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Pastor's Corner

Learn Prayer from the Rest of the Bible

Meaningful prayers are often hidden parts in the Bible where we wouldn't ordinarily look. A blind man yelled to Jesus to be healed by calling out, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" This is also a short and effective prayer. And the man teaching us probably didn't

know that Jesus was much more than the Son of David. In fact, he was probably not even allowed to learn at the temple. But he knew something important about prayer: asking for mercy touches the heart of Jesus because God is abounding in mercy and slow to anger. It was actually the disciples who seemed a little angry (maybe his voice was distracting or annoying). But Jesus was pleased to give this loud man something of incalculable value: the gift of sight.

Jesus was outside the heartland of his ministry and spending quality time with his disciples when they were rudely interrupted by another loud voice. A



Syrophenician woman found out that Jesus was in town and begged him to free her demon-possessed daughter. In some ways, she was outside the scope of the mission of Jesus, who was called to the lost sheep of Israel. But she bowed low and refused to take no for an answer; it was an unusual teacher for a lesson

on praying with persistence and faith. It was a gentile who taught the first disciples that faith-filled prayers are NEVER outside the mission of Jesus.

Nehemiah is not a popular book, but I love the way Nehemiah prays in the first chapter of this Old Testament gem. Before he asked God for anything, he wept and mourned and fasted for a few days. When it came time to pray, his heart was ready for the presence of the Lord. You have to love that because, unlike Nehemiah, we are often impatient with our prayer requests. Instead of asking God for blessings, he states who God is and what God does. He is the promise-keeping God who never stops loving. He hears prayers and forgives. The prayer is more about God than himself! Nehemiah also hates to use the word "I." He instead refers to himself as "your servant."

And instead of asking for blessings, Nehemiah confesses his own sin, his family's sin and the sin of the people of Israel. Then instead of defining them by their sins, he says God's people are actually fellow servants. Nehemiah has a way with words—prayer words. Nehemiah saves his request until the end of the prayer: he wants the mercy of God for (continued on page 5)



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PRAYER CHAIN

Begins In The Church Office

(724)843-0862

Prayer concerns for our Church Family & Friends...



General Health

Carolyn
Roberta
Karl Crossman
Linda Eiler
Debbie Evans
Joyce Henck
Elmira Hollingshead
Chris Loschinsky
Wayne Loschinsky
Sherry Luke
Donna Miller
Jack Mulik
Keith Pepper
Pat Sanchez
Tim Shane
Jenny Smith
Emily Thielman
Walt Young

Surgery & Procedures

Bill Beck
Karl Crossman
Mark Hoenig
Ron Morrison
Sue Presto
Cameron Smith

Praise

Janna Kline Eagle Scout
Answered Prayers
Those who answer the
call to serve

Mourning Loss

Ron Ashurst Family
Emily Hoover Family
John Kennedy Family
Thelma Koch Family
Jeanetta Sobinski Family

Cancer Treatments

Bernadette
Rick
Mary Beck
Lin Carpenter
Jessica Castelli
Kevin Castelli
Craig Dietrich
Valerie Dietrich
DS Deborah Killian
Heidi Lois
Kristen Russ
Mary Stantry
Kristina Webb

Missionaries

Karl & Deb Crossman
Hosanna Industries
Franz Payoute
Darlene Rimer
Skybacher Ministries

Other

Caregivers
Community
Families
First Responders
Government Leaders
Schools
Servicemen & Women
Traveling Mercies
Unspoken Needs

Extended Care

Troy & Nora Baker
Cody Boors
Carolyn Ewing
Margaret Ewing
Michelle Furguele
Mary Ann Mencher
George Pepper
Petie Petrik
Janet Pfaff
Tim Shane
Alice Short

Our Church

All Church Conference
Children & Youth
Church Family
Healing, Reconciliation & Unity
Ministries
Pastor Barry & Family

Home Touch

Joe Biddle
Bim Brightwell
Carol Bubb
Don & Nancy Deutsch
Linda Eiler
Pat Elick
George & Carol Flickinger
Sylvia Hendrickson
Elmira Hollingshead
Lee Jenkins
Thelma Miller
Dawn Mohrbacher
George Pepper
Janet Pfaff
Tim Ramsey
Amie Ritter
Rhonda Sharp
Walter & Carole Young



Names will appear on the prayer list for four consecutive weeks with the exception of the Home Touch and Extended Care lists. The Extended Care list is for those with Chronic Illnesses who may need prayer long term. From time to time, if we have not received an update on a person or if a person has been doing well, they may be removed until we are asked to put them back on with an update to their condition.

