



**Columbus Avenue
United Methodist Church
Worship Service: 9am
Sunday School: 10:30am
February 17, 2019**

PRELUDE

Carol Schnittker

Greeting and Announcements

Praise and Worship

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

L: God forbid that I should boast of anything

C: but the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ.

L: In him is salvation, life, and resurrection from the dead;

C: by him we are redeemed and set free.

L: May God be gracious to us and bless us, and make his face shine upon us.

ALL: Come let us worship God, the only one worthy of our praise!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS (Please place prayer requests in the wooden offering plates)

*DOXOLOGY

#621

OFFERTORY PRAYER: God of the least, the last, and the lost: We are reminded that you pour out your love on the ones who are poor, meek, heartbroken and despised. Yet at times we have clung tightly to money and possessions, seeking the comforts, status, and control more than transformation. As we bring our gifts to your altar this morning, may your love soak into us in a way that it loosens our grip of the things of this world that do not last, so we may cling instead to your love and redeeming grace, which endures eternally. In Christ's holy name, we pray. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH – THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE

Galatians 6

Bulletin Insert

SERMON:

"It's Not All About You!"

Pastor Erin

HYMN OF COMMITMENT Breathe on Me, Breath of God

#225

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE: Since Jesus Came into My Heart #514

*POSTLUDE

The asterisks () note that the congregation is invited to stand. The words in bold are spoken by the congregation in unison.*

CAUMC's Ongoing Ministries

The Church Offices will be closed on Wednesdays. If you need to contact the pastor after office hours, please call and leave a message on the church phone (419-625-7663) and she will return your call as soon as possible. Thank you.

Pastor's Office Hours: M, T, TH, F 9:00am-Noon

Church Office Hours: Monday & Friday 9:00am-Noon

Today: 9:00: Worship; 10:15: Fellowship; 10:30: Sunday School

Tuesday 10:00am: Bible Study with Shirley White;

5:00-7:30 pm: Foundations for Life Mentoring;

Thursday 8:00am: Bible Study at Crossroads; 10:00am: Prayer (in the 'War Room'); 7:00pm: Choir Practice

***** Guidelines for the Nursery: Only infants thru Kindergarten are admitted to the nursery*****

There will be children's church on the **2nd and 4th Sundays** for boys and girls in Kindergarten thru 5th grade.

The Week Ahead:

February 18th 7pm: Bible Study

February 23rd 6:00pm: CAUMC Dessert Social; Live entertainment, dessert and basket auction.

Mark Your Calendars

February 28th 1pm: Bible Study at Mr. Smith's Coffee Shop

Mission Opportunities

*****There is a continuing need for spot-cleaning areas of the church. Our hope is that persons will volunteer to attend to a specific task and we can all enjoy our church looking fresh and clean each Sunday. The sign-up sheet is on the table by the office door.*****

 Organists Carol Schnittker, Matt Rogers
 Pianist Flo Gast
 Choir Directors Michele Browne, Carly Rogers
 Acolytes Shelby Knight, Annaliese Rogers, Faith Hilton,
 David Porcher, Grace deLima, Isaac deLima, Kayli Gundlach
 Carol Welchons
 Greeter Donnie and Paul Ertle, Steve and Tina Hettmansperger
 Ushers Lori Holcomb
 Pre-K Sunday School (in the nursery) Barb Steinhauser, Blair Porter
 K-2 Sunday School (in the basement) Tina Hettmansperger, Emily Green
 3rd and Up Sunday School (upper room) Kayla Rogers and Carly Rogers
 Nursery
 Children's Church
 Communion Steward Sonny and Carol Welchons



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Electronic Giving is now available!
 Online: www.TITHE.LY to sign up for a free account
 Mobile App: [TITHE.LY](http://www.TITHE.LY) available in Google Play and the App Store
 Search for: Columbus Avenue United Methodist Church
 (The app is a free download—there is a fee per transaction. Direct Debit from checking account has the lowest cost.)

Wintertime Church Closing Policy: If the Erie County Sheriff declares a Level 2 or Level 3 road status by 6 a.m. Sunday, there will be no church service. If the road status level is a Level 1, there will be a church service; attend at your discretion.