

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Posted Sunday, August 16, 2026



There's a LOT buzzing around Cicero UMC this month! 🐝💛 From our Annual Rummage Sale and school supply drive to memory care, safety training, and special events, there are plenty of ways to **join in, lend a hand, and be the hands and feet of Christ in our community.**

ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE

The Rummage Sale is almost here, and we are in the final stretch!

Our donation period has **officially ended**, and we are preparing to sort, price, and organize everything for the sale.

 **NO MORE DONATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED.**

Still have something you would like to donate? **Please do not leave items at the church without checking first.** We have received a wonderful amount of donations and are running short on space.

If you have something you would still like to donate, please call the church **before bringing it in** so we can let you know whether we can accept it.

FINAL SET-UP

Saturday, August 15

 Tent Set-Up

Sunday, August 16

 Final Set-Up immediately after worship

We can still use volunteers to help **sort, price, organize, set up, work the sale, and clean up!**

Sign-up sheets are available in the Welcome Center.

SALE DAYS

Friday, August 21 | 8:00 AM–4:00 PM

Saturday, August 22 | 9:00 AM–Noon

 **Bag Sale: Saturday, 11:00 AM–Noon**

Bring your family and friends and come see what treasures you can find!

A huge **THANK YOU** to everyone who has donated, volunteered, provided meals, and helped make this year's sale possible. Your support means so much to our church and its ministries. ❤️

Donation questions or pickup arrangements:

Michael Irwin: **315-727-9483**

Deb: **315-727-0190**

CAROL'S MEMORY CARE CAFÉ

Let Your Creativity Bloom!

Join us for a fun-filled morning of **flowers, friendship, and creativity** as we create beautiful floral arrangements at our **Bloom Bar!** 🌸🌺

Afterward, enjoy a delicious **Pizza Party with friends!** 🍕

 **Wednesday, August 19**

 **10:30 AM**

 Doors open at **10:00 AM** for sign-in

 This Month's Location:

Cicero Fire Department

Please note: We are meeting here this month because our church is occupied.

Please RSVP:

Mike White: 607-423-0672

office@ciceroumchurch.org

We can't wait to spend this special morning with you creating **beautiful memories and beautiful bouquets!** 

 HELP FILL THE SCHOOL BUS!

School Supply Drive Begins August 9!

A new school year is just around the corner, and together we can help local students start the year with **confidence and the tools they need to succeed!**

The Outreach Team is collecting **new school supplies from August 9 through August 30.**

Every donation, big or small, makes a meaningful difference in the life of a child.

 MOST NEEDED ITEMS

- Pens
- Two-Pocket Folders
- Glue Sticks
- Pencils
- Composition Notebooks
- Crayons
- One-Subject Notebooks

Simply place your donated supplies in the **school bus located near the church office** by **August 30**. Whether you donate one pack of pencils or fill an entire backpack, your kindness helps equip students for a successful school year. Thank you for being the **hands and feet of Christ** by investing in the children of our community! 

 SAFE SANCTUARIES TRAINING

Need to complete or renew your Safe Sanctuaries training?

Training is required every five years.

IN-PERSON TRAINING

 **Saturday, September 19, 2026**

 **9:00 AM–12:30 PM**

 **Pennellville United Methodist Church**

389 County Route 54

Pennellville, NY 13132

Training will be with **Pastor Susan**.

To Register:

Email **Susan Ranous** at ranoussusanm@gmail.com

or **Judy Turner** at judyturner36@gmail.com

Please include your **name and email address** when registering.

MEETINGS & EVENTS

Tuesday, August 18

 **Boy Scouts / Cicero PD Bike Safety Event**

6:30–7:30 PM

Wednesday, August 19

 **Carol's Memory Care Café**

Cicero Fire Department

10:30 AM–Noon

Friday, August 21

 **Rummage Sale**

8:00 AM–4:00 PM

Saturday, August 22

 **Rummage Sale**

9:00 AM–Noon

 **Bag Sale**

11:00 AM–Noon

Sunday, August 23

 **God's Country Ramblers**

6:00 PM

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee will not meet in August.

Meetings will resume on:

 **Tuesday, September 23**

 **6:00 PM**

AROUND CICERO UMC

From sorting rummage sale treasures to filling a school bus with supplies, creating beautiful bouquets, keeping our ministries safe, and gathering together for fellowship and music, **there is always something buzzing at Cicero UMC!** Thank you to everyone who gives their **time, talents, treasures, prayers, and love** to our church and our community.

 **Keep buzzing, Cicero UMC!**
We are better together. 



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OUR VISION:
Love Grows Here

OUR MISSION:

Cicero United Methodist Church strives to provide a community of faith that is actively loving, including and serving ALL people while growing a relationship with God.

CUMC CORE VALUES:

We Believe that CUMC is an inclusive, dynamic, caring and nurturing community of believers in Jesus Christ.

We Believe that all people are loved by God, and we offer our love and acceptance to all.

We Believe in a Christ-Centered worship experience that helps us grow in our faith and demonstrate God's love to the community.

We Believe that faith is a personal journey and that we grow toward Christ through service to others, nurturing and teaching all God's children, loving each other and spreading the gospel throughout the world.