Welcome back to **In-Person Worship** @ Community United Methodist Church

 Before Easter we announced that we would begin in person worship outside on Pentecost. This week we sent out postcards to remind everyone and then both the CDC and our Bishop changed the guidelines. After conversation and prayer with Community UMC leadership this is how we will go forward (for now.)

Pentecost (May 23), Memorial Day (May 30) and Graduation Sunday (June 6) will all be in person OUTSIDE weather permitting. As long as we are outside masks are optional.

If weather moves us inside:

 masks are optional (however…)

 masks are *required* if you choose to sing

 those who ***are masked*** are asked to sit in the area indicated in the back

 those who ***are not masked*** are asked to sit in the area indicated toward the front

*\*A word about masks—wearing a mask is a necessity for some and a preference for others—it is not an indicator for anyone to judge. If someone is wearing a mask, assume 6’ social distancing, greet them warmly and be grateful they came.*

 During our three weeks outside, church leadership will be evaluating the possibility of moving to two services-9:00am inside and 10:30am outside.

**Please stay tuned as metrics, numbers and guidelines change often.**

**\*\*We will begin live streaming worship, posting it on our website and our app asap.**

Moving forward with hope in Christ,

Pastor Heather