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Monthly Newsletter of High Street UMC where **Everyone** is
Welcome



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Mercy Health

November is Lung Cancer Awareness Month

November is Lung Cancer Awareness Month. In Clark and Champaign Counties, late detected lung cancer is among our greatest health concerns. For the month of November, Mercy Health-Springfield will bring lung cancer awareness events, screenings and educational events to support our communities. In Springfield the open screening will be November 16, 12-4 pm at the Springfield Regional Imaging Center located at 1343 N Fountain Blvd, Springfield, OH 45504. Please call 937-328-8100 to schedule your screening in advance. Walk-ins meeting criteria below are welcomed during screening hours.

Patient MUST have a history of tobacco use and meet all the following criteria:

Smoke at least a pack a day for 30 years or 2 pack/day for 15 years or 3 pack/day 10 years etc.

Be a current smoker OR have a quit date of less than 15 years

No signs or symptoms of lung cancer

Between the age of 55-77 (Medicare) or 55-80 (Commercial Insurance)

No CT of the chest in the past 11 months

If you are 55 years and older you may benefit from an annual lung cancer screening CT.

What is a lung cancer screening? Using a CT scan, a radiologist can detect lung nodules that may be cancerous.

Why should I be screened? Research by the National Cancer Institute shows a clear benefit for lung cancer screening for individuals over 55 who were smokers, by detecting lung cancer sooner, which can significantly improve outcomes.

Who should be screened? If you are over 55. If you have a history of smoking over 30 years. If you currently smoke or quit within the last 15 years.

Ever 3.4 minutes, someone dies from lung cancer-the nation's #1 cancer killer of men and women.

Lung cancer screening saves lives! The screening which is a low-dose CT scan is key to early detection when more treatment options are available, and the chances of survival are higher. Approximately 8 million people are at risk for lung cancer if everyone at high risk were screened, over 25,000 lives would be saved. Mercy Health offers the area's only accredited lung cancer screening program. For more information visit SavedbytheScan.org or call 937-323-3009.

CYW / AGES 3-12

CHILDREN AND YOUTH WORSHIP

Our Children and Youth worship is an hour packed full of music, dance, word, praise and worship. This a great opportunity to teach and train our children and youth about worship, worshipful attitudes, and the purpose of worship using a variety of styles. Children and Youth are given the opportunity to learn new exciting ways to praise and worship GOD. God's Word is presented to the children and youth weekly in ways that they are able to comprehend. Our goal is to raise our next generation to be worshippers of God to teach them to experience the Glory of God through worship, and to leave a legacy of worshippers.

AGES 13-17 / TEEN MINISTRY

High Street strives to build a Teen Ministry who loves the Lord with all their soul, mind, and spirit. Our goal is to lead unsaved Teens to a relationship with Jesus Christ and strengthen saved Teens in their relationship with Jesus Christ. To bring unity among young people from different backgrounds. To provide Teens within High Street and the community with a safe place to learn and grow into who God has called them to be. Teens will have sessions on various issues about real life situations they face daily, bible scriptures media, relationships, habits, healthy choices, etc.....To build friendships that will last a lifetime.

All guidance will be given through the word of God. We want to let our teens know that we care, love, and support them. We also want them to live life to the fullest through Christ Jesus.

Meet The Teachers

9:30 am-Elementary / Kristie Massie, Asst. Arthur Poindexter and Linda Green

9:30 am-Pre-School / Edith Green, Asst. Karen Cooley

11:00 am-Lead Teacher / Ellen Stickney, Asst. Linda Green, Larry Lytle, Curt Heffner, and Bill Bonar

Teens / Aaron Clark, Marcia Lyons, Linda Green, Larry Lytle, and Bill Bonar



Sanctuary Series

Eric Barga on Bassoon

November 10, 2019 at 3:00 pm

Come join us at High Street United Methodist Church for our twelfth season. The Sanctuary Series is admission-free, although a freewill offering is taken at most events. There is a meet-the-artist reception following the performance.



This performance will feature some of some favorite works for bassoon. Represented are pieces from France and Germany spanning the early Romantic to the 20th century, and these selections highlight both the sonorous lyricism and technical agility of the often-overlooked solo bassoon.

