

Please open to see information about *National Gun Violence Awareness Day* on June 1st and changes to our 11:00 AM worship service this Sunday, June 3rd



Thousands of Brands, Media Partners, Non-Profit Partners, Municipalities, Buildings and Landmarks including the **Borough of Chatham** and the **United Methodist Board of Church and Society** have endorsed **Friday, June 1, 2018** as

National Gun Violence Awareness Day, and encourage supporters to wear orange on Friday, June 1st, among other actions.

The **United Methodist Church** as a denomination stands in the name of Jesus to work towards more just, effective and wise gun legislation in our country, and voted the following language and vision into the **2016 Book of Resolution of the UMC, #3428**

Please click here to read: [Our Call to End Gun Violence](#)

For more information about **Wear Orange 2018** and the response from the **Borough of Chatham**, please click on links below:

- **[#WearOrange](#)**
- **[Chatham Borough Response to Wear Orange](#)**

This Week at CUMC

**Important Information Regarding 11:00 AM Worship Service
this Sunday, June 3rd**



At a recent Worship Committee meeting we discussed some ideas to try out for future worship experiences. One of which we will try **this Sunday, June 3rd at 11:00 am.**

We will worship in the Asbury Room at the 11:00 am service this coming

Sunday. Projection will be on the TV screen. An altar table will be set with candles, a cross and the communion elements. Two pianos will be brought in for a duet with Yang Hee and Peter entitled: **Movements 2 & 4** from *Four Movements for Two Pianos* by Philip Glass. The offertory will be played by Vincent Lin who is our Chatham HS music intern. Congregational singing and liturgy will be more communal in a smaller space, and we will practice being able to worship the Living God wherever two or more are gathered in the name of Christ.



Sunday, June 3rd, Open Mic Night! 5:30 PM, Rodda Hall

It's an evening you won't want to miss! An event like no other!! On the evening of Sunday, June 3rd at 5:30 PM, the CUMC stage will come alive for another "Open Mic Night!" – a fabulous evening of food and entertainment hosted by our Youth Musicians and the Youth RISE team. This will be a chance to hear our Youth Singers perform and be entertained as individual youth and members of the congregation show off their talents! The RISE team will serve a Baked Potato Bar Buffet where you can customize a potato with an array of tasty toppings to munch on during the show. Proceeds from the evening will benefit our youth RISE summer mission trip.

Monday Noontime Bible Study: June 4th, Room 7 *Exploring the Book of Esther*

Whether you're brand-new to the Bible, or know it inside and out, you're welcome! The group will meet each Monday from noon – 1:30 PM in Room 7. Feel free to bring your lunch or a snack, and feel free to bring a friend – whether or not they are part of CUMC. The group has decided to explore the book of Esther this Spring. Questions? Contact Associate Pastor Sharon Yarger at scyarger@optonline.net or Dr. SuJung Shin at sshin@nbts.edu. Hope to see you there!

Tuesday, June 5th, Rebecca Circle, 6:00 PM Sue's House for Pot Luck Supper



Saturday, June 9th Fire Pit & Friends, 7:15 - 8:15 PM

Back by popular demand! Friends in our church family and beyond are invited to gather around a fire pit on our church front lawn, sing songs, roast marshmallows, make s'mores, and enjoy fellowship and refreshments. Bring a lawn chair or blanket, bring a guitar or ukulele, and come **June 9th from 7:15-8:15 pm!** This Fire Pit and Friends event is sponsored by the Chatham UMC Church Council.

Looking Ahead

At a Glance:

- **Wednesday, June 13th, Taizé Prayer Service, Asbury Room, 7:30 PM**
- **Saturday, June 16th, RISE Car Wash, 9:00 AM**
- **Saturday, June 16th, Men's Group, 9:00 AM, John and Carolyn Palma to host**
- **Sunday, June 17th, Beginning of single worship service summer schedule, 10:00 AM, celebration of Dads and Grads, Sanctuary**
- **Sunday, June 17th, Church and Family Picnic, Shepard Kollok Park, 12**

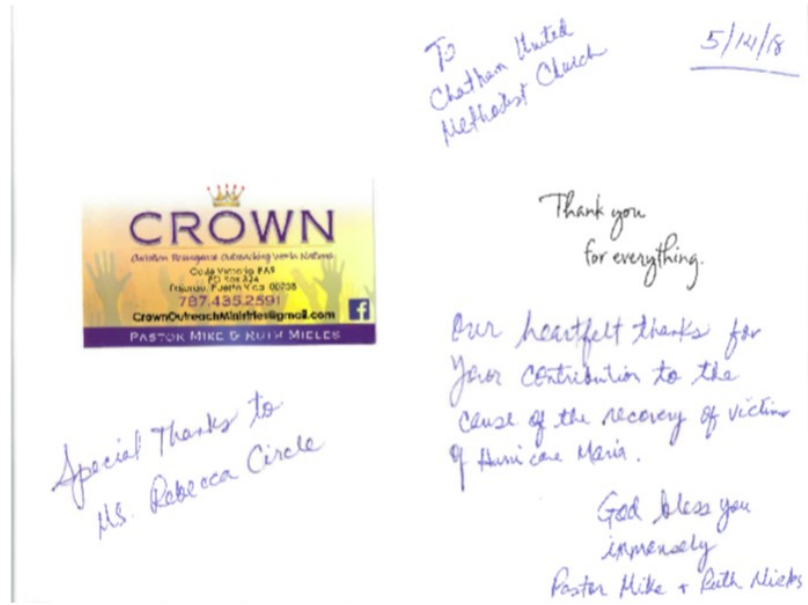
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- Wednesday, June 20th, UMW Planning Meeting, Asbury Room, 10:00 AM
- Monday, June 25th, VBC Week Begins!

