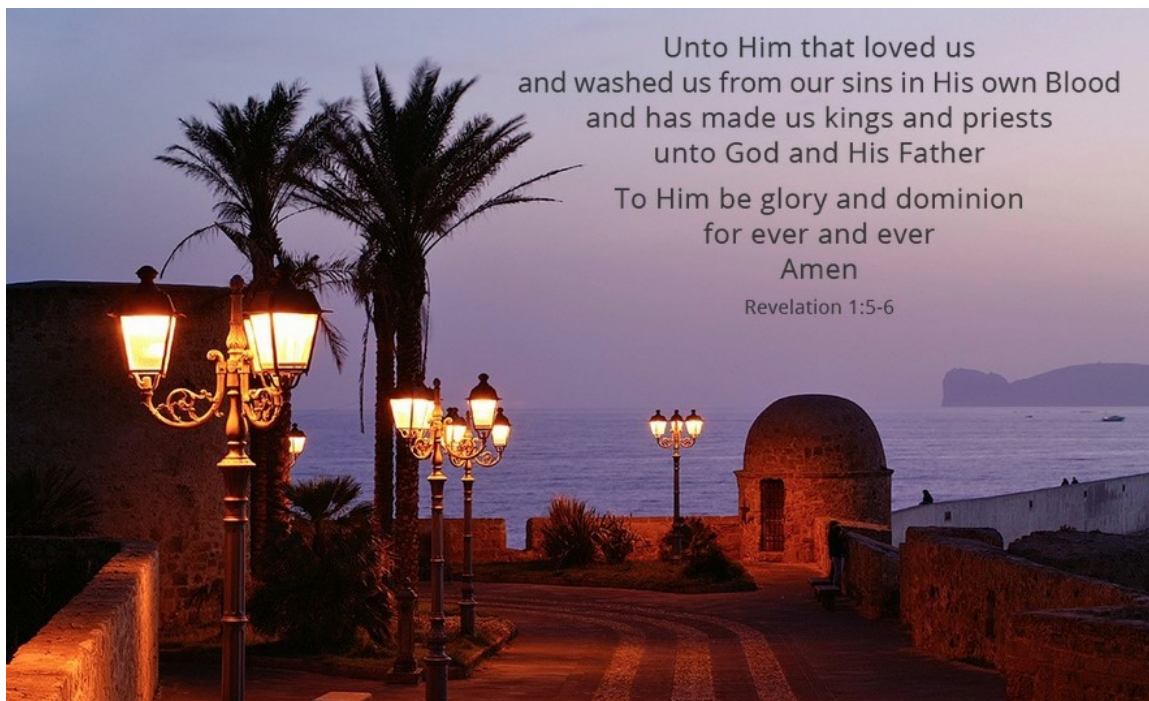




November 21st, 2021  
Harvest Sunday



Unto Him that loved us  
and washed us from our sins in His own Blood  
and has made us kings and priests  
unto God and His Father

To Him be glory and dominion  
for ever and ever  
Amen

Revelation 1:5-6



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THE MISSION OF THE CHESAPEAKE CITY UNITED METHODIST CHARGE:  
To Build Bridges by Growing with Christ, Uniting in Fellowship, and Serving Faithfully



**W**elcome! Whether you are with us today as a guest, a seeker, a member or a friend, we're glad you've joined us! It's our hope that you will experience God's love and blessings for you.

**Welcome bags for children & His Little Hands** will resume at a later date.

**Sunday School classes/groups** for all ages to learn, grow, share, and pray with others. Classes are held in the lower level rooms from 10:15 to 11:00 am.

Check out our monthly Newsletter, *The Bridge*, or our website for **other small groups** which meet throughout the week.



