

# January 18, 2026



## WELCOME

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PRAISE SONG

*"Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee"*

UMH #89

## CALL TO WORSHIP

## HYMN

*"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"*

UMH #526

*"10,000 Reasons"*

## PASSING OF THE PEACE

## CHILDREN'S TIME

## PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

## HYMN

*"It Is Well"*

## SCRIPTURE

*Philippians 4:4-9*

## MESSAGE

*"Rejoice in the Lord Always"*

Rev. Dennis Keller

## PRAYER FOR OUR CHURCH

## GIVING OF OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS

*"Majesty"*

## PRAISE SONG

*"Faithful Now"*

## BENEDICTION

## RESPONSE

*"A Closing Prayer"*

Bulletins are sponsored this week in memory of Brad Witmer

& Happy Birthday Becky Smith by Pam Dunkleberger

**LORD HEAR OUR PRAYERS:**

Sandi Lehman, Dan Smyser, Ray Cornman, Ginger Hines, Jason Bunting, Brother in law of Cinda Whistler, Clint Healy, Sherry Healy, Kaylee & Joel Laison (Carolyn Bloom's granddaughter & Husband) , Bob Midgette

**LONG TERM ILLNESS:**

Mike Ohler, Helen Lehner, Gaylea Kelly, Dick & Esther Ocker, Todd Eckenrode, Harry Schulz, John McAllen (Asonia Wolf's son), John Edwards (Andy & Mary Groshans), Asonia Wolf, Jackie Weary, Ed Hair, Stewart Lamma, Anne Stanford, Charles Sherman, Josiah Claire (Becky Smith), The Matrese Family, Steven Hair, Wanda McDermond, Chris Fine.

**OUR WORLD MISSIONS:**

Mountains of Hope, Furcy, Haiti; Gideons.

**THOSE DEPLOYED IN MILITARY SERVICE:**

Samantha Orner (Air Force), Jadyn Barrett (Navy), Alex Myers (Army), Gerard Calaman (Air Force), Dylan Kupp (Navy), Justyn Padua, Brandon Padua, Dustin Jeardoe (Marine), Erin Driver (Army), John Durnin II (Marine).

**NURSING HOMES:**

**Let's remember our shut-in MUMC family this year by sending them notes, letters or visiting them. Addresses are provided below.**

**Jane Sunday- Church Of God Home: 801 N Hanover St, Carlisle, PA 17013**

**Liz Rusnak—Allen's Cove: 25 Cove Rd., Duncannon, PA 17020**

**Susquehanna Conference of the UMC  
January 18—24, 2026**

White Mills UMC, White Mills

Royer UMC, Williamsburg

Dillsburg Community Church, Dillsburg

Houserville UMC, State College

Pine Street UMC, Williamsport

\*Galow UMC, Masorie - Sierra Leone



## January—June 2026 Preaching schedule

### January:

- 4—Rev. Kathy Kind & Dave Billman
- 11—Seth Lawton
- 18—Rev. Denny Keller
- 25—Elizabeth Peters

### February:

- 1—Rev. Dilip Abayasekara
- 8—Rev. Chris Renner
- 15—Rev. Dilip Abayasekara
- 22—Rev. Dilip Abayasekara

### March:

- 1—Rev. Kathy Kind
- 8—Pr. Jay McDermond
- 15—Service of Music
- 22—Elizabeth Peters
- 29—Rev. Dilip Abayasekara

**For Congregational Care  
Emergencies (i.e. major  
issues, hospitalizations,  
deaths)**

### April:

- 5—MUMC Choir
- 12—Pr. Jay McDermond
- 19—Rev. Dilip Abayasekara
- 26—Rev. Jan Hughes

### May:

- 3—Rev. Kathy Kind
- 10—Pr Jay McDermond
- 17—Rev. Gary Weaver
- 24—Elizabeth Peters
- 31—Rev. Tom Willard

### June:

- 7—Rev. Tom Willard
- 14—Pr Jay McDermond
- 21—Dick Ocker
- 28—Dave Billman

**Rev. Steve Salisbury is available at:**  
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### **Our Mission:**

*To honor God by making more disciples of Jesus Christ  
for the transformation of the world.*

### **Our Vision:**

*Alive in Christ in the Community  
so that the Community is Alive in Christ.*

### **Our Discipleship Pathway/Action Statement:**

*We show our LOVE of God by how we LIVE and SHARE  
with our community.*

To our faithful and humble servants.

It takes many hands to prepare and lead worship services each week, and we are so very grateful for each one of you!



### **Ministry Leaders / Support Staff**

Acting Facilities Director—

George Bellish

Custodian -Jenn Lopiano

Director of Children's Ministries

-Carol Lawton

Director of Connections-

Linda Kimmel

Finance Administrator -Amy Hershey

Office Administrator- Shari Bellish

Preschool Director- Aimee Peele

Preschool Teacher's Aide—

Amanda Otto

Worship Leader -Dave Billman

### **SERVING THIS WEEK**

**Guest Pastor:** Rev. Dennis Keller

**Worship Team:** Dave Billman

Seth Lawton

Elizabeth Peters

Linda Kimmel

**Tech Team** Joe O' Donnel

**Hospitality Greeter** Carolyn Bloom

Linda Kimmel

**Bulletin greeter** Ed & Evie Hair

**Lector:** Laurie Barrick