

AUGUST 24 – 11TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The **Bredesen-McGinnis Family** shares special music, we meet our new Student Intern / Faith Formation Coordinator, **Tirza Dawn**, and **Pastor Benjamin** preaches a sermon on [Luke 13:10-17](#) entitled, "What Religion Is For."



TODAY

NURSERY CARE for infants to age 4 in the Nursery, 9:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. with Nursery Attendants **Kelli Clark & Ellie Green**.

KINSHIP TIME follows worship in the Fountain Courtyard. Visit the "Bounty Table" and bring home fresh produce for your household.

PLAYGROUND is open during Kinship Time. Parental supervision required.

SAFE CHURCH training, 11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in the Media Room, facilitated by Pastor Benjamin.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PROJECTS FORUM offered online via Zoom today at 11:15 a.m. hosted by **Bob Curtis**. Sharing information that was presented in the three previous forums, this one is designed for anyone wanting to watch from home. Click here to join:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82512755212>.

ALL-CHURCH CAMP WEEKEND, Registration closes today for Sept 5 -- 7, at Westminster Woods in Occidental. Theme: "Growing Together." Click or scan the QR code to register. A few paper copies are located in the Narthex. Final payment due Aug 26. Contact **Sheina Curtis** at hisheina@gmail.com or **Kathy Matthies** at kathleenmathies57@gmail.com.



WORSHIP & ARTS

HANDBELL ENSEMBLE resumes their weekly practice sessions this Tuesday, August 26. They meet every Tuesday afternoon. If you are interested in playing handbells, contact **Karna Roa** at karnamarie@yahoo.com.

CHANCEL CHOIR rehearses every Thursday 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. The choir sings for 2x/month in worship. Newcomers with any level of experience welcome. Contact **Andy DelMonte**, Choral Director, at delmontemusic@yahoo.com, or in person on Sundays.

GATHERING OF THE WATERS is an annual practice of our church collecting a sample of water from summer travels in a small receptacle. Leave it with your name and the water source in the church office. Blessing on September 7.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS beautify our worship space every Sunday. To sponsor flowers in honor of a person or event, sign up on the poster in the Narthex.

FAITH FORMATION

GODLY PLAY resumes on Launch Sunday, September 14. Contact **Terri Harper** at 707.236.2448 / beelady59@gmail.com.

YOUTH GROUPS (Grades 6–8 & 9–12) will resume meeting weekly on September 15 for "God & Donuts" at 11:15 a.m. in the Youth Lounge.

MEDITATION GROUP meets Thursdays, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. in Room 6. Contact **Mary Culberson** at 707.525.1730 / marycculberson@gmail.com.

DREAMWORK GROUP is on hiatus for the month of August and resumes meeting on Thursdays, 5:30–6:30 p.m. meetings in Room 6 on September 4. Newcomers and visitors welcome. Contact **Raymond Dougherty** at 707.338.2500 / raymonddougherty@sbcglobl.net.

For information about Faith Formation programs for children, youth, and adults, contact **Tirza Dawn** at faithformation@uccseb.org.

CARE MINISTRIES

OUR CHURCH'S care ministries include:

- **Card Writing Ministry** meets monthly on the first Thursday.
- **Prayer Book** in the Narthex to share prayer joys and concerns.
- **Weekly Prayers** appear in all-church email every Thursday.
- **Pastoral Care** provided by Pastor Benjamin and Care Ministry Team.
- **Prayer Shawls** available to offer to those who are ill or grieving.
- **Intercessory Prayer Network** prays regularly for confidential requests.

For info about our church's Care Ministries, contact **Rev. Benjamin Broadbent**, Lead Minister, at pastorbenjamin@uccseb.org / 707.861.8099.

OUTREACH

INTER-CHURCH FOOD PANTRY basket is located in the entry to the Sanctuary. The item most needed for August is PASTA. Please don't leave perishables or expired food. To donate to or volunteer at the pantry, contact **Mark Albin** at 707.829.1492 or malbin@sonic.net.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ASSOCIATE MINISTER SEARCH committee is Rachel Allen (Co-Chair), Alvin Hukins (Co-Chair), Dawson Bell, CJ Hudlow, Stuart Mitchell, and Mary Culberson. They are currently reading profiles and scheduling interviews.

NURSERY ATTENDANT position now open. Part-time Sunday mornings 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. This is a paid position. Childcare experience required. Contact **Pastor Benjamin** at pastorbenjamin@uccseb.org / 707.861.8099.

THIS WEEK AT COMMUNITY CHURCH – August 24–31, 2025

Today		11th Sunday after Pentecost
	10:00 am	Worship Service, Sanctuary & Online
	11:00 am	Kinship Time, Fountain Courtyard
	11:15 am	Safe Church Training, Media Room
Monday		No Church Programs
Tuesday	9:00 am	Grounds Team, Campus
	9:00 am	Shower Program, Memorial Hall
	4:00 pm	Handbell Ensemble, Sanctuary
Wednesday	10:00 am	Staff Team, Fireside Room
Thursday	12:00 pm	Meditation Group, Room 6
	5:00 pm	Bible Study, Online
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir, Choir Room
Friday		No Church Programs
Saturday		No Church Programs
Next Sun		12th Sunday after Pentecost
	10:00 am	Worship Service, Sanctuary & Online

OUR CHURCH'S FINANCES

<i>As of July 31, 2025</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Over/(Under)</i>
Local Ministry Revenue	\$240,119	\$227,577	\$12,542
Wider Mission Revenue	\$21,549	\$21,638	(\$89)
Other Revenue	\$31,906	\$28,583	\$3,323
Facility Revenue	\$41,118	\$62,183	(\$21,065)
Total Revenue	\$334,692	\$339,981	(\$5,289)

BULLETIN & WEEKLY EMAIL content due in digital form to **Joy Richards**, Congregational Administrator, at office@uccseb.org by Noon on Wednesdays. Salt & Light articles for October edition due September 15.