

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, September 29, 2024

8:30am Childcare Available.....Room 207  
8:45am Contemporary Worship.....Centrum  
9:30am Fellowship Time .....Narthex  
9:50am Bible Study.....Chapel  
9:50am Adult Sunday School.....Cana Class Rm  
9:50am Children's Activity & Worship ...Sunday School  
10:30am Chancel Choir.....Choir Rm  
11:00am Traditional Worship..... Centrum  
1:30pm Opus Chorale.....Adult Choir Rm  
2:30pm CCUM Pickleball.....Gym  
4:00pm Youth Choir.....Adult Choir Room  
4:30pm Jubilate Children's Choir...Children's Choir Rm  
4:30pm Youth Dance Ensemble.....Centrum  
5:00pm Youth Group.....Potter Rm

### Monday, September 30, 2024

5:30pm Fife Street Fellowship.....Offsite  
7:00pm WV Symphony Chorus.....Centrum

### Tuesday, October 1, 2024

10:00 Staff Meeting .....Potter Rm  
11:00am Assistance Ministry.....Narthex  
6:00pm WomanSong.....Adult Choir Rm  
6:30pm SPRC Meeting.....Potter Rm

### Wednesday, October 2, 2024

1:00pm Yarnettes.....Potter Rm  
5:30pm Chancel Ringers.....Centrum  
6:30pm Chancel Choir.....Adult Choir Rm

### Thursday, October 3, 2024

9:00am UWIF Board Meeting.....Potter Rm  
6:00pm CCUM Pickleball.....Gym  
6:00pm United Methodist Men's Meeting.....Offsite

### Friday, October 4, 2024

12:00pm Al-Anon.....Potter Rm

### Saturday, October 5, 2024

5:00pm Charleston Chamber Music Concert.....Centrum



## Pack-a-Bag to Help

### The Growing Place

The Growing Place Preschool needs the following items:

Kleenex	Fruit Cups
Paper Towels	Applesauce
Lysol Wipes	Glue Sticks
Paper Plates & Plates	Baby Wipes
Hand Soap Bottles	Dish Soap

Kroger bags will be available in the Narthex beginning on Rally Day, September 8. Please take one to fill or bring in one of your own. Thank you for your support!

## College Student Care Packages

On October 13, the youth will be packing the care packages to send to our Christ Church family college students. If you were planning to donate items there is still time left. **Food items** such as: microwave meals like mac n cheese, cereal, granola bars, fruit snacks, drink mixes like hot chocolate and Kool-Aid, popcorn, and other snack items, are needed. **Non-Food** items include notepads, Post-It notes, pens, highlighters, stress balls, and small toy items like card games. You can also donate by designating funds to "College Care Packs." Please remember to send us the updated names and addresses of your college students so that they can be included this year. Email Ashley at [Ashley@ccumwv.org](mailto:Ashley@ccumwv.org).



## In Loving Remembrance Support



The In Loving Remembrance Initiative is starting a support group for moms, dads, and families who have lost a baby through miscarriage or stillbirth. The first meeting will be on October 24, 2024, from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm in the Potter Room. Please call the church office for more information.



## This Week's News & Events

September 29, 2024 - October 05, 2024

Sunday, September 29, 2024  
18th Sunday After Pentecost

Today's Message  
"Courage Brings Hope"  
Rev. Dr. Tim Bias  
Lead Pastor

Today's Scripture Lesson  
Deuteronomy 18:15-20  
Mark 1:21-28

Rev. Dr. Timothy Bias, Lead Pastor  
Rev. David Donathan, Minister of Music/Organist  
Ashley Wood, Director, Children & Youth Ministries  
Rev. Dr. Randy Flanagan, Pastor Emeritus  
Cecilia Ford, Liturgist

Today's altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Cecilia Ford in honor of Rich Ford's birthday.