Prayer Chain

If you or anyone you know would like to be added to the prayer list or to either the telephone or email prayer chain, please contact Linda or the church office.

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(724)544-6758

Happy Birthday To You...



11/02 Marcy Kughn	11/13 Sue Presto	
11/04 ELECTION DAY	11/14 George Pepper	
11/04 Tonya Mohrbacher	11/15 Lisa Lewis	11/26 Eileen McKinney
11/04 Kelly Calve	11/17 Sherry Lewis	11/27 THANKSGIVING
11/05 Dawn Alexander	11/17 Rick Boyd	11/27 Autumn Turner
11/06 Shannon Moehrle	11/21 Michael White	11/27 Kelsey Calve
11/08 Chad Kline	11/22 Bill Castor	11/28 Denny Retzer
11/11 VETERANS' DAY	11/22 Norma Coast	11/30 Makayla Goehring
11/13 Wyatt Miller	11/24 Jackie Darrigo	11/30 Rachel Zajac
11/13 Lon Schultheis	11/25 Craig Liston	



Happy Anniversary

11/11	Terry & Tiffani Keil
11/20	Wayne & Regina Boyd
11/21	George & Carol Flickinger
11/25	Phil & Chris Ziter



We enjoy being able to share your special dates.

Please, if we overlook you or someone you know, let us know so that we can add the special date to our records.

Please hold all these special people in prayer this month.

NOVEMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov 1	Community Breakfast
Nov 2	All Saints Sunday Worship, Sunday School, Kids' Club Youth Group, Harvest Home Collection
Nov 4	Election Day, Sewing Ladies, UWF Soup & Sub Sale
Nov 5	Adult Bible Study, All Church Conference
Nov 6	Choir Practice, Adult Bible Study
Nov 9	Sunday Worship, Sunday School, Family Service Night Harvest Home Collection
Nov 11	Veterans' Day, Sewing Ladies
Nov 12	Adult Bible Study, Red Cross Blood Drive
Nov 13	Choir Practice, Adult Bible Study
Nov 16	Sunday Worship, Sunday School, Youth Group, Kids' Club
Nov 18	Sewing Ladies, Food Pantry
Nov 19	Adult Bible Study
Nov 20	Choir Practice, Adult Bible Study
Nov 23	Sunday Worship, Sunday School, Youth Group, Kids' Club Hanging of the Greens
Nov 24	Newsletter Deadline
Nov 25	Sewing Ladies
Nov 26	Thanksgiving Eve Worship @ Oak Grove
Nov 27	Thanksgiving
Nov 28	Skybacher "Good Stuff" Volleyball Tourney at Unionville
Nov 30	First Sunday of Advent Worship, Sunday School, Kids' Club Youth Group

Please hold all our events in your prayers.

 **Mark
Your
Calendars**

Looking Ahead

Dec 6	Community Breakfast
Dec 7	Santa Breakfast
Dec 8	UWF Christmas Party
Dec 13	Youth Group Lock-in
Dec 13	Pancake Breakfast Charity Fundraiser
Dec 14	Family Service Night
Dec 16	Food Pantry
Dec 21	Unionville's Got Talent
Dec 24	Christmas Eve Worship

This Calendar of Events is complete as of the newsletter writing, however dates may be added.

Keep an eye on the weekly bulletin announcements for additions.

PASTOR'S CORNER*Pastor Barry*

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his upcoming conversation with his boss, who happens to be King Artaxerxes. God always has mercy, and his request is answered.