Eric Tyler Barga is a native of Springfield, Ohio and an active freelancer in the Miami Valley area teaching bassoon privately to students at various grade levels in the public schools as well as performing with local ensembles. Barga began his musical education at the age of four studying piano and voice before dedicating his focus to bassoon at age 14. Growing up in the Springfield area, Barga was a member of the Ohio Lyric Theater's Springfield Children's Chorus and the Springfield Youth Symphony. Barga was also a participant in the OMEA Southwest Regional Orchestra, the Ohio Band Director's Conference Honor Band, and in the OMEA All-State Band. Barga was the first bassoonist chosen for the WDPR Young Talent Search competition & recital and was a member of the Springfield Symphony Project Protégé. Barga received his Bachelor of Music in Bassoon Performance from the New England Conservatory in Boston, MA and is currently a student at The Ohio State University School of Music in the Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Licensure program. During his time in Boston, Barga performed in various orchestral settings with notable conductors including Hugh Wolff, Charles Peltz, David Loebel, Bill Drury, Stefan Asbury, Jeffrey Kahane, and Michael Tilson Thomas. His primary bassoon teachers include Richard Ranti, Joseph Hesseman, Christopher Weait, Betsy Sturdevant, and Karen Pierson, as well as Chamber Music with Jean Rife and Solfège with Douglas Buys. Barga has also participated in Master Classes in both solo and chamber music settings with Richard Svoboda, Suzanne Nelsen, Gregg Henegar, Benjamin Kamins, Will Hudgins, and John Heiss.

Community Outreach News



Central Community Kitchen

The need for a nutritious home-cooked meal offered in a spirit of loving kindness is never-ending. We are meeting that need by giving generously of our time and energy.

Thanks to everyone who continues to cover shifts at the Central Community Kitchen. We can always use your help on Tuesday's with either shift. The kitchen schedule is as follows: Preparation, 3:00 - 5:00 pm; Serving, 5:00 - 7:00 pm. Have questions, contact Kelly Kaffenbarger at 937-838-9143.

Clark State Aspire Classes

GED

Clark State's Aspire Program helps you achieve your goals through **free** career exploration, education and training. Earn you high school equivalency (HSE/GED) and build your skills in preparation for college or career success.

Clark State is offering the **GED** classes at Central Community Center on Monday's and Wednesday's from 2-5 pm. All students must attend an orientation. To register and more information call 937-328-6129 or aspire@clarkstate.edu.

ESOL

Is English your second language? Do you need assistance strengthening your English? Do you know someone who needs help with their English skills? If the answer is **yes**, then join the **ESOL** classes provided by Clark State at the Central Community Center. The classes are **free** and are being offered on Tuesday's and Thursday's at 1:30 -4:30 pm. For more information and to register call 937-328-6129 or aspire@clarkstate.edu.

Open Hands Free Store

People that would like to visit and work at free store can stop by on Tuesday's to help and you can stay as long as you would like.

We are now accepting season appropriate clothing. Household items needed are pots and pans, kitchen utensils, dinner dishes, glass ware, bowls, silverware, sheets, pillowcases, blankets, bath towels, hand towels, washcloths, shoes, and boots. Please make sure things are in good condition, nothing chipped or cracked.

Open Hands Drop Off times are Tuesday 10:00 am - 1:00 pm, Thursday 2:30 pm-5:30 pm, and Saturday 9:00 am-Noon. Thank you!

Youth United

Youth United are now planning events for next year, High Street has about 5 youth that are within the age range to participate in the events. The first event will be Saturday, February 15th, 6pm at the Chiller Ice Rink. We will have the full rink for a two hour skate, to eat, fellowship and share the word of God.

The second dates will be Saturday April 25th and Sunday April 26th from 6-8 pm. That weekend will be our Youth United Revival. We are still planning the details for this event.

As we go forward it will be great to see some of the other leaders and members from High Street at the events to fellowship with the youth. I have learned over the years that our presence means a lot to our youth when we participate in events with them outside of Sunday morning.

