

# Announcements...

## Utica Area Seniors Lunch

Monday, September 11 @noon

## Elder/Deacon Meeting

Tuesday, September 12 @7:00pm

## Bloodmobile

Thursday, September 14  
1:00-7:00pm

## Board Meeting

Monday, September 18 @7:00pm

## Mission Committee Meeting

Tuesday, September 26 @7:30pm

## For the Record - Last Week

Worship	152
Online Connections	15
Offering	\$2,809.00
Missions	\$555.00

## This Week at UCC

### 1st Sunday Potluck

following morning worship  
Cleve Carter is Kitchen Captain

### Round Lake

### Women's Retreat

Saturday, September 9

September 3, 2023

Utica **Church**  
of **Christ**

## Welcome

At Utica Church of Christ we believe a great commitment to the great commandment and the great commission will grow a great church.

**All are welcome here because none of us have it all together.** We must continue to grow in grace and truth to better resemble Jesus. Though we are sinners, God loves us and sent His Son to prove it. We don't achieve his approval, rather we connect and receive it through a relationship with Him that changes us for the better and forever.

## New Here?

We are so glad that you have chosen to join us today!

We invite you to fill out a Connection Card located in the pew back or at the Welcome Center and place it in the offering receptacle as you depart. As our guest, you are under no obligation to place money in the offering receptacle.

### For Parents and Caregivers of Kids:

Adults can sign their children in (infant-5th grades) at the entrance of the **Kid's Connection** area located in the Fellowship Hall for nursery, primary, & elementary aged Jr. Worship. An unstaffed infant care room is available, located just off the north foyer, for parents to care for the needs of their infants.



### STAFF:

#### Elders:

Mike Allen  
Garland Fleming

#### Office Administrator

Loretta Crego

#### Youth Director:

Jarrod Scarberry

#### Children's Directors:

Terri Swan  
Mary Bebout

#### Nursery Directors:

Katie Morgan

#### Minister:

Doug Swan

## Love in Action

Your Missions Committee would like to invite you to participate in the Licking County Coalition fundraiser celebrating 20 years of service to the Licking County Community. Beginning today, and throughout September, "house banks" will be available to take home to fill with coins, bills, or checks.

## Utica Church of Christ

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### Find more info online:

[www.uticachurchofchrist.org](http://www.uticachurchofchrist.org)  
[facebook.com/uticachurchofchrist](https://facebook.com/uticachurchofchrist)

# Worship

"I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord.'" - Psalm 122:1



Music: Laura Murphy, Jarrod Scarberry, Doug Swan

Prelude

Welcome Doug Swan

Worship in Song

"How Great is Our God" Chorus

"Your Grace is Enough" Chorus

Mission Moment Video - Licking County Coalition Betsy Crego

Worship in Song

"At the Cross" v. 1,2,4 Hymn 227

Worship in Communion

Meditation Don Allen

"True Love" Video

Morning Message Doug Swan

"Stand Strong in Marriage"

Invitation and Commitment Song

"Just as I Am" v.1,2,5 Hymn 306

Announcements & Benediction Doug Swan

Closing Song

"The Family of God"

Pray for:

Danny Cross-kidney transplant Thursday went well (friend of Chad & Lizzie)

Marcos Martinez & family who's daughter, Destiny, was killed in a car accident last Sunday. She was the mother of 3 small children (friends of Chad & Lizzie)

Sarah Vance-recovering at home after surgery on Thursday

Mary VanWy-Heart stent placed Thursday

# Prayer & Praise

**Prayer for our minister and leaders** that they would serve God's people with humility & compassion, seeking God's wisdom and discernment as they daily pursue His will in their lives and our church.

**Prayer for missionaries** –Pray for God's abundant blessing and provision on their lives, the lives of their families, & their ministries.

**Prayer for one another**—Pray for all who attend UCC that we will continue to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

## Serving Today

Greeting-Rusty & Debbie Feasel  
Nursery-Sherry Arnold  
Toddlers-Rachel Liming  
Primary-Mary Bebout  
Junior-Nick & Jenna Richards

**"The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results."  
James 5:16b (NLT)**