It was a short prayer, and God delivered a giant answer. Not only did Nehemiah receive God's mercy for his request from the king, he also received a vision from God to rebuild the broken and burned out gates of Jerusalem. God placed a vision in Nehemiah's heart to rebuild the walls of the city where God had placed his name. It was Solomon who built a temple in Jerusalem, but it was God who placed his name there forever. Nehemiah was unstoppable; he traveled a long way to Jerusalem on a mission from God. His confidence, just like his prayer, was all based on God.

At Unionville Church this month, we will learn more about Nehemiah's mission to Jerusalem. The story has action and some surprising truths about facing intimidation and fear. And the adventure all started with a heartbroken, exiled man on his knees, asking God for mercy.



In every season I will
praise Him!

**SPPRC***Paula Boyd*

October was "Pastor Appreciation Month". I hope you took some time to give Pastor a hand shake, hug or pulled him aside to tell him what a great job he is doing! We were collecting for Pastor Barry to show our appreciation for him, and we will make a presentation some time in November for Pastor Barry & Nikki!

Pastor Barry, I can't tell you how many people have come up to me, to tell me what a good job you are doing. They love your enthusiasm, prayers and your sermons! This does my heart good as chair of SPRC. That is what we like to hear! So in this season of "Thanksgiving" we are "Thankful" that you were prayerfully picked for our church. Prayer is your current sermon topic, so how fitting!!

Pastor Barry had a staff meeting with Linda/Secretary, Barb/Organist & Patty/Finance. Our janitor/Valerie was unable to attend. It was very casual but he wanted to get to know them better and to let them know they are appreciated. He also wanted them to feel like they can always come to him for any needs as well as to SPRC. Cinnamon rolls, chocolate milk and coffee were on the menu!! He spoke of big things coming to this church and he hoped they would all be ready to serve!! He had a nice prayer over them.

If anyone should have a need that is not being fulfilled, please come to SPRC first and let's see what we can do if we work together. That is what our committee is all about. We have some great people on SPRC that are committed to this Congregation!!

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

Linda Eiler

I would like to send a big thank you out to all those who helped decorate, prepare food, provided music, modeled and attended the All Daughter's Luncheon. Everyone seemed to have fun.

Reminder that pick-up for soup/sub sale is Tuesday, Nov 4th. 11am-6p.m. We did order extras so if you're feeling hungry when you stop to vote, come see us.

The next meeting of UWF will be Monday, Dec. 8th. for our covered dish Christmas party. We would love to see you there.



**Sport coat &
Corduroy Pants**



**Bare dress &
Bell Bottoms**



Baggy Pants



**10 Carat Necklace,
Boa & Loafers**



**Halter Top &
Stirrup Pants**



**Turtle Neck &
Pin Striped Pants**



Blazer



Checkered Pants

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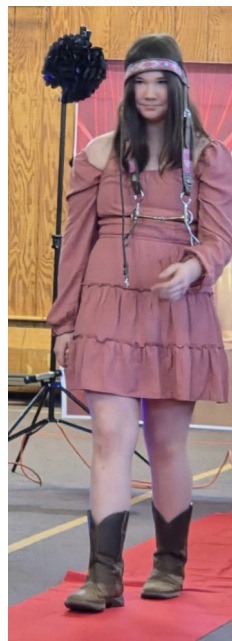
Linda Eiler



**Cardigan,
Cotton Pants &
Penny Loafers**



Evening Dress



Bridal Dress



**T-Shirt &
Bell Bottoms**

Thank you



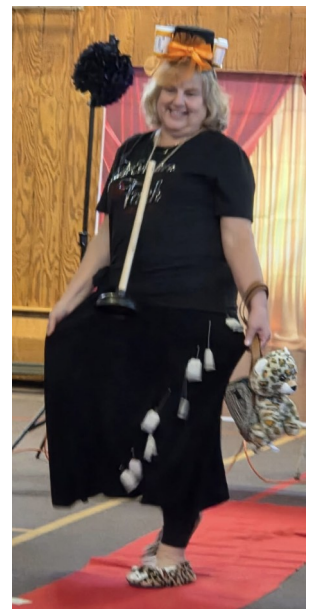
Dinner Jacket



**April is a smarty
pants**



**Armor of God
Belt of Truth
Shield of Faith
Helmet of Salvation
Breastplate of Righteousness
Shoes of the Gospel of Peace**



**Pill Box Hat
Plunging Neckline
Tea Length Skirt
Leopard Shoes
Leopard Purse**

SEWING/QUILTING GROUP**Tuesdays 10:00 am—noon**

All are welcome whether or not you sew or quilt.

