

REMINDER:

If you have a new address, email, or phone number, please let us know so we can send your giving statements and necessary church communications correctly.

You can update Realm yourself if you have a sign-in. Otherwise please email Kim to update it for you at church@ec-umc.com



Please be sure that all your communication information for Announcements and Slides, Pathways, Community News and E-News are sent to church@ec-umc.com. Thank you.

ECUMC: THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, August 9

- 8:30 AM Worship (S)
- 10:00 AM Worship (CH)
- 6:00 PM Youth Group (YR)

Monday, August 10

- 10:00 AM Staff Meeting
- 5:30 PM Stewardship Team (CL)
- 6:30 PM Mission Team
- 7:00 PM Finance Team (CL)

Tuesday, August 11

Wednesday, August 12

- 10:00 AM Bible Study

Thursday, August 13

- 5:30 PM Community Banquet
- 5:45 PM Children’s Ministry (FH)
- 6:15 PM VBS Volunteer Meeting (FH)

Friday, August 14 (Office closed)

- 10:00 AM Bible Study (Z)

Saturday, August 15

Pathways Articles due

Sunday, August 16

- 8:30 AM Worship (S)
- 10:00 AM Worship (CH)

ROOM KEY: 112-Room 112; AP-Ark Park; CH-Celebration Hall; CL-Chapel Lounge; CR-Crossroads Rm 109; FH-Fellowship Hall; MR- Music room; N-Nursery; S-Sanctuary; V-Various; YR-Youth room ; Z-Zoom

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YOUTH GROUP

TONIGHT! Sunday SUNDAY! The August Youth Group meeting will be on August 9 from 6 to 7:30 PM. We will enjoy an ice cream sundae bar with plenty of toppings and a side of sweet games/challenges.

Vacation Bible School!

Children (K3 through grade 6) are invited to go on an adventure this summer at Journey to Adventure Island VBS. Our quest for God’s Great Light will be held three days in August 17-19 from 9 AM to noon.

Who can you invite to attend?



SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:30 AM Sanctuary in-person and online

10:00 AM Celebration Hall in-person

Summer Childcare

Nursery: infants age 2 (Room 108)

Ark Park: ages 3-6 (Room 107)

Community News

August 9, 2026



The Falls Area Food Pantry is gearing up for its Annual Back to School Supply Drive and is asking for your assistance. Supplies may be dropped off at the Pantry at any time. Thank you for your continued dedication to the students and families in our community. Items needed: Headphones and Ear Buds (No AirPods); Plastic folders, 2-pocket; One Subject Notebooks, Wide-Ruled; **Crayola** Broad Washable Markers Classic Color; **Crayola** Thin Washable Markers Classic Color; **Crayola** Watercolor Paints, 8-color; **Elmer's** 8-oz Bottle Washable Glue; **Ticonderoga** #2 Pencils; **Expo** Dry Erase Markers, Large (Low Odor); **Expo** Dry Erase Fine Tip (Black, Green, Red, Blue); Loose Leaf Paper, Wide-Ruled.

Some items are brand specific due to teacher preferences and to give all children the same tools

ECUMC SUMMER BOOK CLUB

SUMMER BOOK CLUB. 8/23

Love to read? Join your fellow ECUMC bibliophiles this summer in our final selection.

We'll meet at 11 AM (after the second service) on August 23 for a group discussion.

Snacks will be provided!

Our book is *The Line Becomes a River* by Francisco Cantu. This memoir details the author's experiences as a U.S. Border Patrol agent, both as a boots-on-the-ground agent and as an intelligence officer, from 2008 to 2012.

He and his colleagues learn to track other humans across drug routes and smuggling corridors.

This book goes behind the headlines to uncover the complex human tragedy on both sides of the U.S./ Mexican border.

It's available for purchase new or used or from your library – start reading now!



SAVE THE DATE: RALLY DAY 2026

Don't miss our fall kick-off, Rally Day, on Sunday, 9/13!

There will be only one worship service – come to the Sanctuary at 9 AM.

Following worship, we adjourn to the lawn (weather permitting) for food, fellowship, and fun.

We are **MADE TO MATTER**, **MADE TO MIRROR** and we celebrate that together!

Community Banquet: Help with Cleaning Up

ECUMC is scheduled to do the cleanup after the Community Banquet on Thursday, August

13. This important mission is held at St. James Church on Town Line Road in Sussex. **Could you help for about an hour from 6:00 to 7:00?** Arrive at 5:30 to enjoy the meal that will be served that evening. Please let Jean Reif know if you can help with the clean up: 262-224-3699 or jereif9@gmail.com.



Kitchen Klub

"Serve Joyfully . . . In Your Unique Way."

If baking is one of your talents, whenever you bake a batch of cookies and make more than you need, we would appreciate your setting aside a dozen or two for fellowship hour. You can slip them in a plastic bag and drop them off in the kitchen at your convenience. You may not see them out on the day you bring them because we may freeze them to hold for when we need them. We will always put them first so that they are served as soon as possible. Just having a couple dozen on hand can go a long way towards being able to lay out the beautiful trays that appear every Sunday morning.