

**Cassopolis United Methodist Church**

**July 16, 2023 – 7th Sunday after Pentecost**

Gathering and Prelude Jonathan Clough

Ringing of the Bell

Welcoming, Announcements

\*Opening Hymn Praise to the Lord, the Almighty UMH #139  
(vs. 1,2,5)

\*Affirmation of Faith Psalm 25:8-10

Words of Witness and Praise

Hymn of Prayer If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee UMH #142

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Special Music Hallelujah Jane Poe

Scripture Reading Romans 8:1-11

Sermon Series: Roman Road to Faith and Holy Living

Message "According to the Spirit" Pastor Wade Panse

Offertory/Noisy-Offering for Helping Hands

\*Closing Hymn My Jesus, I Love Thee UMH #172

\*Benediction

\* Chorus God Be with You Till We Meet Again (Chorus)

**Announcements:**

To continue to observe our anniversary celebration with special music, this week we welcome Jane Poe to the piano. Jane will be playing a Leonard Cohen piece, and dedicating it to the late Nancy Smith. We are always blessed by Jane's musical talent.

Our next **Bible Study, *Psalms for Summer***, will continue this Wednesday evening, July 19th at 6:30 PM. We will read and discuss various Psalms of Holy Scripture during July thru August. Each week will be a different Psalm. Attend every Wednesday or whenever you can. This week we will discuss Psalm 119:105-112.

The **CUMC 185th Anniversary Dinner will be on August 13**, immediately following the 10 am worship service and will be catered by Papa Vino's Italian Restaurant. **Kindly RSVP** to JoLynn Watts, 248-240-9777 or Char Hiemstra, 269-268-7066 by August 6<sup>th</sup>.

We are invited to an **Open House for Calvin Community Chapel**, located at 18770 Mount Zion Street, on Sunday July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 3 PM to celebrate their Grand Re-Opening.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Bible Study series *Psalms for Summer* Wednesday evenings during July & August.

**NEXT WEEK** (July 23)

Greeter: **Please sign-up**  
Ushers: Barb Strlekar & Jan Parr  
Refreshments: Jane Moraw  
Flowers: Jane Moraw

**LAST WEEK**

Attendance: 42  
Offering: \$2,206