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**THE UPPER ROOM**  
DAILY DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

**November/December issues**

of *The Upper Room* are now available in the church foyer & office. Grab one today or stop into the office. To request one be mailed to you, call (410) 885-5641 or email your request to: [office@chesapeakecityumc.com](mailto:office@chesapeakecityumc.com)

<b>Sunday, November 21st, 2021 Harvest Sunday</b>			<b>Next Sunday:</b> November 28th, 2021 1st Sunday of Advent
9:00 am	<b>Acolyte</b>	Lisa Malin	
	<b>Greeters</b>	George & Joann Lovett	
	<b>Worship Leader</b>	Lisa Malin	Gwenn Barteld
10:15 am	<b>Coffee &amp; Refreshments</b>	Linda Stanton & Deb & Terry Forsythe	Edna Wyatt Barbara Lort Joyce Stansfield
<b>CCEA FOOD DELIVERY</b>		<i>Servant Needed</i>	<i>Servant Needed</i>

<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		<b>STEWARDSHIP</b>	
Estimated Last Week	110	Last Week	\$ 4,392.22
52-Week Average	121	Weekly Offering Needed	\$ 2,833.00
+/- attendance	<b>-11</b>	Weekly +/-	<b>+ \$ 1,559.22</b>
		<b>2021 +/-</b>	<b>+ \$ 9,823.37</b>

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# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

NOVEMBER 21ST, 2021

HARVEST SUNDAY



*All Are Welcome to Greet One Another Informally*

## **GATHERING**

Afton Kreush

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Pastor Sam

## **PRELUDE**

Lisa Malin

As we welcome the light of Christ into our hearts, let us meditate on these words from Matthew 6:33: *“But seek first God’s Kingdom and righteousness, and all you need will be given to you as well.”*

## **\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Lisa Malin

Look out, and see the truth of the Gospel.

**Blessed are we, and blessed is this church.**

Listen close, and hear the One calling out to us.

**Let us answer Him with praise, on this and every day**

Be still, and know the love of God among us.

**Let us remember the goodness of the Lord.**

## **\*OPENING PRAYER**

Lisa Malin

Generous God,

In abundance you give us things both spiritual and physical.  
Help us to hold lightly the fading things of this earth and  
grasp tightly the lasting things of your kingdom, so that  
what we are and do and say may be our gifts to you.

Through Christ we pray, Amen.

## **\*OPENING HYMN**

*We Gather Together*

UMH # 131

## **SPECIAL MUSIC**

*Holsworthy Hymn*

Bell Choir

*(\*Please stand as able.)*

**SCRIPTURE READING**

Revelation 1:4-8  
Luke 17:11-19

Pew Bible pg # 1377  
Pew Bible pg # 1182

**MESSAGE**

A Kingdom of Generosity

Pastor Sam

**\*RESPONSIVE HYMN**

*This is the Day of New Beginnings*

UMH # 383

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE****HOLY COMMUNION**

UMH pg.# 12

**OFFERTORY PRAYER****\*CLOSING HYMN**

*Come Ye Thankful*

UMH # 694

**\*SENDING FORTH**

Pastor Sam

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# **“JACOB’S WELL” CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP**

NOVEMBER 21ST, 2021

HARVEST SUNDAY



*(\*Please stand as able.)*

## **GATHERING MUSIC**

## **WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **\*SONGS OF PRAISE & WORSHIP**

*Thank you  
Graves Into Gardens*

### **THE MESSAGE**

“A KINGDOM OF GENEROSITY” - PASTOR SAM

### **SHARING THE LORD’S SUPPER**

*You Never Let Go*

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

### **\*CLOSING MUSIC**

*Hold Us Together*

## **SENDING OUT WITH PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Jacob’s Well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well.....Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."  
John 4:6 & 10

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:  
MONDAY & TUESDAY ONLY: 10 am - 2 pm**

## **NOVEMBER MISSIONS:**



THE  
PARIS  
FOUNDATION



### **EQUAL EXCHANGE**

*Mission Chair: Doug Senn*

Have you ever stopped to look at the coffee display in Fellowship Hall? Equal Exchange products are sold through agricultural cooperatives to give farmers in developing countries a fair price for the crops they grow. They include coffee, cocoa, tea, nuts and olive oil. As one of our church's missions, we sell the products we buy from Equal Exchange at cost so everyone benefits. Our fellowship hour coffee also comes from Equal Exchange.

### **PARIS FOUNDATION**

*Mission Chair: Mikki Senn*

The Paris Foundation is a Christian non-profit organization located in Elkton, Maryland. It is named in memory of Leslie Carl Paris, honoring his many years of service to the poor and homeless in the community.

