## Welcome Newcomers!

We hope you sense God's presence and enjoy your time of worship with us today. We have a staffed nursery, Children's Church for ages 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade, which is dismissed during the worship service, and Sunday school for all ages. If this is your first time at CMF, please stop by a Welcome Table in the lobby. We would love to connect with you! Also, please take time to sign in to the red attendance register in your row.

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May 18 Fellowship Meal

May 18 Congregational Meeting

June 1 Summer Sunday School Starts June 20 Father ~ Daughter Banquet

June 23-27 Summer High Point

June 29 Chicken BBQ

July II Ice Cream Social at CMF

August 2 Knoebels



## "A Vision for Being and Doing"

Titus 2:14

From what wickedness have you been redeemed?

What cultures and sub-cultures are central to your identity?

When you put the words "moral" and "purity" together, what comes to mind?

To sign up for *Remind* messages, text the following to 81010:

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Children's Ministry: text "@cmfkidmin"
Youth Ministry: text "@cmfparents"
Adults: text "@cmfremind"



May 11, 2025



Together, pressing in toward Christ; reaching out to the world.







Today is also *Grad Sunday* - congratulations, graduates! We will take time during the service to celebrate and pray for our high school graduates this morning. Join us for a snack in the lobby before Sunday school!

**Prayer and anointing:** After the sermon this morning, we will have a time of anointing with oil and prayer. If you have a prayer request or need, prayer team members will be available to pray with you. We encourage you to partake of this special time of prayer.

Next Sunday, May 18, all are invited to a Fellowship Meal after Sunday school. To ensure enough food, please bring two dishes—a main dish and a salad **or** dessert—enough to feed your family with extra to share with visitors. Help setting up and tearing down is appreciated! Also, stick around for the Congregational Meeting after!

Congregational Meeting: Members and attendees are encouraged to take part in a congregational meeting next Sunday, May 18, after the Fellowship Meal. We will be discussing the proposed lobby/ sanctuary upgrade. Renderings of the renovations are in the lobby. A memo about the project was placed in mailboxes last week. A vote to authorize the project is planned. Ballots will be distributed to members at the meeting, with ballots due the following Sunday, May 25. Members who are not able to be present at the meeting can request a ballot from Jan Seibert or the church office.

**Check out he lobby** for more pictures of the building renovation!

Little Lambs Preschool has openings for 3, 4 and 5-year-olds for the upcoming 2025-26 school year. More information, including brochures, registration forms, and yard signs, is available at the table in the lobby. Please help spread the word!

Looking to hang out with other CMF families? This summer, we will continue to meet Sunday afternoons after church at local parks. If interested to help coordinate this, please email Pastor Nigel at nigel@cmfmilton.org.

Join us for an Adult Sunday School class today!		
Sunday School Class:	Teachers:	Room:
The Book of James	Norman Hoy & Jim Schompert	201/202
Building a Resilient Life	Jen Bittner & Naomi Peachey	203

**Summer Sunday School:** Get ready for an exciting summer journey through the Gospel of Mark - known for its fast pace and vivid storytelling. Mark's account brings Jesus' life and ministry to life freshly and powerfully. Discover how this Gospel can inspire and deepen your faith today! Pastor Tim will lead this class from June **1-August 24**, with a break on July 6. Please sign up in the lobby.

Father and Daughters Banquet: Fathers and daughters of all ages are invited to a banquet at CMF on June 20, at 6:00 PM! Save the date! Watch for details coming soon!

Summer High Point Volunteers Needed: Lots of volunteers are needed to get High Point underway the evenings of June 23-27. Volunteers are also needed during the weeks prior to High Point, to plan and prep. Please check out the sign-up table in the lobby or talk to Amy Goodwin to see how you can help with this important outreach project! Thanks!

Chicken BBQ at Central Oak Heights: On Sunday, June 29, join us for a chicken BBQ meal at Central Oak Heights at 1:00 PM. Please bring 2 sides (salad, vegetable, or dessert) and a drink. Chicken will be provided. Also, bring your favorite games to play outside!

ConNect with our kids by leading or participating in a ConNect class this summer! Building intergenerational relationships is so important, but often difficult in a church setting. Come spend time with our kids, whether on a walk or hike, sharing a hobby, playing a sport, etc. If you'd like to get to know our kids better in a small group setting or have an idea for one of these gatherings, please contact Amy Goodwin soon. Summer is just around the corner!

Volunteers needed at weekly Community Harvest meals: Community Harvest is a volunteer-driven drive-thru meal distribution program in Milton. Meals are served from 4:00-4:45 PM on Mondays at St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, 102 Lower Market Street, Milton. Volunteers are needed Mondays from 1:00 to 5:00 PM. If interested in volunteering, please email Pastor Nigel at nigel@cmfmilton.org.



Congratulations to Devin and Maddi Esch on the birth of their son, Micah James, born April 22. He weighed in at 8 lbs, 6 oz, and was 19 1/2 inches long. Congratulations also to grandparents, Rod and Deb Yoder!



**Thank you!** "Thank you, CMF family, for your thoughts and prayers during this time of recovery from my recent surgery. The Comforter has come. Jesus abides with me and I abide with Him. God's grace and mercy are wonderful! Thank you, Charlotte Sarkany"



Last Week's Offering: \$14,250

Last Week's Attendance: 249 (209 in person, 40 online)

Sunday school: 100

#### Children's Ministry



High Point Ecuador! Fasten your seatbelts—we will "fly" to Ecuador this summer to learn how God changes us from the inside out! High Point will be held the POINT evenings of June 23-27, from 6:00-

8:00 PM, for kids age 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade, with a free family meal beforehand. To register, grab a form at the Children's Ministry table by the gym doors; use the QR code; or register online at our CMF website. If interested in helping, please check out the sign-up table in the lobby.



#### Youth Ministry

"Embrace and Pursue Christ" Ignite\* (Grades 6-8) and C4\* (Grades 9-12):

Wednesday Night Youth: It's been a great year together! Don't miss the last three Wednesday Youth nights of the year, as we wrap up the relationship series and celebrate the end of the school year and start of summer.

Belize Mission Team Meeting: June 1, at noon

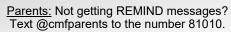
Ignite Summer Camp: Sign up now for a first-ever Summer Camp experience. A one-time opportunity to attend our annual summer camp at an all-new location in Canton, PA, All details and digital registration link can be found Online. Camp is June 30-July3.



Seniors - we celebrate you! We hope you feel special and celebrated today!! Congrats!

#### See youth event details at:

https://newsletter.dymapps.com/featured/2142







### Young Adults

Wednesday Small Group: Connect with others Wednesdays, at 6:45 PM, in Room 305. See Max Kennel or Jim Hostetter to learn more.

Passion 2026: Passion 2026 will be in Texas this year. A block of hotel rooms is already booked to make things easier. We reserved some extra rooms, so claim your spot by letting Max Kennel know (available until rooms are filled). You will need to buy your flight ticket. Financial help is available.



Summer Retreat: A cabin on a remote lake in Canton, PA! An all-new location for the Young Adult Summer Retreat being held June 13-15. Mark your calendars!