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CONNECTION POINT

Whether you are a first time visitor or a long-time worshiper, we welcome you to participate in the life of CUPC —its activities, studies, missions, fellowship and worship. Please take a moment to write in the Friendship Pad to let us know how we can be of assistance. If you have a pastoral or spiritual concern, please let our pastor know.

ADULT CLASSES

Sunday Mornings 9:45-10:45 AM in the Christian Education Building

Faith & Fellowship Bible Study: Join us in Room 101 as we study God's Word and share in a time of prayer and discussion.

Wisdom and Traditions: As we look at wisdom and traditions from the Bible, we'll be studying in the Books of Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon, and the Gospel of Matthew. Class is suitable for any level student. Led by Gary Yarbrough in Room G-02.

NEW Christian Family Roundtable: This class reviews challenges of raising children or grandchildren of all ages and how to approach them from a Christian perspective. Each week we rotate through a hot topic. Come join one of our upcoming discussions! Today—Bullying; Feb. 26—Respect. Class is co-led by class members in Room G-05.

NEW So What's The Difference: Buddhists, Muslims and Christians all say they have the truth. Jehovah Witnesses, Mormons and yes, even Presbyterians all say they are Christians. So what's the difference? Come find out in Room 103. Study led by Larry Miller.

NEW Just Walk Across The Room: We rarely know the impact our lives have on others. You could be just a few steps away to making a difference in someone's life. All that is needed is a heart in tune with the Holy Spirit and a willingness to venture out of your "Circle of Comfort" and into another person's life. Study led by Rev. Tom Hamilton in G-03.

Stop by the flower chart (located in the bridge between the Sanctuary and Christian Education Building) and sign up for an available day on the calendar to honor or remember your loved one.

Flowers cost \$15/vase and can be taken home with you after 11 AM service or donated to be given to a special friend or shut in.

IRRESISTIBLE

Invitation

Service Commitment Meeting

Monday, March 5 at 6:30 PM
Fellowship Hall

You are invited to join us as we explore ways for you to become a partner in the Gospel - connecting more with others, acting as God's hands and feet on earth, and serving enthusiastically.

This meeting is a follow-up to the Service Commitment form that was a part of the Stewardship Campaign. Those who returned the form and new church members are invited to join us as we discuss service opportunities.

Lenten "Potluck" Dinner Sunday, March 11th @ 5:00 PM

Fellowship, Outreach and Renewal Committee will host & provide the main course plus rolls & beverages. Please bring a **very generous** portion to share. For variety, may we suggest:

- A-G Salad, Appetizer, etc.
- H-P Desserts (your favorite)
- Q-Z Side Dish (Potatoes, Pasta, Veggie)

Please sign the friendship pad "POTLUCK" with the number of folks attending or contact the church office with this information.

Following dinner, popular Christian artists, Joy Ike will inspire us with a concert and open mic experience in the Sanctuary. All interested singers and musicians are welcome to share their gift!



Small Group Opportunities Start This Week

Ever wonder what its like to be in a small group? Small groups create a place for people to share life together. Friendships are formed, the Gospel is shared, and people genuinely care about you and care for you.

We encourage you to sign up for a small group! Here are some opportunities:

- Tuesdays @ 7:00 PM starting Feb. 21st. Led by Colleen Yarbrough.
- Tuesdays @ 7:00 PM starting Feb. 21st. Led by Jan Taylor.
- Thursdays @ 7:00 PM starting Feb. 23rd. Led by Dick Hultman.

Sign up sheets are located in Fellowship Hall. If you have questions, please contact the church office at 724-745-0800.



Lenten Season Begins February 22nd with Ash Wednesday Service

Lent is a time for Christians to reflect on Jesus' life- His ministry, suffering, sacrifice and death. Lent helps prepare our hearts for Easter Sunday, when Jesus was resurrected from the dead. During this season, there are many opportunities to worship; to engage in the Word; and to fellowship with others as we celebrate God's great love and sacrifice.

Ash Wednesday Communion Service
February 22nd @ 7:30 PM

Lenten Potluck Dinner: March 11th @ 5:00 PM
(see announcement to left)

Maunder Thursday Communion Service
April 5th @ 7:30 PM

Palm Sunday Services: April 1st
Services @ 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Easter Sunday Services: April 8th
Services @ 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Lenten Devotionals are available in the main lobby. Please take one for your family.



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Upcoming Events

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| Sun., Feb. 19th- | <i>Workcamper Meeting 6:30—8:00 PM</i> |
| Mon., Feb. 20th- | <i>Committee Meetings (As Scheduled)</i> |
| Wed., Feb. 22nd- | <i>Ash Wednesday Communion Service 7:30 PM</i> |
| Sat., Feb. 25th- | <i>Elder/Deacon Visioning Meeting 9AM-Noon</i> |
| Sun., Feb. 26th- | <i>Blankets+ Mission FINKS Theme Night 5:00—7:30 PM</i> |
| Mon., Feb. 27th- | <i>Session 6:30 PM</i> |
| Sun., March 4th- | <i>New Members Class Begins-Room 100 FINKS Theme Night 5:00—7:30 PM</i> |
| Mon., March 5th- | <i>Trustees 6:30 PM Deacons 7:00 PM</i> |
| Tues., March 6th- | <i>Arts & Crafts 9:30 AM</i> |
| Sun., March 11th- | <i>Spring Forward! Daylight Savings Begins New Members Class—Room 100 Lenten Potluck Dinner 5:00 PM Joy Ike Concert & Open Mic (Follows Dinner)</i> |

Weekly Events

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| Worship Service | Sunday | 8:30 & 11:00 AM |
| Cherub Choir | Sunday | 9:00 AM |
| Sunday School | Sunday | 9:45 AM |
| Monday Crew | Monday | 9:00 AM |
| Bowser— Small Group | Tuesday | 7:00 PM |
| Taylor—Small Group | Tuesday | 7:00 PM |
| Yarbrough—Small Group | Tuesday | 7:00 PM |
| Men's Breakfast | Wednesday | 6:30 AM |
| Pastor Bible Study | Wednesday | 1:30 PM |
| 3rd-6th Grade Youth Group | Wednesday | 5:00 PM |
| GriefShare Support Group | Wednesday | 6:30 PM |
| Bell Choir | Wednesday | 6:30 PM |
| Chancel Choir | Wednesday | 7:30 PM |
| Lucas—Small Group | Thursday | 7:00 PM |
| Hultman—Small Group | Thursday | 7:00 PM |
| Kearns—Small Group | Friday | 7:00 PM |

IN NEED OF CHILD CARE THIS MORNING?

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| 8:30 AM | Infants—5 yrs. | 2nd Floor Nursery (Room 203) |
| 9:30 AM | Infants—2 yrs | 2nd Floor Nursery (Room 203) |
| 11:00 AM | Infants—2 yrs. | 2nd Floor Nursery (Room 203) |
| 11:00 AM | Children 2—5 yrs | Main Floor Nursery (Room 102) |

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Rev. Tom Hamilton • February 19, 2012

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MISSION STATEMENT OF CANONSBURG U. P. CHURCH

*TO SPREAD THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS CHRIST TO OUR
MEMBERS, OUR COMMUNITY, AND THE WORLD OVER WITH CARE,
COMPASSION AND CHRISTIAN LOVE TO ALL WE MEET.*

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vibrate during worship service***

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