

## Prayer Requests

Joys and concerns will be lifted up in prayer by individuals and/or teams this week. Where would you like for this request to go?

- Pastors Only     Prayer Group  
 Email Prayer Chain

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If you have a prayer request during the week you can email us at [prayer@communitymc.net](mailto:prayer@communitymc.net) or call the congregational care number at 573-445-6131, ext. 3.

If you would like to receive prayer requests to pray for throughout the week, sign up for the email prayer chain. Be sure to include your email address on the other side of this form.

- Add me to the Prayer Chain.



## Connect Youth

- Youth trip to Shryock's Corn Maze, Oct. 15, 4-6 p.m. The DEADLINE to sign up is Oct. 11. Cost: \$15. Register on the app or at [communitymc.net/upcoming-events](http://communitymc.net/upcoming-events).
- Our Connect Youth Ministry is partnering with our local chapter of Sleep in Heavenly Peace to build 10 beds for children in need. Their goal is to raise \$2,500 to support this community service project. This build is scheduled for Saturday, March 9, 2024. Please help them reach their goal! Donate by visiting our website at [communitymc.net/new-initiatives](http://communitymc.net/new-initiatives).

## Worship

October 8, 2023

“Living Out the Faith”—Pastor Curtis Olsen  
Luke 15:11-32 (VOICE)

### 8 a.m. Worship Service

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling #384 UMH  
Amazing Grace #378 UMH  
Because He Lives #364 UMH

### 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

Faithful (You Are)  
Jehovah  
Rest on Us  
Build My Life

### 11 a.m. Worship Service

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling #384 UMH  
My Tribute #99 UMH  
Amazing Grace #378 UMH  
Anthem—All the Earth Will Sing for Joy  
Because He Lives #364 UMH



The father replied, “My son, you are always with me, and all I have is yours. Isn’t it right to join in the celebration and be happy? This is your brother we’re talking about. He was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found again!”

**Luke 15:31-32 (VOICE)**



## Called to love; Led to serve

**In-Person Worship Services:** Sundays at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m.

**Online Worship Services:** Sundays at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

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Curtis Olsen and Angie Olsen, Pastors

# Welcome, Guests!

## We're glad you're here!

As Christ-followers, we have a mission to introduce people to Jesus Christ. Why? So that they might also follow Jesus. Why? So that they feel called to love and led to serve God and others. Why? So that together we can transform this world for the better.

## What are opportunities for fellowship?

Before the 8, 9:30, and 11 a.m. services, all are invited to the Welcome Center for coffee and other refreshments and a time of meeting new people.

## What ministries do you have for children and youth?

Children are absolutely welcome to worship with their families. Other opportunities include:

- Nursery—9 a.m.-noon
- Sunday School—9:15 a.m.
- Kid's Community Time—11 a.m.
- Connect Youth Group—Sundays from 6-7:30 p.m.

For more information on Children's Ministries contact Abigail Wimberley at [awimberley@communityumc.net](mailto:awimberley@communityumc.net). For Connect Youth Ministries, contact Nancy Cooper at [ncooper@communityumc.net](mailto:ncooper@communityumc.net).

## Do you offer study groups for adults?

Options on Sunday mornings and during the week are available to join. New groups form regularly, so we will find you the place to grow in faith. For more information, email Marc Lammy at [grow@communityumc.net](mailto:grow@communityumc.net).

Sign up for the What's Happening e-newsletter at [communityumc.net/newsletter-sign-up](http://communityumc.net/newsletter-sign-up).

Offering may be placed in the basket at the back of the Worship Center, or mailed to 3301 W. Broadway, Columbia, MO 65203. Or give online through our website at [communityumc.net/give](http://communityumc.net/give).

Download our app at [communityumc.net](http://communityumc.net).

# What's Happening?

**October 8 Prayer Walk:** The next Meditation and Interfaith Prayer Walk will be Sunday, Oct. 8, at 2 p.m. starting at the "Keys to the City" sculpture in front of city hall.

**Moms InterMission:** Join us on Oct. 11! We'll have fellowship beginning at 6 p.m. and our program will be held from 6:30-7:45 p.m. Our speaker this month is Dr. Sean Siebert, CEO of Invent Yourself and author of "Fighting the Good Fight: Finding Hope Where Hope Has Been Lost." His talk will focus on forgiving ourselves on the bad days so we can get back to fighting the good fight. Childcare is available. Sign up on the app.

**Trunk or Treat 2023:** Join us for Trunk or Treat on Oct. 29, 4-6 p.m. We will have lots of fun trunks, games, apple cider, popcorn and, of course, plenty of candy! Please help us out by volunteering to serve, or decorating and hosting a trunk, or donating candy. You can put wrapped candy in the bucket provided in the Welcome Center. To serve or to host a trunk, click on the Sign Me Up tab on our app or visit [communityumc.net/upcoming-events](http://communityumc.net/upcoming-events). Or, contact Abigail at [awimberley@communityumc.net](mailto:awimberley@communityumc.net).

**Ministry at West Boulevard Elementary:** Did you know that our school partner desperately needs volunteers to host room parties, and that the teachers are throwing them at their own expense? Join us Oct. 31, at 2 p.m. to bring joy to students, and support teachers by helping host the fall parties. For more information and to volunteer, email Jim at [hoganjim@hotmail.com](mailto:hoganjim@hotmail.com).

## Help with Annual Craft Show and Book Sale:

1. Donate gently-used books for the book sale (Room 501).
2. Make something delicious for the bake sale (see Kay Wallace).
3. Volunteer to set up on Friday, Nov. 3, from 3:30-6:30 p.m.
4. Make lunch on Saturday, Nov. 4.
5. Help with the sale on Saturday, Nov. 4.

Contact Linda at [LFillwock@gmail.com](mailto:LFillwock@gmail.com); 505-301-8108 after 5 p.m.

**Support Foster Children in Mid-Missouri:** Tags of Hope serves Mid-Missouri foster children by offering clothing and basic needs. Care-Portal is a nationwide network connecting local Children's Division caseworkers with ministries to help meet foster care needs. Tags of Hope supports this network by fulfilling requests on a case-by-case basis. Want to help? You can view the list of current needs by visiting our website at [communityumc.net/new-initiatives](http://communityumc.net/new-initiatives).

# Connection Form

- Welcome! Thank you for joining us for worship today!
- Stay up to date on what's happening by filling in the information below and dropping it in the basket at the back of the Worship Center.
- Children are always welcome in worship.
- A comfort room (on the west side of the Worship Center) and nursery are also available for your convenience.

**October 8, 2023**

## Which service are you attending?

8am  9:30am  11am

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Add me to the *What's Happening* email