Les had a vision to see an organized effort begun to alleviate the conditions contributing to homelessness in the Elkton area. TPF was founded in 2012 to make that vision a reality. – (from the Paris Foundation home page: [www.theparisfoundation.org](http://www.theparisfoundation.org))

What better way for our community to grow and flow with God's love than to continue our support? While we have been one of the churches faithfully providing a meal eight times a year, there are ways each of us may be involved individually as well. Read on to find out how.

***“The meal is a means to establishing relationship,” according to Kyle Charlton, director of operations. ([kyle@theparisfoundation.org](mailto:kyle@theparisfoundation.org) or 484-645-1880)***

Once that relationship is developed, then the work of alleviating the individual's situation can begin. The design of having groups bring in the meals is to give churches a way to serve and carry out their missions. This is one of the main reasons Chesapeake City UMC got involved. Through our *Kanal Kitchen* ministry, we were attempting to offer love in the form of a meal, so it made sense to join forces in a much bigger effort.

Our church provides the meal the fourth Tuesday of February, March, May, June, August, September, November, and December. All are welcome to join our core team, but you may volunteer individually to help serve a meal any of 365 days a year. Having those volunteer servers is crucial to their effort. It allows Kyle or other staff to be out among the guests and speak as well as listen to them. Consistency in having someone to speak to is very important. For example, this summer, because they had established a relationship, a man confided in Kyle that he intended to “check out” that day. A quick call resulted, and in 15 minutes he was on the way to a residential program through Crisis Prevention. You never know when the simple act of handing out a meal has enormous ripple effects.

***Read more from Mikki about this Mission in the November issue of “The Bridge”***



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# SPECIAL EVENT



Please Join Us!  
TODAY

at 12:30 pm

Trinity UMC

Please join Pastor Sam for a hands-on learning experience about the traditions of decorating in preparation for the Advent season!

We're hosting a  
*Christmas, Gathering*  
join  
*The Great Awakening Band*  
for a Christmas music celebration  
Friday, Dec 3  
at  
Trinity UMC

450 Third Street  
Chesapeake City, MD 21915

music at 6:00 dinner and fellowship at 7:00

Feel free to bring Christmas cookies to share! And let us know you're coming by sending an email to [Catherine.A.Barton@gmail.com](mailto:Catherine.A.Barton@gmail.com)

*We're looking forward to seeing and singing with you!*

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:  
MONDAY & TUESDAY ONLY: 10 am - 2 pm**



Tom and Alison Duffy will be collecting toys again this year!

Their goal is to once again support at least 8 elementary schools in Cecil County as well as the CCEA!

Donations may be brought to the church on Sundays and during office hours throughout the week.

Online orders may be shipped directly to:  
CCUMC

ATTN: Toy Drive  
PO Box 196  
Chesapeake City, MD 21915

**Thank you for your support!**



Our monthly Men's Fellowship Dinner is reorganizing to return soon!

Please contact Tom Duffy for more information



On Saturday December 4th, we invite you to join us at our [Christmas Open House](#). In order to welcome our guests safely this winter, we have reimagined our annual Christmas celebration with COVID-safety in mind. Join us from 3pm to 5pm for hot drinks and refreshments around the patio fire pit at the Riverview Retreat Center. Guests will still be able to gather indoors (masked) to enjoy the Christmas decorations and holiday music. Plus, each household gets their very own Pecometh Christmas ornament. Register [HERE](#). What's better than ringing in the season with some Christmas Lights? We are always trying to create new events for families at Pecometh and this year we are hosting a [drive-through Christmas Lights event](#)! On Saturday December 4th from 5pm to 7pm, creative displays set up by volunteer groups will decorate the camp property, with a special display by Pecometh staff on the pier at Riverside. Come see Pecometh as winter approaches and celebrate the joy of the holiday season with a little camp spirit! We would love to have the help of your group or organization in spreading Christmas cheer by setting up a display. This could be your church, youth group, scout troop, school club, family, business... anyone with a passion for Christmas creativity.