Thank you,

Aaron Clark

Community News Covenant UMC

UMW Harvest Dinner

Covenant's UMW Harvest Dinner is Sunday, November 09, 2019. Serving Mrs. Frances Mabra Martin's famous Chicken Pie with green beans and mashed potatoes for \$12.00. This meal is a carry out meal. For a ticket call Ruth at (937) 324-3201.

Free

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

Covenant United Methodist Church will be having their annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner on Monday, November 18, 2019 from 5-7 pm. Covenant is located at 529 W Jonny Lytle Avenue Springfield, OH. If you have questions call (937) 324-3501.

Free

Breakfast With Santa

Covenant United Methodist Church is having a fundraiser, Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 14, 2019. Located at 529 W Jonny Lytle Avenue Springfield, OH. Breakfast starts at 10:00 am, Santa will be arriving at 10:15 am. There will be games, Christmas candy and fun!

Pictures with Santa will be \$5.00. Please no cell phone pictures allowed.

News & Notes

Family Life

Family Life will now meet on the second Thursday of the month at 6:00 pm. This will allow Pastor Heather to be available to attend.

PNO was Friday, November 01 we had over 80 kids at the event. We showed movies to the different age groups (3-15), served walking tacos, hotdogs and pizza. Thank you to all the High Street and Springfield Promise volunteers.

UMW

Plans are also under way to join with Covenant UMW for their New Year's Prayer Breakfast, Saturday, December 28th, at Covenant.

It's Not Your Mother's Cookie Walk!

This year United Methodist Women's cookie walk will be in the fellowship hall Sunday, December 15th, 10:00 am-12:00 noon for our High Street church family and friends.

Those wanting to donate Christmas cookies may sign up in the hallway beginning Sunday, November 17th. Your donations can be delivered to the church the week of December 9 and Saturday morning, December 14 from 9:30-12:00 noon.

The \$10 box size will be available for you to fill the day of the walk, and we will have a selection of bar cookies from which to select to top off your box. Proceeds from the walk will be given to outreach and mission programs of the High Street & Miami Valley United Methodist Women.

The Ladies Brunch Bunch

This fun group will meet for brunch and fellowship on Saturday, November 16 at 10:00 am at Collier's Restaurant. There is a standing open invitation to any lady who wants to join in the fellowship. Just show up and enjoy a morning of conversation and laughs!

Small Groups

Anyone interested in participating in new teams / small groups, please look inside your bulletins and in the Commons Hallway for sign up sheets.

We may continue to have the "Fun for Six" or might decide to create some entirely new groups. It is all up to you, tell us what you would like to do! Let us pair you with others who like the same things. Let's get to know each other, Let's have FUN!

Fill out your card, drop it in the basket located on the table in the Commons Hallway and we will do the rest. Someone will contact you before the end of the year. Our goal is for the groups to start by January 2020.

Anyone wanting to help, contact the office at (937) 322-2527. Thank you!

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee is looking for volunteers to count funds on Sunday morning. Volunteers usually count at most once a month, and they have the choice of counting during the second service, or after the second service. Beginners will work with an experienced counter. If you're interested, contact Al Stickney at astickney@wittenberg.edu.

Communications Updates!

Our new website is coming along! We hope to have it ready for launch in the next couple of weeks. Get ready for the new www.highstreetunited.org!

We Have New Email!

Please make note of the new email printed on the front of Sunday's bulletins. All staff members have new emails and will be updating you as soon as possible. The new office email is now office@highstreetunited.org. **Pastor Atwater** will now be using her High Street email, pastorcatwater@highstreetunited.org and **Pastor Husted** will be using her High Street email, pastorhusted@highstreetunited.org. Our new website is moving along and it should not be to much longer before we are able to do a soft launch. If you have questions, contact Susan Roosen at sroosen@highstreetunited.org. Thank you for your support!

Photographs

Calling all church goers, we need pictures!

Anytime you are in the church, at a function, in fellowship, bible study, or just stopping by and have your phone on you take a minute and snap a picture. The new website needs pictures of our children, Pastor Cynthia, our church family, and lots of smiles!! You can email any pictures you take to sroosen@highstreetunited.org or office@highstreetunited.org. Thank you for your help!

