

### PRAYER REQUESTS

We ask continued prayers for:

- All those continuing treatment for cancer and other illnesses.
- Walter Young for healing of reoccurring bronchitis.
- Carole Young for strength and determination in rehab.
- Rick Johnston as he continues his stroke recovery at home.
- Dave Wilson as he recovers from a fall and awaits a second surgery.
- Jenny Smith as she awaits a treatment plan for vertigo.
- The Fran Boyde Family.
- Tanner Dietrich Family in their immense grief.
- All those affected by the hurricanes, tornadoes, flooding & wildfires.
- *Christian Education Team -We are continuing with “stand in the gap” leadership but still in need of Kids’ Club leadership.*
- For those suffering mental anguish and illnesses.
- At risk individuals and their caregivers.
- Those struggling in times of uncertainty.
- Unspoken Requests
- Praise for Answered Prayers
- Pastor Alan, Lois & Family
- Our Church and the way forward. Unionville Church Conference
- Our Church finances.
- Our Church Leadership.
- Our Home Touch Friends
- Our children and youth to be established in their faith.
- Our Church Ministries and leadership.
- Our Church Family—*check in on someone you haven’t seen in awhile; pray through the church directory*
- Our Community and Neighbors
- First Responders and those serving in the military.
- Our Country, political leaders and elections.

### THIS WEEK AT UNIONVILLE

Today	10/27	9:30 am 10:45 am 6:30 pm—8:00 pm 6:30 pm—8:00 pm	All Saints Sunday Worship Sunday School Kids’ Club Youth Group
Monday	10/28	7:00 pm	Nominations Committee
Tuesday	10/29	10:00 am noon	Sewing Newsletter Mailing
Wednesday	10/30	10:30 am	Adult Bible Study
Thursday	10/31		
Friday	11/01		Breakfast Set-up
Saturday	11/02	8:00 am—10:00 am	Community Breakfast
Sunday	11/03	9:30 am 10:45 am 6:30 pm—8:00 pm 6:30 pm—8:00 pm 6:30 pm—8:00 pm	Worship Sunday School Kids’ Club Youth Group Time, Talent & Treasure

### Sunday School Following Worship

Adults will meet in either  
Classroom 5 for a study of 1 & 2 Thessalonians  
Or in the Sanctuary for “100 Day Bible Challenge”  
Children and Youth will gather in the Conference Room for snack  
before splitting into classrooms.

### ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday @10:30 AM

Assisting in Worship	Acolytes	Children's Church
Oct 27	April Beige	Kelli Currey Holly LeFebvre
Nov 3	Brian Beige April Beige	Linda Miller Christy Lawrence
Nov 10	Jordyn Moehrle	Lori Calve Terry Ewing

### Save these Dates

<b>Tuesdays</b>	<b>Sewing Ladies</b>
<b>TODAY</b>	<b>Kids' Club, Youth Group,</b>
<b>Oct 28</b>	<b>Nominations Committee Meeting</b>
<b>Oct 30</b>	<b>AM Adult Bible Study</b>
<b>Nov 3</b>	<b>Daylight Savings Ends</b>
<b>Nov 3</b>	<b>All Saints Sunday</b>
<b>Nov 5</b>	<b>Election Day</b>
<b>Nov 7</b>	<b>Choir Practice, PM Adult Bible Study</b>
<b>Nov 10</b>	<b>Congregational Meeting</b> <b>Grief Share—Surviving the Holidays</b> <b>Family Service Night—Communicycle</b>
<b>Nov 11</b>	<b>Veterans' Day</b>
<b>Nov 13</b>	<b>Blood Drive</b>
<b>Nov 14</b>	<b>Choir Practice, PM Adult Bible Study</b>
<b>Nov 17</b>	<b>Secret Pal Reveal Party</b>
<b>Nov 19</b>	<b>Food Pantry</b>
<b>Nov 24</b>	<b>Hanging of the Greens</b>
<b>Nov 26</b>	<b>All Church Conference</b>
<b>Nov 27</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Eve Worship</b>
<b>Nov 28</b>	<b>Thanksgiving</b>

**JOIN US FOR  
Kids' Club and Youth Group  
Sunday, October 27th @ 6:30—8:00 pm**

*(We are still in need of regular leadership for Kids' Club)*

**There will be no:  
Time, Talent & Treasure tonight  
Choir or Adult Bible Study on Thursday**

Please mark your calendar for -

**Secret Pal Reveal Party**

**November 17th**

**Noon-1pm**

**FLC at Unionville UMC**

Pizza lunch and juice boxes will be served for all Pals and parents.

### **Grief Share**

*Surviving the Holidays*

**Burry's Church**

Sunday, November 10 @1:00 pm

Register online at [griefshare.org](http://griefshare.org)



**Join us Sunday, November 10th  
6:00-8pm for  
Family Service Night**

**This is an ALL Church Event  
We will be volunteering at**



***Communicycle uses bikes to bring people and like-minded community organizations together, in order to maximize the opportunity for real and lasting change in both individual's lives and entire communities. In everything we do – the bikes are the vehicle we use to make connections between people.***

**We will be working on Kids' bikes,  
getting them ready for new owners.  
There are jobs for everyone from bike cleaning  
and repair to pumping up inner tubes  
or sorting parts.**

***Please plan to be there and bring along a friend.  
We will meet at Communicycle.***

**Annual Unionville Church Conference  
Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM  
In the Sanctuary**

**All Professing Members have voice and vote.**

It is easy to overlook the annual meeting as simply routine. It is the place where reports are received, certified lay servants are approved, the pastor's salary is set, the lay leadership is elected, and a variety of reports are received.

We will be seeking approval for our wedding policy that has already stated (since at least 2015) that we believe marriage is between one man and one woman but now adds that our facilities and property shall only host weddings between one man and one woman.

The Administrative Council has discussed and will survey those attending a congregational meeting following worship on Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup> for the express purpose of surveying to see if there is a consensus to carry forward two motions to be voted on at Charge Conference:

- \* The first motion would be to change our church name to "Unionville Church", removing United Methodist from our legal name.
- \* The second motion would be to no longer use the cross and flame symbol as a part of our identity.

While legally at this time, we are unable to leave The United Methodist Church, this would be an expression of our protest of the decisions that have been made by the denomination this past April. This will be a two-step process, first seeking consensus to move forward from the congregational meeting on November 10<sup>th</sup> and then a vote at the Church Conference on November 26<sup>th</sup>.