

Christian Education

Adult & Children's Christian Education - 8:30am

God Never Gives Up on You: What Jacob's Story Teaches Us About Grace, Mercy, and God's Relentless Love - Max Lucado
God's Grace Is Greater Than Your Biggest Setback (February - March 2025)

God enacts his perfect plan through imperfect people—including you and me! In this five-session Bible study, you will see how God used Jacob—the misbehaving patriarch who was strong on savvy but weak on conscience—simply because God chose to use Jacob. His story invites us to believe in a God who sticks with the unworthy until we are safely at home. God turns brokenness into blessings through his grace, mercy, and relentless love. Not just for Bible characters, but for you. God Never Gives Up on YOU.
April 6 Returning Home

Andy Stanley - What Makes You Happy: It's Not What You'd Expect

Everybody wants to be happy. Everybody is on a happiness quest. For many, happiness is measured in moments. Experiences. It's elusive. Unsustainable. What about you? What makes you happy? Not Sure? In this six-session DVD Bible study, pastor Andy Stanley examines the ways in which we tend to define *happiness* and explains how that definition influences the way we pursue it. He reveals that happiness is about *who*, not *what*, and that happy people are at peace with God, with others, and with themselves. He also shows how sin undermines peace because it separates us from God, others, and ourselves by substituting pleasure for fulfillment, things for people, images for intimacy, and self-expression for self-control.

April 13 Nothing
April 27 Plan for It
May 4 Peace with God
May 11 Happy Money
May 18 Shoes
May 25 You're Not Enough



Easter Tulips and Lilies

Orders Due to the church office: **Sunday, April 6th**

Lilies: \$10/each

Tulips (assorted colors): \$9.25/each

Order forms on the table at the rear of the sanctuary



Pub, Grub & God:

Tuesday, April 15th at 6pm

(Parma Pizza, 220 Maple Street, Manchester, PA 17345)

Naylor's Candies

Order Delivery/pick-up: Sunday, April 13th

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Fifth Sunday in Lent *The Last Supper: Risking The Loss of Friends* *April 6, 2025*



Starview United Church of Christ

"We are a Christian community that welcomes all people to grow through the love of and service to God and neighbor."

- Mission Statement of Starview UCC

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Tuesdays & Thursdays 8:00AM to 4:00PM

Webpage: www.starviewucc.org

Hours of Sunday Services: Faith Development (Sunday School) 8:30AM, Worship 9:45AM

Welcome! We rejoice at your presence today! If you are a guest, please take a moment to sign the Guest Book in the entry. If you are interested in a pastoral visit or in becoming a member of Starview UCC, please speak with an usher or greeter, or phone a Council Member (numbers listed below), the church office or Pastor Laura (numbers listed above).

2025 Starview UCC Church Council

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Thanks to the following for sharing their gifts of ministry

Music Director/Organist: Kevin Crone

Tech Team: Marta Dennis, Scott Moore, Tom Brenner

Liturgist: Grace Gichner



SPECIAL OFFERING ENVELOPES

There is a black box located on the table at the rear of the sanctuary. This is where you will find special offering envelopes like communion, love offering etc.

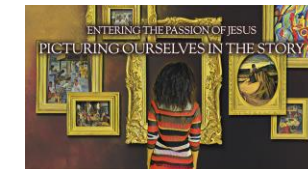
With Jesus Christ as the foundation, Starview United Church of Christ values:

- Worship
- Bible-centered preaching and teaching
- The Sacraments of Holy Communion & Baptism
- ALL people
- Tradition and purposeful change
- Spiritual Growth
- Ministries of Outreach
- Stewardship of our time, talent & treasure
- Fellowship

ON THE CALENDAR AT STARVIEW UCC THIS WEEK

TODAY, April 6, 2025	8:30 PM 9:45 AM 1PM – 6 PM	Christian Education Worship Service – Lent 5 (The Last Supper) Fellowship Hall Use Easter Flower Order Forms Due!
Tuesday, 4/8	6:30 PM	Church Council Meeting
Wednesday, 4/9	5:30-7:30 PM 6:00 PM	JAM Youth Ministry Daisy GS Troop
Thursday, 4/10	5:30 PM 6:30 PM 6:30 PM	Chimes Choir Chancel Choir Jr. GS Troop
Saturday, 4/12	12PM – 5 PM	Facility Use: Fellowship Hall
Sunday, April 13, 2025	8:30 AM 9:45 AM	Christian Education Palm Sunday Naylor Candy Delivery

LENT – “ENTERING THE PASSION OF JESUS”



The theme for Lent this year is "Entering the Passion of Jesus." In this season of Lent, we will intentionally put a "frame" around the scenes of Jesus' last week.

In looking at these "freeze-frames" of Jesus' life, we will also "frame" our own lives, in a way that we might be better able to see what really matters.

Lent 5 - April 6 at 9:45 am - The Last Supper - Risking the Loss of Friends

PALM Sunday - April 13 at 9:45 am - The Garden: Risking Temptation

Maundy Thursday - April 17 at 6 pm - In Remembrance of Me

Community Good Friday - April 18 at 2 pm - Location TBD



Easter Sunrise - April 20 at 6:30 am - Hoover Cemetery, Mt. Wolf

Easter Breakfast - April 20 at 7:30 am - Starview UCC Fellowship Hall

Easter Service with Holy Communion & Baptism - April 20 at 9 am



APRIL BIRTHDAYS!

- April 7 ~ Barry Plowman
- April 12 ~ Tom Brenner
- April 15 ~ Deb Runkle
- April 19 ~ Rebekah Wertz
- April 20 ~ Laney Seifert
- April 23 ~ Carey Wertz
- April 23 ~ Matthew Wiley
- April 26 ~ Lesley Moore
- April 26 ~ Peg Gingerich
- April 30 ~ Jessica Miller