

November 8th, 2026

Welcome! We are happy you are joining us this morning and want to extend a heartfelt welcome! Please help us connect with you by filling out a connect card and placing it in the offering plate. We are honored you have chosen to worship with us.

****IMPORTANT NOTICE!!****
The Women of Faith Sunday School class will begin meeting in the ***Church Library at 10:40 a.m.*** *beginning TODAY!!* This is the class formerly led by our dear Donna Karr and now by Peggy Brewer (a less-than-perfect substitute!). We began meeting on Zoom only during COVID and are now ready to meet in person! We are using the NIV Standard Lesson Commentary (large print version!). **All women are welcome!**

October WNL Menus | Hope to see you there!
* November 11 – Lasagna/Spinach Lasagna, Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Cookies
* November 18 – Ham, Sweet Potato Casserole, Green Bean Casserole, Boston Crème Pie
* November 25 – No dinner or classes! Happy Thanksgiving!

Men's Ministry Luncheon | TODAY!!!
Join our Men's Ministry for a luncheon of Soup Beans & Cornbread after 1st Service in the Fellowship Hall. You can eat in or take some home to enjoy later (**OR BOTH!!**). Proceeds will go to fund Walmart Gift Cards that will be distributed to the local Kentucky National Guard reservists for Christmas.

Youth Fall Retreat | November 13-14 at Aldersgate
All youth are invited to attend. This is a combined retreat with other local UM churches. The cost per youth is $50. If you need a scholarship or if you would like to donate to the retreat scholarship fund, please talk to Amanda Bonner.

Unity Sunday & Student Sabbath | November 15th

Join us for our Student-led service at 10am in the Multi-Ministry Center (MMC). Our students will bring you a message, share their hearts and join in with our music team to enrich our service. Also during this service, we will present our 3rd grade students with a special bible and also welcome our confirmands as full members of the church. This will be a unity service with a pot luck lunch after. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Youth Famsgiving | November 25th

Calling all youth, youth counselors, prior youth, prior youth counselors and anyone else that has loved on our youth group over the years! We will celebrate together in the Fellowship Hall with a "breakfast for dinner" meal. Our youth will be in charge of the cooking! Come, taste and see that it is good!

Christmas Retreat at Aldersgate | December 4-6

Get ready for a festive weekend at camp! Aldersgate and Adventure UMC are teaming up for a Christmas retreat filled with fellowship, crafts and holiday cheer. Participants will help decorate camp for the season and enjoy the beauty of winter at Aldersgate.

Other Upcoming Events!

- Hanging of the Greens – November 29th during both services
- Richmond Christmas Parade (Music, Cider & Popcorn at the Columns) – December 4th
- United Women in Faith Christmas Tea – December 5th
- FUMC Staff Christmas Lunch, Papa Lenos in Berea
- Youth Progressive Dinner – December 9th
- Ugly Sweater Contest – December 13th. Everyone is invited to participate in our Annual Sweater Contest during our Thrive Service.
- Gingerbread Bash – December 16th. All families are invited to create your own Nativity and enjoy yummy fun!
- Youth Group Lock-in – December 18th – 19th.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS	
Eric Muncie	1-Nov
Eric Espada	2-Nov
Susan Gardner	3-Nov
Mark Morrow	3-Nov
Jeff Cain	4-Nov
Andrew Stewart	4-Nov
Charlene Stone	5-Nov
Kaili Whitehouse	5-Nov
Peggy Coe	8-Nov
John Ferguson	9-Nov
Callum Tait	11-Nov
Gary Yerace	12-Nov
Pam Rye	13-Nov
Thea Shearer	15-Nov
Bobby Barton	17-Nov
Shannon Ackerman	19-Nov
Lynda Park	20-Nov
Joel Babbitt	21-Nov
Susan Shearer	28-Nov
April Cain	28-Nov
David Wills	29-Nov

****We will also celebrate our November birthdays after the Unity Service on Nov 15th****