Congregation News & Notes

Happy Anniversary

- 11/03 Michael & Pam Morris
- 11/05 Tim & Debbie Voss
- 11/08 Harley & Lori Schenck
- 11/15 Buck & Cindy Weaver

Worship Attendance

		<u>9:30</u>	<u>11:00</u>
October	01, 2019	65	34
October	08, 2019	65	35
October	15, 2019	63	34
October	22, 2019	61	35

Financial Snapshot

YTD INCOME	\$227,302.00
YTD EXPENSES	\$241,057.00

Our Home Worship Families

Art Derr	Sharon & Paul Bates
Peggy Shelton	Andy & Barb Kopajetich
Beverly Bush	Dick & Darlene Umbaugh
Lin Shuey	Marion & Shelba Mossbarger
Peggy Hockman	Roy & Becky Mulkey
Norma Jean Bossert	Marga Smith
Bill & Harriet Carter	Doug Parsons
Rosell Townsend	Lynda Cabbage
John Payton	

Charge Conference

Charge Conference has been postponed due to district training. We have rescheduled the Charge Conference to Sunday, November 17th at 5:00 pm. Thank you for your patience!



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| 11/01 Catherine Bonerigo | 11/12 Glenn Kaffenbarger |
| 11/02 Sharon Flannery | |
| 11/04 Ethan Roark | 11/17 Sarah Lemon |
| 11/04 John Brennan | 11/18 Rae Siders |
| 11/05 Mitchell Morris | 11/19 Dave Shuey |
| 11/09 Larry Todd | 11/21 Cathy Tuckerman |
| 11/10 Linda Johnson | 11/21 Kayla Hartwell |
| 11/11 Nya Ball | 11/21 Curt Hefner |
| 11/11 Ellen Stickney | 11/23 Gretchen Hefner |
| 11/12 John Micheal | 11/24 Edith Green |
| 11/12 Claudette Michael | 11/25 Lin Shuey |
| | 11/26 Sheri Furry |
| | 11/29 Roger Baker |

Age 80 & Older



Calendar of Events ~ November 2019

DH: Dining Hall Commons: C Sanctuary: S Wesley Room: WR Entire Church: EC Carr Room: CR

PNA: Blue Youth Rm R: Private Residence YFR: Youth Fellowship Rooms Choir Room: CHR Education Wing: EW

Friday, November 01

6:00 pm-PNO (Parents Night Out) EC

Sunday, November 03 / Daylight Savings / Fall Back

8:00 am Chancel Choir Practice CHR
 9:30 am Adult Bible Study C
 9:30 am Traditional Worship Service S
 9:30 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 10:30 am Fellowship C
 11:00 am Praise Worship Service S
 11:00 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C

Monday, November 04 / Pastor Atwater Day Off

11:00 am-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 11:45 am-Worship Meeting C
 1:00 pm-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 5:30 pm Bell Choir CHR
 6:30 pm SPRC CR

Tuesday, November 05

1:30 am TAL (Tuesday Afternoon Learners) C

Wednesday, November 06

6:00 pm Bible Study – Book of Joshua C

Thursday, November 07

10:00 am-Knitting Group C
 11:30 am Bible Study – Book of Joshua C
 5:00 pm Praise Team & Band Practice CHR

Sunday, November 10

8:00 am Chancel Choir Practice CHR
 9:30 am Adult Bible Study C
 9:30 am Traditional Worship Service S
 9:30 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 10:30 am Fellowship C
 11:00 am Praise Worship Service S
 11:00 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 3:00 pm Sanctuary Series / Eric Barga S
 5:30 pm Emmaus Board Meeting C
 7:00 pm Emmaus Gathering EC

Monday, November 11 / Pastor Atwater Day Off

11:00 am-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 1:00 pm-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 5:30 pm Bell Choir CHR

