

Membership 2015

We had 20 new members in 2015:

January: Melanie Ewart, Ted Henson, Ann Norman, Walter & Joyce Criner, Cary Williams (and Blaise, Blakely, and Bronson Williams).

February: Fred and Sylvia Roush

March: Sherman & Dorothy McKissock, Lynda McDowell

April: Jim, Pam, Robert, & Alyssa Park, Susan Hamarlund

August: Delmar McCoy

Welcome to all!

Becoming a member at CVUMC

Some people may think that after they have attended worship a few times they are automatically placed on the membership roll. Admittedly this is true in many churches, but here at Carson Valley UMC we don't feel that we should assume such a big commitment is made by attending worship. After all, church membership is a covenant relationship with God and with the church; it is not an insignificant thing.

While it is not insignificant, it is easy. There are a couple of ways to join. Most often, people will come to the Pastor during the closing hymn of worship. Other times people join in the privacy of the pastor's office. Here are the ways to become a member:

- If you are not already a Christian, you may place your trust in Jesus, be free from sin and enter into a covenant relationship with God and with Carson Valley UMC.
- Or, if you are already a Christian but feel the need for renewal, you may rededicate yourself to Jesus by renewal of your covenant of faith.
- Or, if you are already a Christian you may transfer your membership from any other Christian church by making a covenant with Carson Valley UMC.