

WELCOME TO CEDAR GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

FEBRUARY 12, 2023

PRAISE TEAM “AMAZING GRACE, MY CHAINS ARE GONE” **ON SCREEN**
PRAISE TEAM “FREELY, FREELY” **UMH 389**

WELCOME We welcome everyone to the House of the Lord! Welcome to all of you who are with us in person, watching on Facebook, or listening on the radio. May you all be richly blessed with God’s presence as you worship with us. If you are watching live on Facebook, please sign in or add a comment to our page.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: BABY BOTTLES FOR WOMEN’S CARE CENTER
DUE BACK 2/19/23

CALL TO WORSHIP (Adapted from Psalm 119) **TANYA POWELL**

LEADER: Blessed are those whose ways are blameless, who walk according to the law of the LORD. Blessed are those who keep his statutes and seek him with all their heart-

PEOPLE: they do no wrong but follow his ways.

L: You have laid down precepts that are to be fully obeyed. Oh, that my ways were steadfast in obeying your decrees! Then I would not be put to shame when I consider all your commands. I will praise you with an upright heart as I learn your righteous laws.

P: I will obey your decrees; do not utterly forsake me.

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGIST Even now, beneath the ground, you give life to the seeds of the earth and to the towering forest trees; you raise to abundant life that which seems dead. Teach us to choose blessings and life rather than death, so that we may walk blamelessly, seeking you through the life you gave us through Jesus Christ. Amen.

HYMN “SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD” **UMH 393**

INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT **LITURGIST**

Holy Father, this is Your Word for my life at this time and in this place.
Today I am a new creation in Christ, and I believe that He has a purpose for

my life. Open my heart to the working of Your Word and Your Holy Spirit, that I may be transformed into Your new creation. Amen

OLD TEST. READING DEUTERONOMY 30:15-20 **SUSAN LEMON**

JOYS, TESTIMONIES, BIRTHDAYS: FEBRUARY: 15TH WENDI MCCARTNEY; 18TH TAMMY CLINE & NIC MUNDAY
NO KNOWN ANNIVERSARIES THIS MONTH

THE LORD’S PRAYER **NIC & OWEN WALKER**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE **DONNA ELLIOTT**

PRAYER REQUESTS/PRAYER **LITURGIST**

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1CORINTHIANS 3:1-9 **LITURGIST**

HYMN “TAKE TIME TO BE HOLY” **UMH 395**

THE APOSTLE’S CREED **UMH 882**

GOSPEL READING **MATTHEW 5:13-20** **PASTOR BOLEY**

SERMON “THE LAW” **PASTOR BOLEY**

HYMN “GRACE THAT IS GREATER THAN ALL OUR...” **UMH 365**

BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL **PASTOR BOLEY**

UPCOMING FEBRUARY EVENTS

12TH CHOIR PRACTICE AT 5:30PM

12TH CEDAR GROVE ASSISTED LIVING SERVICE AT 2:30PM

13TH HOPE & HELP GROUP MEETS AT 7PM

14TH VALENTINE’S DAY

15TH BIBLE STUDY DISCUSSION GROUP AT 7PM

22ND ASH WEDNESDAY – LENTEN SEASON BEGINS

OFFERINGS AND ATTENDANCE

NEEDED MONTHLY to meet 2022 budget		\$11,114.00
NEEDED WEEKLY		\$2,565.00
TOTAL MONTHLY GIVING	FEBRUARY	\$1,663.00
WEEKLY GIVING	FEBRUARY 5	\$1,663.00
ATTENDANCE	FEBRUARY 5	46
JESUS DOLLARS		\$76.00

HOMEBOUND/ HOSPITAL/NURSING HOME MEMBERS

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