- To learn more about setting up a display, click [HERE](#).
- For more information about our Christmas Open House, visit <https://www.pecometh.org/events>
- To register for the Christmas Open House, please visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2021-pecometh-christmas-open-house-tickets-178268845917>
- For information about our Drive-Through Christmas Lights event, visit <https://www.pecometh.org/christmas-lights>
- If you are interested in setting up a display for our Drive-Through Christmas Lights event, visit <https://www.pecometh.org/christmas-lights-group-registration>





**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:  
MONDAY & TUESDAY ONLY: 10 am - 2 pm**



**CHURCH OFFICE  
HOLIDAY HOURS**

The church office will continue to operate Tuesday through Friday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm with the following exceptions in November and December:

**The Church Office will be closed on the following dates:**

**Thanksgiving** - Wednesday, November 24th through Friday, November 26th  
(The office will be open Monday & Tuesday from 10 am to 2 pm this week)

**Christmas Eve** - Friday, December 24th

**New Years Eve** - Friday, December 31st

**A Message from The Chesapeake City Ecumenical Association:**

*Dear Friends at Chesapeake City UMC,*

*In past years you have graciously supported the Food Pantry ministry of The CCEA by hosting a Harvest Sunday Collection. During COVID shut-down we initiated Care Boxes for both elementary school children in partnership with The Chesapeake City Elementary School (our number has increased from 25 to 40 boxes/month) and Senior Care Boxes (currently providing an average of 25 boxes bi-monthly) and we are scheduled to meet with a 3<sup>rd</sup> Senior Property to initiate sign-up of their residents (anticipating to increase that distribution by double bi-monthly).*

*The CCEA has provided a \$50.00 gift card to each Food Pantry family who has visited at least twice in the past 12 months (for their use on the holiday of their choice), plus a food pantry box for Nov. and/or Dec. as they schedule. We are asking you to help us continue the Care Boxes throughout this year and into 2022, but utilizing the targeted shopping list below. In doing so you will help to ensure elementary school children identified by Ches. City Elementary and our Seniors who receive the pantry extender boxes, will be fed during times of school closings; inclement weather and illness or times where there is more month and bills than money. I thank you for your consideration and support..Deb*

**Shopping List for Care Boxes:**

**Breakfast Items:** Oatmeal (assorted flavors in individual packs); Jiffy Pancake mix (small, yellow bottles); smaller bottles of pancake syrup; Pop Tarts; breakfast or granola bars; country gravy mix packets

**Assorted canned meats:** Spam, canned chicken and/or tuna; deviled ham; small canned hams

**Prepared complete meals:** Hormel individual micro-wave meals (assorted flavors); beef stew (smaller cans); any of the Chef Boyardi canned meals (10 oz. cans); assorted 10 oz. soups or Knorr's soup packets (low sodium when possible) or individual micro-wave soup cups

**Snacks:** Lance individual packs of crackers and/or cookies

**Juices/Shelf-stable milks:** Individual cartons (which can fit into the smaller boxes we use)

**Travel Size personal care items:** Shampoo/conditioners; toothpaste; deodorant; bar soaps; hand cream; Kleenex packs

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:  
MONDAY & TUESDAY ONLY: 10 am - 2 pm**

## **MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE**



**UP NEXT:**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12TH**  
COOKIE BAKE & DECORATION PARTY @ TRINITY

**JANUARY 7-9TH**  
WAVE 2022  
(FORMERLY CALLED YOUTH RALLY)

## **PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY**

**Thursday Evenings - 6:00 pm**

**Trinity - Fellowship Hall**

For more information,  
contact Pastor Sam.



## **Sunday School**

**Sundays @ 10:15 am**  
**Downstairs at Trinity**

For more information, contact  
Lisa Malin at: [lmalin68@gmail.com](mailto:lmalin68@gmail.com)

## *Adult* **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

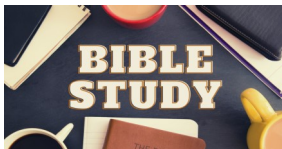


**Sundays at 10:15am**  
**Downstairs at Trinity!**

If you have any questions,  
please contact Marian Harvey at  
[mariantoddharvey@gmail.com](mailto:mariantoddharvey@gmail.com)

**Come along with us on our faith journey!**

## **BIBLE STUDY**



**by Barbara Dean**  
Wednesdays from  
10:30 am to 12 pm

This study is now on  
holiday break and will  
resume with a new study in the new year!