Tuesday, November 12

1:30 am TAL (Tuesday Afternoon Learners) C
 7:00 pm Finance Committee CR

Wednesday, November 13

9:30 am MOPS EC
 6:00 pm Bible Study – Book of Joshua C

Thursday, November 14

11:30 am Bible Study – Book of Joshua C
 5:00 pm Praise Team & Band Practice CHR
 5:15 pm Missions Meeting C

Saturday, November 16

8:30 am High Street Works @ OHFS OHFS
 10:00 am Ladies Brunch Bunch Collier's
 9:00 am Family Ties District

Sunday, November 17

8:00 am Chancel Choir Practice CHR
 9:30 am Adult Bible Study C
 9:30 am Traditional Worship Service S
 9:30 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 10:30 am Fellowship C
 11:00 am Praise Worship Service S
 11:00 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 3:00 pm Choir Invitational S
 5:00 pm Charge Conference C

Monday, November 18 / Pastor Atwater Day Off

11:00 am-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 1:00 pm-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 5:30 pm Bell Choir CHR
 7:00 pm Leadership Meeting C

Tuesday, November 19

9:30 am High Street Works @ OHFS OHFS
 1:30 am TAL (Tuesday Afternoon Learners) C
 7:00 pm Sarah's Circle PR

Wednesday, November 20

6:00 pm Bible Study – Book of Joshua C

****High Notes Deadline / Please have articles into the office / Thankyou! ****

Thursday, November 21

10:00 am-Knitting Group C
 11:30 am Bible Study – Book of Joshua C
 1:00 pm Martha's Circle C
 5:00 pm Praise Team & Band Practice CHR
 7:00 pm Worship Team Meeting C

Sunday, November 24

8:00 am Choir Practice C
 9:30 am Adult Bible Study C
 9:30 am Traditional Worship Service S
 9:30 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 10:30 am Fellowship C
 11:00 am Praise Worship Service S
 11:00 am CYW & Teen Worship Service C
 5:00 pm Taize Service S

Monday, November 25 / Pastor Atwater Day Off

11:00 am-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 1:00 pm-Tunes for Tiny Tots YR
 5:30 pm Bell Choir CHR

Tuesday, November 26

9:30 am High Street Works @ OHFS OHFS
 1:30 pm TAL C
 7:00 pm Interfaith Thanksgiving Service Temple Shalom

Wednesday, November 27

9:30 am MOPS EC

Please check the online calendar for additions or changes.

2019 Ministry Leaders

High Street Ministry Team Leaders :

Pastor	Cynthia Atwater	Financial Secretary	Marcia Lyons
Worship	Kent Brooks	Church Treasurer	Roger Baker
Leadership Council Chair	Ellen Stickney	Finance Chair	Al Stickney
Lay Leader	Ryan Roosen	UMW President	Cathy Tuckerman
Trustee Chair	Bill Brougher	Lay Member of AC	Bob Chapman
SPR Chair	Gary Slack	Missions	Becky Bonerigo
Communications	Susan Roosen	Fellowship / Hospitality	Marcia Lyons
MOPS	Susan Roosen	Congregational Care	Sharon Crews
Discipleship	Larry Taylor	Membership	Larry Taylor
		Family Life	Kristie Massie

High Street Staff:

Senior Pastor	Cynthia Atwater	Financial Secretary	Marcia Lyons
Associate Pastor	Heather Husted	Family Life Ministries	Aaron Clark
Office Manager	Lisa Fultz	Communications Coordinator	Susan Roosen
Custodian	Larry Lytle	Nursery Caregiver	Laura Hoffman
Music Dir. Traditional and Contemporary Worship	Kent Brooks	Nursery Caregiver	Kandice Clark
Sound Technician	Paden Frank	Nursery Caregiver	Anthony Byrd
		Assistant Choir Director	Kathleen Wilkins

To our High Street Family:

We'd like to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for all the love, support, prayers, food, visits, cards, and more for our family over the past few weeks. It's been a very difficult time, but with your support and the peace and comfort of God, we are making it through. We are so very grateful for our church family and the love you have for us and for baby Hannah. She was loved by all of you before she was born, and for that we are thankful. Please know we appreciate you all more than you know!

With love,

Ryan, Susan, & Julian Roosen