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1221 Quarrier Street  
Charleston, WV 25301

Remittance Address:  
P.O. Box 884  
Charleston, WV 25323-0884

## In Loving Remembrance

October 20, 2024,

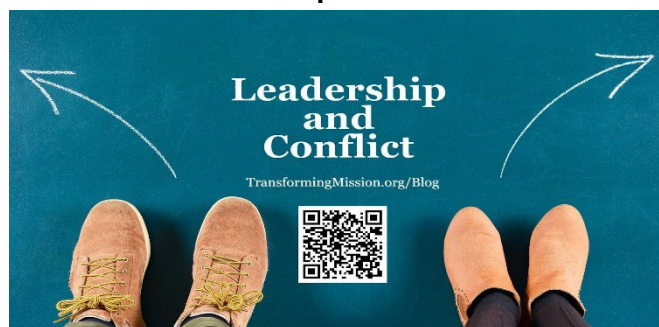
8:45am and 11:00am Services



During our Sunday morning services on October 20, 2024, we will be remembering those babies who have left us too soon, either during pregnancy, at birth, or shortly after birth. We recognize that the loss of a baby is significant and we wish to honor each of them. A white rose will be placed on the altar for each child being remembered, and each child's name will be shared during the service. Families are invited to join our service as we honor their babies. To have your baby included, please contact Christ Church at 304-342-0192

## Check out this week's Blog

by Rev. Dr. Tim Bias  
**Leadership and Conflict**



As a leader, how do you face and transform conflict? Your response depends upon your leadership style, which grows out of who you are, your personality, values, and temperament.

To face and transform conflict, you first must be honest about who you are and about your desire to lead into and through conflict. If you are concerned about yourself, you might lead by avoiding conflict, which shows little courage in being truthful or vulnerable. To read Tim's Blog go to: <https://www.transformingmission.org>

## Bible Study in the Chapel "Jesus and the Christian Life"



Beginning Sunday morning, September 15, at 9:50am in the Chapel, Dr. Bias will be leading a lecture-style bible study entitled "Jesus and the Christian Life" as taken from the perspective of each of the gospel writers. At 9:50 am, Rev. David Donathan will lead the group in a hymn, and the study will conclude with Holy Communion. Each session will end no later than 10:45am. The only book you need for this study...is your bible!

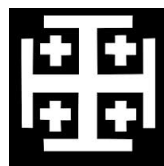
### September 29: Luke 4:14-21

Jesus and the Christian Life from Luke's perspective

### October 6: John 14:1-9

Jesus and the Christian Life from John's perspective

During this Chapel study, if parents with children want to attend the study, Ashley will be offering a children's activity and worship time upstairs in the children's ministry area. Ashley will meet the children in the Narthex at 9:50am at "The Connection Point, then take them upstairs.

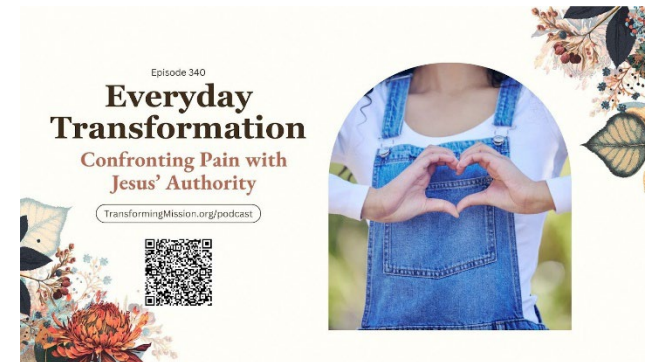


## Acolyte Registration

The Acolyte Ministry is open to all children and youth 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and older. If interested, please email Rev. David Donathan at [dfdonathan@gmail.com](mailto:dfdonathan@gmail.com). Be sure to include your child's age and grade in school.

There are still copies of the fall book study available in the library for anyone who would like to read "Multiplying Love, A Vision of United Methodist Life Together" by Paul Chilcote. Stop in and pick up a copy today.

## Check out this week's Podcast by Rev. Dr. Tim Bias



Everyday Transformation - Confronting Evil, Pain, and Suffering with Jesus' Authority

Join us this week to look at Mark 1:21-28 and how to lean into Jesus' authority to address evil, pain, and suffering. Gain insights into the scripture's context, engage in heartfelt discussions about love as a response to hatred, and learn practical ways to exhibit God's love in the community. To listen to Tim's Podcast go to: <https://www.transformingmission.org>

## Assistance Ministry

The assistance ministry closet needs body wash, tampons & soap. Any donations would be greatly appreciated.



## LAST WEEK'S WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

In Person	156
Online	224
<b>Total</b>	<b>380</b>