

## UPCOMING EVENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Blood Drive scheduled for: October 15, 2021. Please consider donating.

Chicken BBQ with Eagle Fire Company: October 16<sup>th</sup>

Thanksgiving/Christmas Dinner for the Congregation: November 14<sup>th</sup> – 11am after Worship

### Adult Christian Education

Do you ever feel like Jesus couldn't possibly know what you are going through? He's the God of the universe after all! Does he really know your daily struggles? The good news is: He does.

For thirty-three years Jesus felt everything you have ever felt. Weakness. Weariness. Sadness. Rejection. His feet got tired. And his head ached. He was tempted and his strength was tested. And you know why? Because in becoming human, Jesus made it possible for us to see God. His tears, God's tears. His voice, God's voice. Want to know what matters to God? Find out what matters to Jesus. Want to know what in the world God is doing? Ponder the words and life of Jesus.

For more than three decades, pastor and bestselling author Max Lucado has shown us Jesus. In this capstone book, he takes us further on the journey to know the life and character of the Savior. This book describes both the person Jesus was on earth and how to live in a personal relationship with him and is divided into six sections:

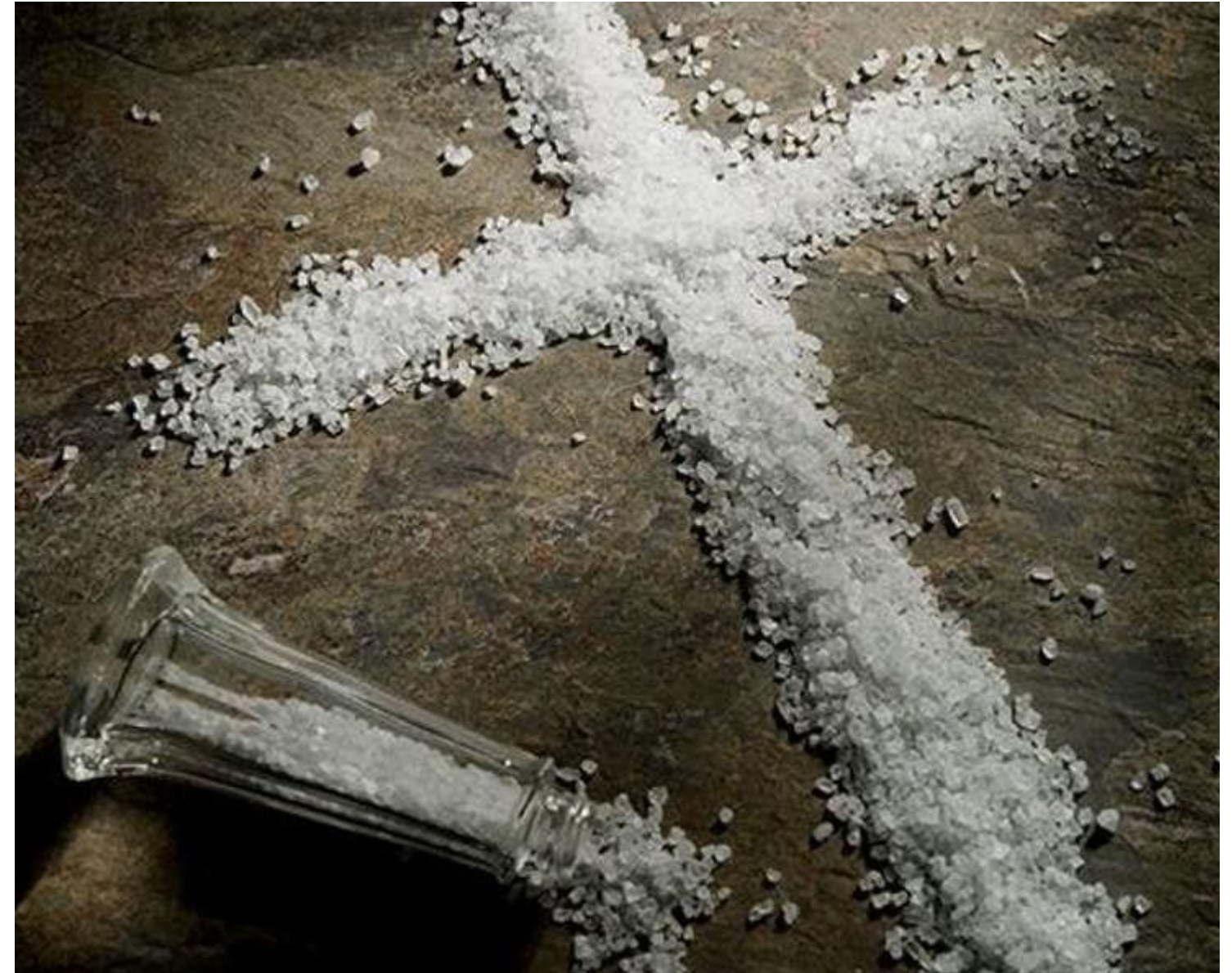
- Immanuel
- Friend
- Teacher
- Miracle Worker
- Lamb of God
- Returning King
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By exploring Jesus' life, death, and resurrection as well as specific details like how he interacted with his friends and his enemies, what he did with time alone, how he acted at a party, this compilation from Max Lucado—now with original never-before-read content from Max—gives readers the chance to become more familiar with the man at the center of the greatest story ever told.

