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December 10, 2020 Newsletter



Sunday Worship 9:30am
Sunday School Classes 10:45am

Check out the [church calendar](#)
on our website.

Pastor Darren is putting together a "Longest Night" service. What is a "Longest Night Service?" In the Western Christian tradition, it's a day in the Advent season marking the longest night of the year—typically the first day of Winter, or the Winter Solstice. On this day, some churches hold a church service that honors people who have lost loved ones and are experiencing grief.

Community UMC's Longest Night Service will be put together in pre-recorded pieces and then posted to YouTube.

Volunteers are needed for readings and to help with the singing and playing of the hymns that have been selected. If you would be willing to help, please let Shelly know by Tuesday. We will be recording later this week. If we don't receive enough volunteers, you may be contacted to participate.

The Hedge Prayer Team is in need of additional volunteers to pray for our church leaders one day per week, three times on that day. Please e mail [Erin Watjen](#) or call (812)899-6195.

Sign the online [Pew Pad](#) in our website by clicking [here](#)



GRIEF SHARE

CUMC is hosting an "in person" Grief Share program for [Surviving the Holidays](#). All are welcome who are grieving the loss of a friend/loved one and trying to make it thru the Christmas Season, no matter how long the



Having 2 desserts at staff meeting must be what makes this guy so sweet! Happiest of Birthdays to Rex today!

loss has been. The group will meet at 6pm on Wednesday, December 16. There will be plenty of room to social distance. For more information e-mail Susie or call the church office at 812 882 2220.

The Scrip Program Benefits Youth

You purchase gift cards from Scrip by contacting Lori G at (812 890 7033). There are numerous retailers that participate in this program. There is no fee charged to you but they donate a percentage to our youth program. If you purchase gift cards for gifts anyway, why not use this program!



If you have been shopping on Amazon a lot lately, why not help the

church out by shopping on [Amazon smile](https://www.amazon.com) and pick [Community United Methodist Church Vincennes](#) from the list of organizations to donate to.

How to set up your Amazon Smile account to support the Community United Methodist Church:

1. Go to smile.amazon.com and login with your existing Amazon account or create a new one using your preferred email address.
2. Once logged in, type 'Community United Methodist Church Vincennes' in the box to pick your own charitable organization and click 'search'.
3. Once found, click on select.
4. Click on the box stating yes, I understand I must always shop on smile.amazon.com in order to support Community United Methodist Church. Bam, your'e done!

Be sure to bookmark smile.amazon.com. There should always be a smile on the page if you are logged into the smile account.

Food Assistance

Are you or someone you know in need of food? The Vincennes Community Food Pantry has been here to help those in Vincennes community with food since 1971. To see if a person qualifies call PACE Community Action Agency at 812 882 7927 weekdays between 8am and noon.



A big shout out and thanks for the crew that decorated the church and put up the Christmas Trees. It all looks great! Thank you, Marilyn Anson, Mark Anson, Eva Benson, Larry Benson, Shelly Bitner, Natalie Burkhart, Tony Burkhart, Jacquelyn Cunningham, Holly Dale, Ellen Hill and Lori Graham. Also thank you to the youth who brought all the decorations down from the ever so steep attic storage area!

Job Opening

We are looking for a **nursery attendant** with strong Christian Faith. The position will be very-part-time. You will take care of children in the nursery every other Sunday from 9am until the end of church service and Sunday School Classes. We also may have a need for an attendant during some special events. If you love working with and caring for children, mail or [e-mail](mailto:) your resume to the church.

ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE :

[Sunday, December 6, 2020](#)

To view past Worship Services and Sermons, go to [Community United Methodist Church web page](#).

For online giving click the [Vanco](#)



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You are welcome to mail contributions to the church at 1548 S Hart St Rd, Vincennes, IN 47591 Atten: Cindy

To all at CUMC

I cannot thank you enough for your kindness and generosity towards the YMCA of Vincennes. We rely so much on the support we receive from the community we serve.

*With sincere appreciation,
Pat Herman*

*Thank you for your donation of \$2,751. We are so blessed to have your support. It is through your generosity we are able to help those in our community that are in need. Please stay safe and have a Merry Christmas!
Many Blessings,
Vincennes Community Food Pantry*

"Spread the Word" Bible Study postponed

Spread the Word Bible Study will not meet on Wednesday evenings until after the first of the year.

Tuesday Morning Prayers

You are welcome to the join us for the weekly prayer service at 9am every Tuesday. Weather permitting, it will be held at the beautiful prayer garden here at the church.

Check out the [church calendar](#) page on the web site for meetings and happenings around the church.