Announcements



We received this lovely Thank You note this week from **Crown Outreach Ministries, Inc.** in Fajardo, Puerto Rico.



Time to shop for Dads and Grads!

Support Chatham United Methodist Church when you shop for the Dads and Grads in your life. It's easy to make your shopping count simply click on the image below or go to smile.amazon.com and Amazon donates to Chatham United Methodist Church!



CUMAC Summer Request

Summer is almost here! CUMAC has a greater need for food during the summer months! Children being out of school means more meals at home. We appreciate all you have done for CUMAC in the past, and hope you will help fill the "Stairwell" this summer. Thanks again for all you've done.

Ruth Maloney and Barb Bennett



Do you want to spend a fun day in the Church Office?

Volunteers are needed to staff the Church Office this summer for the week of **July 30th - August 2nd** from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM. Duties include answering the church phone and handling simple but important tasks such as welcoming visitors to the church office and sorting mail. If you are interested in working as an office volunteer, please visit the

Music News



In this **Sunday's 9:00 am** service, the *Covenant Choir* will sing Alice Parker's arrangement of *Be Thou My Vision*. In both services, Yang-Hee Song and Peter Hill will perform movements from Philip Glass' *Four Movements for Two Pianos* and Vincent Lin, our Chatham High School intern, will perform Satie's *Gymnopedie No. 1*. Join us!

CUMC's **Open Mic Night** will take place on **Sunday, June 3rd** at 5:30 p.m. in Rodda Hall. Our Youth Musicians will lead an evening of fantastic music to benefit the RISE mission trip this Summer! All are invited!

All of our music groups welcome newcomers: the *Covenant Choir*, the *Wesley Ringers*, the *Kenaniah Praise Band*, the *Youth Singers*, the *Youth Ringers*, the *Kids' Bells*, the *Brass & Wind Ensemble*, and the *Ukulele Orchestra*! If you would like to know more about music@CUMC see our page at www.chathamumc.com/music or contact Peter Hill at petepiano@mac.com.

Help Us Honor Our Graduates



There are a number of youth and young adults who have recently graduated or are graduating this spring. Our church family would like to celebrate with you. If you are graduating or have a loved one that is graduating from Middle School level or above, please notify the church office. You may call (973) 635 -7740 or email your messages to chatumc@optonline.net.

Please include: the individual's name, from where they are graduating, if their studies are continuing, and the name of the next school they will be attending. Please send in your information by **Tuesday, June 12th** to be included in the special graduate insert on **Sunday, June 17th**. Enjoy your final school days.

VBC Registration is Here!



Are you ready for Adventure?

You're invited to *experience the ride of a lifetime with God* at the **Chatham United Methodist Church** for **Rolling River Rampage** VBC!

June 25 - 29, 2018, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon

For more information and to **register** or **volunteer** for our Vacation Bible Camp, click on the button below. If you have questions, call or email Karen Berry at (973) 635-7740, youthchatumc@optonline.net.

"When you pass through the waters, I will be with you." (Isaiah 43:2)

Register for VBC 2018!

Ministry Updates

Raise Your Voice and

Greeters Needed!

If interested in signing up or

Share it! Liturgists Needed

All are welcome! New Dates
Added through to Spring!

Disciples are needed to raise their voices at both the 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM services. If you're interested and would like to sign up please click the link below to sign up and to secure your slot. If you have any difficulty with the sign up and need assistance, or if you have any questions about this ministry, please feel free to contact **Barbara Babbitt** at bbabbitt@optimum.net.

[Click Here to Sign Up](#)

finding out more about our Greeting Ministry, please contact **Penny Sutterby** at 315-777-6376, psutterby@drew.edu or **Becky Meyer** at 201-400-0039, drbbmeyer@aol.com

Bread Ministry

Volunteers are needed in brief shifts to help Saturday nights and Sundays to ensure that this ministry continues to be successful. [Sign Up Here](#)

More information can be found on our website: www.ChathamUMC.org

Care Corps

CUMC remains committed to our neighbors in need throughout the year with our Care Corps Ministry. If you or someone you know needs meals or transportation, please call the CUMC office at (973) 635-7740 or Marie Watt at (973) 635-7326.

Did you miss something? To revisit previous E-News, please visit our archived news on our website by clicking the button below.

News

All submissions for next week's CUMC Weekly E-news is due to Eileen Ruggiero by Tuesdays, 2:00 PM
Submissions may be emailed to chatumc@optonline.net.

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