

The background of the image is a landscape photograph. It shows a wide, flat field, possibly a farm or a rural area, under a dramatic sky. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds, and the sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow. The colors transition from a deep purple and blue at the top to a bright yellow and orange near the horizon. In the foreground, a paved road or path curves from the bottom right towards the center. The overall mood is peaceful and hopeful.

Tears may flow
in the night

but joy comes *in the*
morning. Psalm 30:5

July 6, 2025

GATHERING/WELCOME

PROCLAMATION OF FAITH *Psalm 30:1-5*

OPENING PRAISE *"My Country Tis of Thee"* *UMH #697*

CALL TO WORSHIP

What do we have to boast about?

The cross of our Lord Jesus Christ.

And what does this cross mean for us?

Everything is a new creation.

SONGS OF PRAISE *"The Wonderful Cross"*

SIGNS OF PEACE

CHILDRENS TIME

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER

SONG OF PRAISE *"Who You Say I Am"*

SCRIPTURE LESSON *Galatians 6:1-16* Laurie Barrick

SERMON *"True Freedom: Working for the Good of All"* Pastor Deb

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

Invitation

Prayer of Confession

The Great Thanksgiving

MAKING MINISTRY HAPPEN

GIVING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS *"More Precious Than Silver"*

PRAISE SONG *"I Am Free"*

BENEDICTION *"A Closing Prayer"*

POSTLUDE

To our faithful and humble servants.
 It takes many hands to prepare and lead worship
 services each week, and we are so very grateful
 for each one of you!



| | JULY | | |
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| ROLE | 6 | 13 | 20 |
| Preaching | Pr Deb | Pr Deb | Pr Deb |
| Acolyte | Zac Peters | Holden Clouse- Beddia | Ella Lawton |
| organist/pianist | Linda Kimmel | Linda Kimmel | Linda Kimmel |
| Praise Band: | | | |
| | Dave Billman | Dave Billman | Dave Billman |
| | Seth Lawton | Seth Lawton | Seth Lawton |
| | Elizabeth Peters | Elizabeth Peters | Elizabeth Peters |
| | Travis Clouse | Travis Clouse | Travis Clouse |
| Greeters: | | | |
| Hospitality Greeter | Mary Groshans | Linda Kimmel | Carolyn Bloom |
| Bulletin | Deb Shipley | Barbara Preston | Darlene Smith |
| Ushers: | | | |
| Gathering/ | Andy Groshans | Glenn Kimmel | need |
| Pastor/Sanctuary | Ed Shipley | need | Earl Smith |
| Lector | Laurie Barrick | Ed Beleck | Elizabeth Peters |
| Communion: | | | |
| bread maker | Linda Eckenrode | | |
| serving | Linda Eckenrode/Sue Billman | | |
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Prayer requests cards are now in each pew. Prayer requests can be placed in the offering plate or in the black offering box in the back of the sanctuary.

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Grace Wetzel (Linda Kimmel's sister), Dave Leeka (Aimee Peele's father), Ryan Stitt (Donna Hockensmith's grandson), Wanda McDermond

LONG TERM ILLNESS:

Chris Fine, Dick & Esther Ocker, Michael Alexander (Bellish' son), Todd Eckenrode, Teresa Bellish, Harry Schulz, John McAllen (Asonia Wolf's son), Alesha Holsinger (Linda Kimmel's friend), Barb Elting, Gaylea Kelly, John Edwards (Andy & Mary Groshans), Asonia Wolf, Vera Egolf, Jackie Weary, Ed Hair, Stewart Lamma, Anne Stanford, Charles Sherman, Josiah Claire (Becky Smith), The Matrese Family, Steven Hair, Freddy Rodriguez (Deb Kraft).

GRIEF: The family of Donald Jayne (Mary Jayne's husband)

OUR WORLD MISSIONS:

Mountains of Hope, Furcy, Haiti; Gideons.

THOSE DEPLOYED IN MILITARY SERVICE:

Samantha Orner (Air Force), Jady Barrett (Navy), Alex Myers (Army), Gerard Calaman (Air Force), Dylan Kupp (Navy), Justyn Padua, Brandon Padua, Dustin Jeardoe (Marine), Erin Driver (Army), John Durnin II (Marine).

