **Tickets are \$10/person and includes Hors d'Oeuvres**

Come see our people model the beautiful outfits they find at the Nearly New Shop. Each model will receive \$10 to spend there to purchase their fashion show attire. Come see them model the beautiful outfits they find. (The clothing will also be available for sale.) Questions? Call Paula Lickfeldt 633-6739.

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### **LITURGICAL BANNERS**

As you have all noticed, our sanctuary has been adorned by an array of beautiful liturgical banners, each hand stitched by our own **Raye Gregor**. These banners have enhanced our worship experiences in significant ways. Raye has made them as a labor of love, charging us literally pennies on the dollar to produce them. While we had some monies available to pay for the banners, we would like to extend an invitation and an opportunity to the congregation to help us replenish these various funds, allowing us to continue to secure new items to aid in our Sunday worship. If you would like to contribute, please mark your check with the word "banners." Thank you! We owe a debt of gratitude to Raye for all of her hard work. When you see her, please say a word of thanks.