Great time of fellowship!



The ladies will be collecting your leftover Trick-or-Treat candy during the month of November to fill Christmas stockings they've sewn for the Mental Health

**THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP**

& PIE SOCIAL with Oak Grove Church

At Oak Grove Church

Wednesday, November 26th

@7:00 pm



Come and give thanks, then join us for pie and fellowship!

UNIONVILLE'S GOT TALENT**"Unionville's Got Talent" Christmas talent show will be held December 21, 2025 at 6 pm.***Please see Robin Beige if you would like to participate.*

This is an intergenerational event!! All are welcome!
Dust off those instruments, vocal cords or tap shoes
and join us for a night of worship and God given talents!!!!

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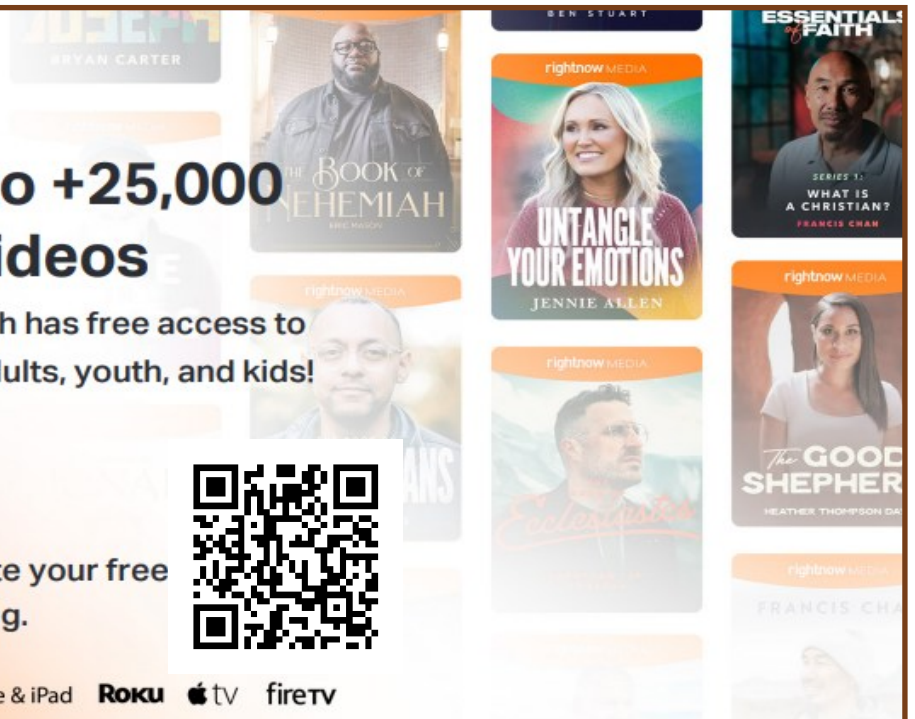
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FINANCE - GENERAL FUND 2025

MONTH		INCOME		EXPENSES		SURPLUS/DEFICIT
JANUARY		\$ 13,201.93		\$ 13,574.56		\$ (372.63)
FEBRUARY		\$ 12,947.92		\$ 14,315.35		\$ (1,367.43)
MARCH	*	\$ 24,336.57		\$ 15,377.65		\$ 8,958.92
APRIL	*	\$ 22,947.29		\$ 15,935.37		\$ 7,011.92
MAY		\$ 15,087.02		\$ 17,712.62		\$ (2,625.60)
JUNE		\$ 15,350.67		\$ 20,826.69		\$ (5,476.02)
JULY		\$ 15,127.00		\$ 15,125.92		\$ 1.08
AUGUST		\$ 21,193.15		\$ 25,054.77		\$ (3,861.62)
SEPTEMBER		\$ 12,899.30		\$ 12,020.30		\$ 879.00
OCTOBER						
NOVEMBER						
DECEMBER						
YEAR TO DATE		\$ 153,090.85		\$ 149,943.23		\$ 3,147.62