NURSING HOMES:

Let's remember our shut-in MUMC family this year by sending them notes, letters or visiting them. Addresses are provided below.

Church Of God Home: 801 N Hanover St, Carlisle, PA 17013

Jane Sunday

Allen's Cove: 25 Cove Rd., Dunacannon, PA 17020

Liz Rusnik

Susquehanna Conference of the UMC

June 29-July 5, 2025 & July 6-12, 2025

Please Pray for all Churches and Pastors going through this time of transition these two weeks

*In response to the truth that it is important for all of God's people to pray for Christ's church in this world. The Leadership Council would like you to pray for MUMC each day. **The Leadership Council**, wrote a prayer and want to share it with the whole congregation in hopes that everyone will use this prayer as part of their daily prayer life.*

Nurturing and Loving Creator, We thank you for the blessing of being your church in this world. Help us to live and love fully and deeply in Your Light that we might be a beacon of hope and faith for this broken world. Guide us to be a haven of hope, love and acceptance that we will share your grace that is compelling, contagious and compassionate.

Inspire us with fresh ideas and renewed energy that we might be bold in our witness and steadfast in our mission. Empower us to meet people where they are as you grant us courage to step beyond our comfort zones. Open our eyes and our hearts that we might see you in others and see others through your eyes.

Let our worship be vibrant, our teaching be sound, our fellowship be genuine and kind. Equip us as Your church in this world to grow both spiritually and numerically. We ask all of these things that we might bring honor and glory to you as you help us strive and thrive in 2025.

In Jesus name we pray,

Amen





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| 2 | *Phil & Kim Coler | 16 | Isaac Clouse |
| 3 | *Tim & Susan Walsh | 17 | Mike Peele |
| 7 | John Henson | 19 | Cheryl Brady |
| 8 | Marvin Wingert | 22 | Gabrielle Coler |
| 9 | Christine Cohick | 24 | Mary Otey |
| 9 | Barbara Preston | 26 | Laurie Barrick |
| 9 | Gwynn Sorrentino | 28 | Abigail Cable |
| 11 | Linda Kimmel | 30 | Liz Rusnak |
| 13 | LJ Henson | 31 | Luke Earhart |

UPCOMING MUMC MEETINGS & EVENTS

Leadership Council Meetings:

July 14th 6:30pm to 8:30 pm

August 23rd 9am to 3pm (staff/council annual retreat)

October 13th 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

November 10th 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

July 4—Independence Day

July 7—Golden Lights luncheon 12:00pm to 2:00pm

July 21—Community Engagement Team meeting 6:30pm

August 2— Family Festival and Blue grass concert / chicken BBQ



Speaker Mary Bach
AARP Representative

The Golden Lights team hopes that you will join us for a delicious homemade meal prepared on site, then following we will hear our presented speaker discuss the topic of senior fraud. We do ask that you RSVP by calling the church office, **717-249-2449**, or sign up on the church connection card in the Sunday bulletin, so we may have an accurate count for food at the event.

Thank you.

**Middlesex United Methodist
Church**

**118 N Middlesex Rd, Carlisle,
Pennsylvania 17013**



\$5 donation appreciated but not expected to attend event

Ministry Leaders and Support Staff

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| Acting Facilities Director | George Bellish |
| Assisting Pastor | John Zimmerman |
| Custodian | Jenn Lopiano |
| Director of Children's Ministries | Carol Lawton |
| Director of Connections | Linda Kimmel |
| Finance Administrator | Amy Hershey |
| Office Administrator | Shari Bellish |
| Pastor | Deb Dailey |
| Preschool Director | Aimee Peele |
| Preschool Teacher's Aide | Amanda Otto |
| Social Media Coordinator | Amber Earhart |
| Worship Leader | Dave Billman |

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Our Mission:

To honor God by making more disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision:

***Alive in Christ in the Community
so that the Community is Alive in Christ.***

Our Discipleship Pathway/Action Statement:

We show our LOVE of God by how we LIVE and SHARE with our community