

*With the grace of God,  
we will cultivate a compassionate  
community that loves like Jesus,  
grows in faith and serves those in need.*

**WE GATHER TO PRAISE GOD**

**PRELUDE** *Instrumental*

**WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INVOCATION**

**\* CALL TO WORSHIP: Memorial Day Remembrance**

Leader - Many have answered the call to serve. Some have entered the pain we wish to avoid and gone to the place where we would rather not be. May we seek forgiveness and bring healing.

**People: May those who have walked the dark path of war discover a course that brightens our world with new promise, and may we truly honor all who have died in warfare by following the path of peace.**

Leader - From the moment you were called to serve, though you did not feel its touch because you were told you were invincible, death walked beside you.

**People - Though death did not show its face, you felt its empty touch.**

Leader - You felt its empty touch when fear invaded your life and courage began to fade.

**People - You went on because of your duty to protect and defend nameless others who would benefit from your sacrifice.**

Leader - Your family waited for your return.

**People - We all waited and prayed for your return and did not know the changes that happened in your heart and soul.**

Leader - May the quiet tears of your soul mourn what has happened and why. May you find the strength that is born of love and care.

**People: May the wisdom you have gained serve us now and the cause of peace and justice.**

**\* PRESENTATION OF THE FLAG/TAPS** Ben Thompson & Camilla Isaacs

**\* WE SING A HYMN:** *"Star Spangled Banner"*

**\* PASSING OF THE PEACE** Touchless greetings

**WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD**

**CHILDRENS CHAT**

**PRAYERS OF ILLUMINATION**

**SCRIPTURE READING:** **MATTHEW 18:12-14**

**SERMON TITLE:** **"LOST AND FOUND"**

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

**RESPONDING IN SONG:** *"You Will Be Found"*  
*From the Broadway Musical- Dear Evan Hansen*

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**RESPONDING WITH OUR GIFTS**

**MUSICAL OFFERING:** *"How Great Thou Art"*  
*CCUCC Adult Choir*

**\* THE DOXOLOGY**

*Those in Need of Prayer*

**CCUCC MEMBERS:** Pat Morrisson, Holly McCain, Sally Hartley, Sandy Kohlmyer, Pete Kohlmyer, Mary Miller, Terry Bruce, Dale Tremaine, Pat Kidder, Elaine Valentine, Becky Farr, Marilyn Rosso, Jane Stilgenbauer, Butch Parker, John Barb, and John Bassett

**Friends of CCUCC:** Veronica, Garry, Al, Michael, Jessica, Gail, Amy, Matt M, Wendy, Tom, Doug, and Dale

**WE DEPART TO DO GOD'S WORK**

**\* BENEDICTION**

**\* CLOSING HYMN** *"God Bless America"*

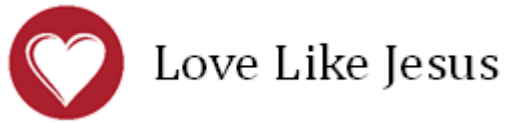
**\* WE BLESS EACH OTHER IN OUR CLOSING CIRCLE**  
*"God Be with You"*  
*Using ASL*

**\* POSTLUDE**

*Upcoming Events at CCUCC*

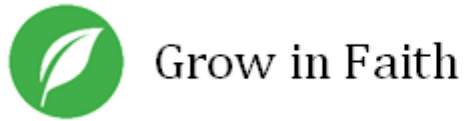
**Today:**  
Lorain Community Meal @12:30pm

**Monday:**  
Memorial Day



**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Please email all prayer requests to the office at [office@theccucc.org](mailto:office@theccucc.org) before **Thursday 10 am**. If a prayer request is needed between Friday afternoon and Sunday morning, please directly text **Pastor Brian at 336-420-7840**.

**UPPER ROOM:** We have copies of the **MAY/JUNE** Upper Room available in the back of the sanctuary. Please contact the office via email at [office@theccucc.org](mailto:office@theccucc.org) if you would like a copy mailed to you.



**VBS:** VBS Registration will now open. This year's theme is "**Stellar.**" Kids will go on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world! VBS this year will be **Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup> through Friday, June 30<sup>th</sup>**. *Registration ends June 9<sup>th</sup>!*

2023 VBS **Student** Enrollment  
<https://ccucc.breezechms.com/form/83172e5263776075>

2023 VBS **Volunteer** Enrollment  
<https://ccucc.breezechms.com/form/83172e524559204194>

**TEEN GROUP:** Our next teen group will be an outing to Cedar Point on **Friday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11am-10pm!**

**BAPTISMS:** We will have an outdoor worship service at Mill Hollow, shelter #1 on **Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup>** where we will celebrate the baptisms of several of our youth.



**MISSION OF THE MONTH:**  
**Children's Learning Center/ LCCC Foundation**  
 The Children's Learning Center at LCCC has been providing the highest quality education and care for our community's children for over 42 years. For \$137, one child can attend the Learning Center full-time for one week. This is an incredibly affordable rate; however, many parents are unable to pay for it. Your donation this month will support tuition

**Worship Participants & Staff**

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**Office Hours: Tuesday thru Friday 8:30am to 12:30pm**

Emily Marty ..... Music Director  
 Crosby Marty.....Drums  
 CCUCC Adult Choir .....Vocals  
 Brass "Taps" .....Camilla Isaacs  
 Flag Presentation .....Ben Thompson  
 Shelly Hoffman.....Office Manager  
 Brett and Melissa Thompson .....Youth Directors  
 Melissa Thompson .....Children's Chat  
 John Herrmann .....AV Production Manager

Please silence your cell phones.

If able, stand where marked with an asterisk (\*).

A large print Bible & hymnal are available upon request.

"scholarships" for children at the Learning Center, ensuring no child is turned away due to the inability to pay.

**CCUCC LADIES' TEA:** Please save the date for **Saturday, October 14, 2023**, for our annual Ladies Tea in Fellowship Hall. Additional details will be provided at a later date.

**YOGA WITH TANNA:** Tanna will be doing yoga at Beaver Park North Marina at the west end of the beach on **Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> @7pm**. To try to limit cars parked in the marina, we ask that you consider carpooling. Be sure to arrive in comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle and yoga mat/towel. Each session will be \$ 7.00 per person.