This chart provides a look at our 2025 General Fund, monthly income and expenses

Figures in parenthesis are negative

Figures do not include in-church transfers

Months marked with *includes fish fry income and expenses

The checking account balance as of 09/30/2025 is \$67,326.14

If you have questions about the finances of the church, please see Judy Cantner, Finance Chair



ALL CHURCH CONFERENCE

Wednesday, November 5th @7pm

Please join us in the Sanctuary on November 5th as we come together to discuss, ask questions and vote on the business of the church. This is an all church event and everyone is encouraged to attend.

EAGLE SCOUT*Janna Kline*

Congratulations Janna!!
Janna is officially an Eagle Scout!
She is Troop 9444's first Eagle!

**Unionville is blessed
to be the recipient of
all her hard work!**
Thank you!

**YECK'S FARM & HAYRIDE**

41 of us gathered at Yeck's Farm on Sunday, October 26th for fun, food, fellowship and a hayride! As always we had an amazing time! It is always great to get together and grow as a community.



KIDS' CLUB*Linda Miller*

He called a little child to him, and placed the child among them. And he said: "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. And whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me. ~Matthew 18:2-5

In an article titled "7 Ways to Influence Children" author Ray Johnston says "The longest but surest way to grow a church is to invest in the small members who will one day become big members." He goes on to say, "Any kid will do great if you give them two things: a warm welcome and an adult who's crazy about them."

We have had 7 children consistently attending Kids' Club and we are so blessed to have each one of them! I hope that at a minimum they feel welcome at Unionville and know without a doubt that we are crazy about them!

Each week finds us learning about some basics such as faith, obedience and forgiveness. We begin our evening in the Family Life Center with games that teach the lesson for the evening. So far this year we have 6 boys ranging from pre-K to 4th grade and 1 little 4 year old girl who can hold her own with the boys. Can you guess who that may be?! It is so neat to see these boys watch over, help and include Sloane in everything they do. Did I mention we are blessed?

Next we head upstairs to the Conference Room where we watch an episode of "THEO" available through Right Now Media. "Each lesson focuses on a spiritual topic that both entertains and teaches children about key aspects in the Christian faith." We then round out our evening with a craft/activity that cements the lesson for the kids.

The last week of October found us at Yeck's Farm, 41 of us to be exact! We had a wonderful time as always! I was especially excited to talk with some of the parents and to learn that the kids are really enjoying Kids' Club. We also talked about the kids inviting their friends to attend! What a blessing!!

That same Sunday morning during worship we presented bibles to our second graders and to some kids we missed through the years and to our Kids' Club kids 2nd—4th grade who didn't have bibles. We gave bibles to 7 kids. Pastor Barry in his presentation lead the kids to open their bibles to Psalm 119:11 in answer to the question, "Where do you keep your bible?". Pray with me that indeed these bibles will be used to encourage and grow the faith of these children and that indeed they will one day be "big members" able to answer the question with...

I have hidden your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you.

Psalm 119:11



YOUTH GROUP

Wendy Kline & Tiffani Keil

We have been enjoying our new room and it's comfort! The youth would like to thank the congregation for the candy donations used for the township trick-or-treat trail. This year

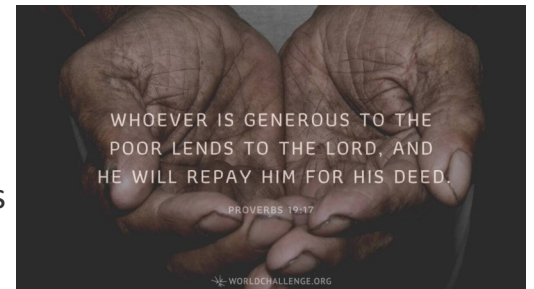


marks the 5th year we have participated in this community event. The youth put candy and a church flyer into bags to be distributed. The flyer included information about youth group, kids club, and church service time, inviting all to join us Sunday mornings and evenings. Romans 12:16

tells us to live in harmony with one another. There were so many kids in costumes living their best life that evening, one after another in harmony as they would say "trick-or-treat" and "thank you". It is a heartwarming experience to see how happy all 900ish kids are as they walk around in the cold filling their bags with sugar.



