



*With the grace of God,  
we will cultivate a compassionate  
community that loves like Jesus,  
grows in faith and serves those  
in need.*

**WE GATHER TO PRAISE GOD**

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/INVOCATION**

**\* CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Leader: God who is one, you call us to be one,

**All: May we be one with all who are made in your image.**

Leader: God who is three, you call us to be community,

**All: May we find community with all who are called by your name.**

Leader: God who calls us all by your name,

**All: May find our place in your eternal family. Amen.**

**\* WE SING A HYMN:**

*"I Surrender All"  
Traditional Hymn*

**\* PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Greetings

**WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD**

**CHILDREN'S CHAT**

**PRAYERS OF ILLUMINATION**

**SERMON SCRIPTURE:**

**Colossians 3:12-17**

**PSALM 133**

**SERMON TITLE:**

**"THE SEVEN PRINCIPLES OF AN  
ALTERNATIVE ORTHODOXY"**

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

**RESPONDING IN SONG:**

*"One Day"  
By Matisyahu*

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**RESPONDING WITH OUR GIFTS**

**MUSICAL OFFERING:**

*"Ain't No Man"  
By The Avett Brothers*

**\* THE DOXOLOGY**

**WE DEPART TO DO GOD'S WORK**

**\* BENEDICTION**

**\* CLOSING HYMN**

*"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"  
Red #560, verses 1 & 3*

**\* POSTLUDE**

**Those in Need of Prayer**

**CCUCC MEMBERS:** Cathie Shaw, Marilyn Parker, Adam Szudarek, Judy Hutchinson, Shirley Gilreath, Holly McCain, Karen Boas, Sally Hartley, Mary Miller, Terry Bruce, Jane Stilgenbauer and John Bassett

**Friends of CCUCC:** Kat, Levi, Glenda, Tracey, Paul, Sara, Sharon L., Ron P., Sharon, Tanna, Ken P., Don, Bob F., Dee, Jami, Carol, Jill and Larry, Josh, Cathy, Bruce, Bob, Gerry, Aaron, Naomi, Michael, Dave, Linda, Ron, Mike, Matt M, Tom, and Doug

*Upcoming Events*

**Today:**

1<sup>st</sup> Confirmation class 11:15am-12pm  
Lorain Community Meal @ 12:30pm

**Wednesday:**

Choir practice @ 6pm

**Friday:**

Teen Mingle and Movie @ 5:30pm



## Love Like Jesus

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Please email all prayer requests to the office at [office@theccucc.org](mailto:office@theccucc.org) before **Thursday at 10am**. If a prayer request is needed between Friday afternoon and Sunday morning, please directly contact Pastor Brian at 336-420-7840

**UPPER ROOM:** We have copies of the **JAN/FEB** Upper Room available in the back of the sanctuary. Please contact the office via email at [office@theccucc.org](mailto:office@theccucc.org) if you would like a copy mailed to you.

**SOUPER BOWL OF CARING:** We will be participating in Our 7<sup>th</sup> year of *Souper Bowl of Caring*. Donations will go to Front Door Ministries to help those in need in Lorain County. We will be collecting non-perishable unexpired food items until **Sunday Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>**. We will have a drop off event on **Sunday, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>** from 11:30am-12:30pm in the church parking lot.



## Grow in Faith

**CONFIRMATION CLASS:** The Confirmation class will begin **Sunday, Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>** from 11:15-12pm

**TEEN MINGLE AND MOVIE NIGHT:** (students 7th-12th): **Friday, January 31, 5:30PM**. Meet at Brew Kettle for Appetizers, 7:00PM Movie (Wicked) at Amherst Cinema (adult picks up when movie's over). \*Movies (admission only) & appetizers covered\*. Please RSVP to Melissa

**SUNDAY SCHOOL FAMILY EVENT:** Ice Skating at North Park Ice 901 Duffey Street, Elyria, OH 44035 **Sunday, February 8th 1:00 – 3:00 PM. Cost: FREE**  
*\*Concession stand available\**

**HIGH SCHOOL/CONFIRMAND SS:** The next class will be **Sunday, Feb. 9th** during worship

**TEEN GROUP:** The next Teen group will be **Thursday, Feb. 27th** from 6:00-8pm.

## Worship Participants & Staff

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Office Hours: Tuesday thru Friday 8:30am to 12:30pm

Emily Marty ..... Music Director  
Crosby Marty ..... Drums  
Jim Bryda ..... Bass  
Brian Russell ..... Guitar  
Dave Naro ..... Percussion  
Elizabeth & Brian Russell ..... Vocalists  
Max Lotko ..... Bell Choir Director  
Shelly Hoffman ..... Office Manager  
Melissa Thompson ..... Youth Director  
Melissa Thompson ..... Children's Chat  
John Herrmann ..... AV Production Manager

Please silence your cell phones.

If able, stand where marked with an asterisk (\*).  
A large print Bible & hymnal are available upon request.



## Serve Those in Need

### MISSION OF THE MONTH: Blessing House

Blessing House provides residential care for children of families in crisis. In addition, they provide support and guidance for children and their parents or caregivers, as well as assisting parents and families with community resources such as housing, legal assistance and job searching.

**LADIES OF CCUCC 5th ANNUAL TEA:** A Snowflake Tea will be held on **Saturday, February 1st @ 2pm**. Please see Becky, Kathy or Sandy for tickets.

**MOMCO:** The next MomCo (Circle of Moms) meeting will be **Thursday Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>** from 6-8pm



SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2025

*Love. Serve. Grow.*