

This Week's Announcements

The Care Ministry person of the week is
Dale Fiscus

Please call the church office for his address
to support him with prayers and cards.

Love Cupboard Food Pantry

The donation item for the month of **November** is
ALL PURPOSE CLEANER.

Please place your donations in the wooden box located
in the Gathering Area.



Please Note: Perishable items are available.

Distribution occurs on the **3rd Wednesday** of each
month from **4:00pm-5:00pm.**



During this month of Thanksgiving, we're asking for your help
as we minister to those in need. An email was sent out with a
"grocery list" for Meals of Love. There is also a list available
with your bulletin. We will be collecting those non-perishable
items at the altar through November 23. We would greatly
appreciate your donations as we continue to love our
neighbors in thankfulness for all of our blessings.

Save the Dates

November 9: Recognition of Our Veterans

November 30: Celebration Sunday, Christmas Cantata and
Hanging of the Greens; one worship service at 9:30am with a
fellowship lunch to follow.

December 14: Carols Around the Table

December 21: Children's Christmas Program

Carols Around the Table

Sunday, December 14
6:30pm
Gathering Area

Join us on Sunday, December 14, in the Gathering Area
to enjoy our annual Carols Around the Table.
There will be gingerbread, angel food cake,
and other refreshments.

Special music will highlight the evening.
Join in the fun of singing your favorite
Christmas carols with your church family.

If you have musical talents
you would like to share that evening,
please contact the church office at 226-6660.

Please take a moment to sign in on a red fellowship pad,
located at the end of your pew.



Give with Venmo

It's safe and secure.

Find us under Charities as **@FumcClarion**
or scan the QR code.

Indicate the amount of your donation.

In "for," please tell us how you want us to use
your gift.



Scan the QR code to the left to make
an online donation to the church.

To contact the Pastor

If you would like to talk or meet with Pastor Jodie Smith,
you can contact her via

Church Office 814-226-6660 (ext. 11)

Parsonage 814-226-6662

You may also email her at **pastor@fumc-clarion.org**
or you can find more information on our church website at
www.fumc-clarion.org

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Rev. Jodie Smith, Pastor

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors.

Sunday, November 9, 2025

8:30am Traditional Worship Service

***Indicates a time to stand, if able.**

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE PRELUDE

"In the Garden"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth
with all its chartered liberties. For all the wonders of
our country's story:

People: We give you thanks, O God.

Leader: For leaders in nation and state, and for those who in
days past and in these present times have labored for
the commonwealth:

People: We give you thanks, O God.

Leader: For those who in all times and places have been true
and brave, and in the world's common ways have
lived upright lives and ministered to their fellows:

People: We give you thanks, O God.

Leader: For those who served their country in its hour of
need, and especially for those who gave even their
lives in that service:

People: We give you thanks, O God.

Leader: O almighty God and most merciful Father, as we
remember these your servants, remembering with
gratitude their courage and strength, we hold before
you those who mourn them. Look upon your
bereaved servants with your mercy. As this day
brings them memories of those they have lost awhile,
may it also bring your consolation and the assurance
that their loved ones are alive now and forever in
your living presence.

***THE HYMN**

“America the Beautiful” No. 696

Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and crowned him Lord of all.
We confess that we have not bowed before him or acknowledged his rule in our lives. We have gone along with the way of the world and failed to give him glory. Forgive us and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the world and is head of the church, his body. Amen.

“God of Our Fathers” Chancel Choir

SHARING OUR JOYS and CONCERNS BEFORE GOD

SHARING GOD'S TITHES and OUR GIFTS

“Into His Fields We Wander” Chancel Choir

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” No. 95

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

“Make Me a Channel of Your Peace” No. 2171

Matthew 6:19-21 (NRSVUE)

“Buried Treasure” Rev. Jodie Smith

"I Surrender All" No. 354

THE POSTLUDE and GOING FORTH TO SERVE



BRINGING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST AND PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

“Great Are You Lord” & “Thy Word Is a Lamp”

(Children age 4–5th grade may go to Library Time)

Matthew 6:19-21 (NRSVUE)

“Buried Treasure” Rev. Jodie Smith

“Make Me a Channel of Your Peace”

“My Story”

THE POSTLUDE and GOING FORTH TO SERVE

All dates are subject to change. Please check the website for current schedule.