Our next mission activity will be Samaritan's Purse: Operation Christmas Child. The youth will be filling at least 10 boxes full of items suggested by the organization as well as providing the shipping costs for every box we fill. If you are called to send in any items, due date is Nov 16th by the start of youth group at 6:30pm. We will be filling the boxes that evening.



We are continuing the lesson series, "The Path: What if the way to Jesus is different than you thought." The first lesson was called "The City: What are you searching for?". This lesson was based on Ecclesiastes 2, King Solomon had everything he wanted, money, palaces, slaves, animals, and so much more. Yet he was still not satisfied, everything he had meant nothing.

The lesson is about a young career woman seeking to be the best at her job, to earn the most keys that will open doors to things she thought she would be happy with. After each additional key, she still wasn't happy. She wanted more and more, but to what end? She realized what she was seeking was Jesus even though she didn't know it until she actually found Him.

Lesson 2: "The Leap: What if it wasn't all on you"? This lesson was based on Romans 5:6-11. Where would we all be if it wasn't for Jesus and his sacrifice for us? God sent his Son, Jesus, to save us all from our sins, there is no greater love than that. We all seek a relationship with Christ, we all have a different relationship with Him. When did you take the leap to trust in God? Was it a difficult choice or did you go willingly? The young woman in our lesson walked with Jesus for a short time, listening and learning. When she was ready, she took Jesus' hand and they leaped together.

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YOUTH GROUP*Wendy Kline & Tiffani Keil*

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Lesson 3: "The Table: What if you already are who you wish you were"? This lesson provides a list of verses to tell us who we are once we decide to follow Jesus. Follow along with the youth as they follow Jesus.

I am a child of God. John 1:12

I am Jesus' friend. John 15:15

I am loved by God as much as Jesus is. John 17:23, 26

I am beloved. Romans 9:25

I am chosen. Colossians 3:12

I am a saint. 1 Corinthians 1:2, Ephesians 1:1

I am righteous. 2 Corinthians 5:21

I am holy and blameless. Ephesians 1:4

I am complete in Christ. Colossians 2: 9–10

I am free from condemnation. Romans 8:1

I cannot be separated from God's love. Romans 8:38–39

I am being refined by God. Philippians 1:6

I have everlasting life. John 5:21

I am God's temple. 1 Corinthians 3:16

I am a new creation. 2 Corinthians 5:17

I have been adopted as God's child. Ephesians 1:5-6

I am God's masterpiece. Ephesians 2:10

The young lady in the lesson took the leap with Jesus and she was greeted with God, the Father. She landed in God's kingdom of grace and left her world of sin behind. The other followers were thrilled to see her. Aren't we thrilled when we meet someone who has recently accepted Jesus into their heart? We are all children of God, we are all loved, we all belong, we all have everlasting life in the Kingdom of God. From the praise of Pastor Barry, can all God's children say a very loud AMEN?





Girl Shoebox Gift Suggestions

A gift-filled shoebox can be the first present a child ever receives, so it is important to uniquely pack each gift and make it **FUN, FULL, and PERSONALIZED**—praying for the child and adding a photo and personal note.

A "WOW" ITEM

- Small backpack or purse
- Doll
- Soccer ball and pump
- Stuffed animal
- Jewelry making or hobby kit
- Large toy



PERSONAL CARE ITEMS

- Toothbrush
- Washcloth
- Comb and brush
- Nail clipper and file
- Water bottle
- Flashlight



SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- Pencils, sharpener, and erasers
- Pencil container
- Pens
- Crayons
- Colored pencils
- Markers
- Notebooks
- Index cards
- Calculator
- Scissors
- Ruler
- Glue stick
- Small adhesive tape
- Drawstring bag



CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES

- Flip-flops or shoes
- Sunglasses
- Hat
- Wristwatch
- Costume jewelry
- Hair accessories
- Clothing and undergarments
- Winter cap, scarf, and mittens



GAMES & ACTIVITIES

- Puzzles
- Coloring books or pads
- Dry watercolor set
- Binoculars and compass
- Musical instruments
- Chalkboard and chalk
- Jump rope
- Stickers
- Games



TOYS

- Small ball
- Building blocks or LEGO® sets
- Slinky® or yo-yo
- Plastic animals
- Magnets
- Finger puppets
- Interactive toys
- Other small toys and figures



DO NOT INCLUDE

- Soap
- Food, candy, or gum
- Toothpaste
- Used or damaged items
- Scary or war-related items
- Wearable traditional camouflage
- Seeds or organic matter
- Liquids
- Medication
- Money
- Breakable items
- Matches, fire starters, or aerosols
- Knives, saws, or razor blades

Wondering if an item will fit in an Operation Christmas Child preprinted shoebox?

Cardboard dimensions: 12 x 7 x 4.38 inches

Plastic dimensions: 13 x 7.5 x 4.7 inches

For more shoebox packing suggestions, the latest resources, and Follow Your Box labels, visit samaritanaspurse.org/occ

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- Soccer ball and pump
- Stuffed animal
- Hobby kit
- Large toy truck or car
- Other large toy



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- Water bottle
- Flashlight



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UUMC Youth Group

Homemade Cookie Fundraiser

2 dozen assortment box—\$12 each

Orders due by December 7th

Pick up on December 21st



Order forms will be available in the bulletin during the month of November

Please give orders to Wendy Kline 412-760-4444



FAMILY SERVICE NIGHT

Ready Yourself Youth Ranch
162 Meehan Lane, New Brighton

Sunday, November 12th from 1-3pm

November's Family Service Night will actually be a daytime event!

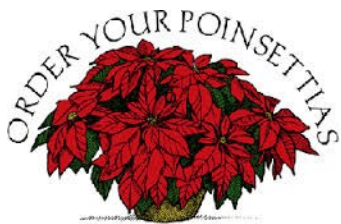
We will have a light lunch after Sunday School before departing for the ranch, where we will be helping with ranch chores and checking out the horses!

This is always a fun event for children and adults alike!

Signed waivers have to be presented for each volunteer attending.

See Linda Miller or Sharon Miller to pick up a waiver.

December's Family Service Night will be December 14th—Christmas Caroling at Brighton Rehab



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

Don't you love seeing the chancel decorated with poinsettias on Christmas Eve?

The time is drawing near when we must place our order for Christmas Poinsettias.

To place your order in memory or in honor of loved ones, please complete an order form that can be found in the Sunday bulletin and place with payment - in the offering plate or church office.

Each 6" plant is \$ 9.00.

Orders with payment must be received by December 7th.

Poinsettias may be picked up following the Christmas Eve Service.

JOIN US FOR



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD
Following Worship



Sunday, December 7th following Worship

ADVENT

The season of advent will soon be upon us starting November 30th. Please plan to be with us each Sunday as together we watch and wait for the Christ Child.



Hard to believe it's that time of year again when you're help is needed to shovel snow on our walkways!

Please sign up in the narthex.

UNIONVILLE CHRISTMAS CARD POST OFFICE

Will be open November 30th through December 28th. The purpose of the post office is to deliver cards to your Unionville Church Family, saving you postage. You may want To consider giving part or all of your savings as an extra offering.

Please only leave cards to those families or persons who are currently attending. Families are responsible for picking up their cards by January 1st.

Please do not leave cards for our Hometouch Friends, these cards must be mailed through normal postal service.



COMPASSIONATE MINISTRIES*Paula Boyd*

We are currently collecting food for Harvest Home! Please bring in food items (list on website) and place them on the tables in the front of the church. Don't forget to give someone who is less fortunate than you, a "Blessed Thanksgiving".

We will be adding gift cards to their groceries this month, along with some additional handouts from other churches and organizations. We are "Blessed" by our neighbors; we could not do this without them.

