# Announcements...

#### On the Calendar

**Journey Groups** 

**Baby Recognition Day** Sunday, May 12

Ministry Lead Meeting Tuesday, May 14 @ 7:00pm

**Bloodmobile** 

Thursday, May 16 1:00-7:00pm

**Board Meeting** 

Monday, May 20 @ 7:00pm

**Mission Committee Meeting** 

Tuesday, May 28 @ 7:00pm

# **Recognizing our High School Seniors**

Graduating May 19 from
Utica High School:
Austin Kennedy
Tyson McElroy
Todd Orr
Travis Pope
Bridgette Posey

Graduating May 26 from Mt Vernon High School: Pete Lawhon

### For the Record - Last Week

Worship 148
YouTube Connections 25
Offering \$4,071.00
Missions \$835.00

## This Week at UCC

**Journey Groups** 

May 1st Sunday Potluck honoring our high school graduates

Utica Area Seniors Lunch Monday, May 6 @ noon

**Community Farm Market** in our Main St Lot 4-7:00pm

Baby Recognition will be Sunday,
May 12.
We will recognize babies born
since last May.
We have,
James Doup, & Kathryn Trick
If there are others, please let
Doug know

## **Utica Church of Christ**

115 N. Central Ave.—P.O. Box 532 Utica, OH 43080 (740) 892-3838 Find more info online: www.uticachurchofchrist.org facebook.com/uticachurchofchrist May 5, 2024

Morning Worship 10:30AM



# 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 Mark Arnold Alan Doup Garland Fleming

## Office Administrator

Loretta Crego

### **Youth Director:**

Jarrod Scarberry

#### Children's Directors:

Terri Swan Mary Bebout

# **Nursery Directors:**

Katie Morgan

#### **Minister:**

Doug Swan

# Worship

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



Music: Jennifer Long, Larry Mansfield, Laura Murphy, Jarrod Scarberry, Doug Swan Rick Taylor

Prelude

"Let's Worship" Video

Worship in Song

"Your Grace is Enough" Chorus
"10,000 Reasons" Chorus

**High School Graduate Recognition** 

"2024 Graduation 'It's Your Life'" Video Introduction of Graduates Jay Doup

Presentation of Gifts

Eldership Prayer

"Brave New Steps" Video

Morning Message Doug Swan

"Foolproof Planning"

Invitation & Commitment Song

"Jesus I Come" v. 1,4 Hymn 314

Worship in Communion

"At the Cross" v. 1,2,4 Hymn 306 Meditation Bob Boeshart

Announcements & Benediction Doug Swan

**Closing Song** 

"Family of God" Hymn 138



# Prayer Needs & Updates

Dave Arruda-terminal cancer (friend of Bette Rae's) Bill Crego, Jr-recovering at home after surgery to repair ligaments in his foot Kohan Elswick-11 y.o. remains hospitalized & continues to struggle with pancreatitis causing delays in surgery (Loretta's gr nephew) Melanie & her family-she is receiving treatments for uterine cancer (family friends of Nick & Carly Lycans) Pat Ryan-recovering after successful knee replacement surgery last week. Will likely remain in hospital most of this week. Christine Stockdale-@LMH, very weak with cancer

#### 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-Nick & Jenna Richards Nursery-Julie Pargeon Toddlers-Patty Creighton Primary-Nick & Jenna Richards Elementary-Terri Swan



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