Please contact Barbara Dean  
for more information: 410-708-2410

## **PASTOR SAM'S WORD on WEDNESDAY**

**Wednesday Evenings**  
**6:00 pm**

Videos will be posted on our Facebook page  
each Wednesday evening by 6 pm.

For more information, contact Pastor Sam.



**TUESDAYS - 10:30 AM**

HOSTED EVERY TUESDAY IN THE HOME OF MARY MEADOWS. THIS STUDY IS OPEN TO WOMEN WHO ARE INTERESTED IN A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING AND FAITH WALK. COME FOR A VISIT, STAY FOR THE GROWTH. CALL MARY: 410-885-3524 OR SPEAK WITH JOYCE STANSFIELD

# LOOKING AHEAD

## **SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 21, 2021**

9:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP ..... SANCTUARY  
 VIEW FROM HOME ON FACEBOOK AND  
[WWW.CHESAPEAKECITYUMC.COM/PASTORS-PAGE](http://WWW.CHESAPEAKECITYUMC.COM/PASTORS-PAGE)  
 10:15 AM FELLOWSHIP HOUR ..... FELLOWSHIP HALL  
 10:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES .. DOWNSTAIRS ROOMS  
 11:00 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP ..... SANCTUARY  
 12:30 PM HANGING OF THE GREENS SPECIAL EVENT .... TRINITY

## **MONDAY - NOVEMBER 22, 2021**

*No Events*

## **TUESDAY - NOVEMBER 23, 2021**

10:30 AM LADIES BIBLE STUDY ..... MARY MEADOWS HOME  
 4:00 PM PARIS FOUNDATION MEAL PREP ..... TRINITY  
 6:30 PM CCEA BOARD MTG ..... ZOOM

## **WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 24, 2021**

6:00 PM WORD ON WEDNESDAY ..... ONLINE  
 6:00 PM PRAISE BAND REHEARSAL ..... SANCTUARY

## **THURSDAY - NOVEMBER 25, 2021**

THANKSGIVING

## **FRIDAY - NOVEMBER 26, 2021**

NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE DAY

## **SATURDAY - NOVEMBER 27, 2021**

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY



**NEXT SUNDAY:**

## **SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 28, 2021**

9:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP ..... SANCTUARY  
 10:15 AM FELLOWSHIP HOUR ..... FELLOWSHIP HALL  
 10:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ..... DOWNSTAIRS ROOMS  
 11:00 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP ..... SANCTUARY  
 6:30 PM LION'S CLUB TREE LIGHTING ..... PELL GARDENS

## **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:**

**MONDAY & TUESDAY : 10am - 2pm**

OFFICE CLOSED WEDNESDAY THROUGH  
 FRIDAY FOR THANKSGIVING

Pastor Sam will be in the office or  
 community and available by appointment  
 Monday and Tuesday this week.

Fridays are Pastor Sam's sabbath days,  
 but please call with any emergencies.

Pastor Sam can be reached at  
 (302) 448-0367 or via email to:  
[PastorSam@ChesapeakeCityUMC.com](mailto:PastorSam@ChesapeakeCityUMC.com)



## **YOU CAN HAVE NEW & ABUNDANT LIFE!**

Jesus said, *"The time has come. . . The kingdom of God is near. Repent and believe the good news!"* (Mark 1:15 NIV)

And again, *"I have come so that they may have life, and have it more abundantly."* (John 10:10)

That includes you!

As recorded in John 3:16, *"For God so loved the world, he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life."*

To have that abundant and eternal life simply, "Repent" or "turn" to God and believe the good news of Jesus Christ. You can do this in your heart by asking God's forgiveness of your sins (thoughts and actions which separate you from God's love and holiness).

A suggested prayer is: "Dear Jesus, forgive my sins and come into my heart. I receive you as my Savior and Lord." If you have said such a prayer, you are encouraged to join in further fellowship and learning as a follower of Jesus. Speak with Pastor Sam or others for more ways to connect.