Since this is a season of being "Thankful" I would be remiss if I didn't say that we are very fortunate to have Debbie & Mike Catalano who do so much behind the scenes for the pantry. They do all the shopping and put it away. Sometimes they must do more than one run and their car is always loaded to the hilt!! Debbie is diligent on making sure our food does not expire. She is always rotating and putting out food that is near it's date. They also take food to other shelters if we get food that is not on our list. They are there to give out food for people who missed their date and who come on Sundays after Church to pick up!! She is always updating our lists and making sure we are on top of things. They fill orders early so that we are not overloaded on Monday before Pantry. Mike puts out the food on Mondays for us and always makes sure we have bags ready to fill. Please make sure you look up Debbie & Mike on Sunday and thank them for all they do!

Next we are very "Thankful" for our person who puts compassion in Compassionate Ministries, Jo Shane. Jo knows all our Pantry people. They come in to give her a hug, in some cases a kiss or just to talk. If we have any questions, she is there to give us advice. She is the reason we receive the funding we do! Though we will never measure up to Jo, we are grateful for her wisdom and guidance!

If you have some time to give to our Pantry, it would be much appreciated. We fill orders the third Monday of each month and we could use some men to help distribute the food on the third Tuesday of each month!!

MAY YOU ALL HAVE A BLESSED THANKSGIVING! MAY YOUR HEARTS & YOUR TABLE BE FULL!!!

Do you have a neighbor, friend, or family member who is having financial difficulties?

**Food Pantry Distribution****November 18th & December 16th****4:30—6:00 PM****Questions? Call the Church Office****@724-843-0862****Current Food Pantry needs can be found on
Unionville's Website @ unionville.church**

HOME TOUCH

Joe Biddle

902 Eighth Avenue
Freedom, PA 15042

Bim & Deb Brightwell

1290 Route 68
Rochester, PA 15074

Don & Nancy Deutsch

535 Lincoln Blvd
Freedom, PA 15042

Linda Eiler

125 Pflug Road
New Brighton, PA 15066

Pat Elick

1310 Route 68
Rochester, PA 15074

George & Carol Flickinger

1252 Route 989
Rochester, PA 15074

Sylvia Hendrickson

10 Adams Ridge Blvd. Rm A-8
Mars, PA 16046

Elmira Hollingshead

1013 Stockton Ridge
Cranberry Twp., PA 16066

Lee Jenkins

1080 Robinson Street
Freedom, PA 15042

Thelma Miller

1281 Route 68
Rochester, PA 15074

Janet Pfaff

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Blue Ridge Apt 2014
Zelienople, PA 16063

George Pfeffer

114 Lyons Lane
Harmony, PA 16037

Tim Ramsey

724 Druschel Road
New Brighton, PA 15066

Duane Rape

130 Harkins Mill Road
Rochester, PA 15074

Amie Ritter

141 R Harold Street
New Brighton, PA 15066

Rhonda Sharp

951 Route 68
New Brighton, PA 15066

Walter & Carole Young

512 Allola Drive
New Brighton, PA 15066



***Please take a moment to remember our
Home Touch Friends
With a note, card, phone call and especially a prayer.***

***If you know of someone who should be
added to our Home Touch Friend List,
Please contact the church office.***

***If you would like a visit from our Home Touch Team or
Pastor, please notify the church office.***

Community Breakfast
Saturday, November 1st & December 6th!
8:00—10:00 am

**Please come and lend a hand; come and eat;
 invite your friends & neighbors!**

An all-you-care-to-eat buffet for only \$12.00!

**The proceeds from these meals help fund
 various ministries throughout the year.**



**Meet
 for
 Breakfast**

**FAMILY LIFE CENTER
 RENTALS**

**We are currently taking
 Rental reservations.**

Call the Church Office

At (724)843-0862

Join us for Sunday Worship

**In our Sanctuary @9:30 am
 or virtually. via**

Our YouTube channel.

**Pastor Barry is available in his office
 to meet with you. Stop in and see him.**

Tuesdays: Noon—3:30PM

Thursday: Noon—3:30PM

Saturdays: Noon—3:30PM

Additional hours available by appointment.

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