Max writes "Don't settle for a cursory glance or a superficial understanding. Look long into the heart of Christ and you'll see it. Grace and life. Forgiveness of sin. The defeat of death. This is the hope he gives."

Jesus wants you to know him. As you read these pages, may the Hero of all history talk to you personally, and may you find in him the answer to your deepest needs.

# *Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost* *September 26, 2021*



## *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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**Hours of Services: Faith Development 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 and/or you may complete one of the salmon colored visitor forms in the pew holders. If you are interested in a pastoral visit or in becoming a member of Starview UCC, please speak with a Church Council member, an usher or greeter, or phone the church office.

**2021 Starview UCC Church Council/Officers/Committee Chairs**

<b>Ms. JoAnn Kreeger, President</b>	579-5674
Mr. Gary Berger, Vice-President	266-5600
Ms. Sara Stoll/Secretary/Missions Chair	916-3704
Ms. Cathy Rentzel, Treasurer	332-2708
Mrs. Donna Hoover, Fellowship Chair	266-2649
Mr. Scott Moore, Property Chair	586-9503
Mr. Thomas Hoover, Assistant Treasurer (non-church council)	
Ms. Carol Wagner, Worship Chair (non-church council)	332-4178

**ON THE CALENDAR AT STARVIEW UCC THIS WEEK**

<b>TODAY, September 26th</b>	8:30 AM 9:45 AM	<b>Christian Ed for all Ages Sunday Worship Service</b>
<b>Monday, 9/27</b>	All Day	Facility Kitchen Use
<b>Wednesday, 9/29</b>	10:00 AM 6:00 – 7:00 PM	Soaring Heights School Leg Up Farm Students Daisy Girl Scout Troop (Nursery)
<b>Thursday, 9/30</b>	6:00 PM 7:00 PM 6:30 PM	Chimes Rehearsal Chancel Choir Rehearsal Junior GS Troop
<b>Next Sunday, October 3rd</b>	<b>8:30 AM 9:45 AM</b>	<b>Christian Education begins Worship Service</b>

*Thank you to the Shearer family for placing the altar flowers in loving memory of Blaine Shearer.*

**The Music Department weekly rehearsals will begin on  
 Thursday, September 23, 2021 in the Sanctuary.  
 Everyone is Welcome!  
 Chimes 6:00pm - Chancel Choir 7:00pm**

*“They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.” – Acts 2:42*

In this passage, the priorities of the early church are named, with teaching and fellowship at the top of the list. My friends, the Lord has need of thee! Our young people are in need of YOU. While, I am leading a Sunday morning class for our next group of confirmation students, our other young people are hoping to gather for the purpose of continuing to grow and develop their faith through study and to fellowship. Materials and guidance and support are available. PLEASE – our young people devote their time and talent to this community of faith by serving in multiple ways – preaching, teaching, lay reading, acolyting, singing and playing in our various choirs, attending the mid-week youth program, volunteer for Servants Workcamps, serve as leaders at Vacation Bible School and the Annual Easter Egg Hunt, and serve during the Veterans Helping Hands Food Run. They even spent days in the hot sun, re-painting the lines on the church parking lot, as well as mulched and planted the beautiful geraniums you donated to decorate the church gardens. Not only does the Lord have need of you and your time and talent, our YOUNG PEOPLE NEED YOU and your support. Our young people are not only the future leaders of the church and in need of good role models and mentors, they are the church now and so need a place to learn and grow together, in a formal Sunday School (Christian Education) class. Again, the Lord has need of YOU, and YOU, and YOU. Perhaps you and another church member would like to form a youth teaching team? Please contact Devin Moyer (717-577-5323 or [moyerd@nebobcats.org](mailto:moyerd@nebobcats.org)), Vicki Donbaugh ([vdonbaugh@comcast.net](mailto:vdonbaugh@comcast.net) or 717-873-2056) or me ([starviewucc@comcast.net](mailto:starviewucc@comcast.net) or 717-855-6450) to answer what may be perhaps one of the most life changing decisions of faith you’ll ever make – for both you AND our young people! I promise – you will be blessed beyond measure as you bless our young people!- Pastor Laura

**Worship Leadership**

Lay Readers, Acolytes, Greeters, Seasonal Worship Planners to help dream and create sacred space for worship, Singers (Chancel Choir, Soloists), Chime ringers (Chime Choir), and instrumentalists (guitar, recorder, flute, trumpet, French horn, clarinet, drums, and so forth) are needed as we prepare for the Fall, Advent, and Christmas seasons. Please contact the church office ([starviewucc@comcast.net](mailto:starviewucc@comcast.net) or 717-266-4248) or me (same email or 717-855-6450), or Carol Wagner, Worship Chair ([cchjwag@aol.com](mailto:cchjwag@aol.com) or 717-332-4178) to volunteer! Thank you in advance for answering the call the Lord has placed on your heart! – Pastor Laura



**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS!!!!**

September 26 ~ Vicki Donbaugh  
 September 27 ~ Mary Arnold

**OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS!!!!**

October 3 ~ Robert Strohm  
 October 8 ~ Nevin Landis  
 October 10 ~ Laura Bair  
 October 10 ~ Robin Seifert  
 October 15 ~ Linda Hopstetter  
 October 15 ~ Jesus Lizano  
 October 16 ~ Sandra Gingerich  
 October 17 ~ Cody Santiago  
 October 18~ Tracie Shank