



# ANNOUNCEMENTS November 12, 2017

## Calendar Events

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

**Newcomers Lunch**-Are you new to First United Methodist Church? We would like to invite you to our Newcomers Lunch directly after the 11am services. This is an opportunity to share food & fellowship so that we can welcome you & get to know each other. Children are invited. Contact Karen, 765-497-2772/ [karenhull@fumcw.org](mailto:karenhull@fumcw.org) if interested.  
**Sunday Sisters** meet at 12:30pm on Nov 12 at 9 Irish Brothers, Laf.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

**Family Promise Training Session** from 5:45pm-7:30pm at 525 N. 4th Street (the LUM shelter building conference room). Please RSVP Laurie Mann at [fpglvo@hotmail.com](mailto:fpglvo@hotmail.com) or at 765-838-3651. Find out more about this awesome ministry! Questions? Contact Heidi at [hewarner@hotmail.com](mailto:hewarner@hotmail.com)

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

**UMW (United Methodist Women) Fall Harvest Meeting** from 6:45 to 8:00pm. Look at the posters for details, no reservations needed, an evening of sisterhood, honoring the "Woman of the Year," remembering women of our church who have pasted since last year's fall meeting, listening to an interesting program.

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

**MOPs Selling Handmade Christmas Items.** MOPs has a mission from Sun, Nov. 26 thru Sun., Dec. 17 to sell their handmade Christmas items so that they can present an offering for our missions with children of Klondike Elementary & the children of LUM Jubilee Christmas. Purchases will be a free will offering. The ladies have been very busy & have been crafting since the first of October. We appreciate your support & look forward to sharing our mission with our church family. In His Light. In His Love, Diane Morrison, Ronda Kroeschen, Neil McTavish, & Lynne Griffin.  
**Rev. Dan Gangler to Speak at an All-Church Luncheon.** Dan is a former communication officer of the Indiana United Methodist Conference & will speak about the UMC's official stance that "homosexuality is incompatible with Christian teaching," & how it may impact us. Join us at First Church for lunch at 12:15pm, followed by a presentation & discussion from 12:45-1:30pm. All are welcome; no reservations needed. This event is sponsored by the "Everyone Means Everyone Exploratory Committee." Childcare provided.

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

**Church Conference at 7:00pm in the CLC (sanctuary).** With our new Governance Board organization in the church, we are to have an Annual Church Conference each year. This year it will be held as part of the regular Governance Board meeting. All members of the congregation are encouraged to attend. The purpose of the Church Conference according to the Streamlined Administration Report is to hear a report from the Governance Board on: Status of vision & mission; Status of goals - Discuss successes & challenges; Vision & mission for the coming year; Report on 5-year plan; Nominate new Governance Board members. The vote at the Church Conference will be to accept or reject the slate of Governance Board nominees. All members of the congregation who are present are eligible to vote.  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23**  
**Happy Thanksgiving Day!**  
**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29**  
**Klondike Kids Club Volunteer Information Meeting** from 5-6pm in the church library. Questions? Pastor Denny at [frankdenise41@gmail.com](mailto:frankdenise41@gmail.com) OR Britney Bullis at [britneybullis@olsten.com](mailto:britneybullis@olsten.com)

## Christmas Eve Services

- 10:00am - One Unified Sunday Service, CLC (sanctuary)
- 5:30pm - Family Christmas Eve Service, CLC (sanctuary)
- 6:30pm - WIRED Contemporary Christmas Eve Service, Activity Center
- 8:00pm - Traditional Christmas Eve Service with Choir, CLC (sanctuary)

## Small Groups

Call the church office for contact information at 765-743-1285

### EVERY MONDAY

- Morning Star Ladies Choir,** 12:00pm, music room
- A Pace of Grace Small Group,** 4:30-5:30pm, 207
- Monday Women's GIGGLES - Gals in God Giggling Loving Sharing** 7:00pm, Cafe Literato

### EVERY WEDNESDAY

- Morin's Wed Study Group,** 10:00am, Trinity UMC;
- Preschool Bible Time,** 11:30am, CLC; **Teen MOPs,** 4:30-7:00pm, 210
- Children's Bible Time,** 6:10pm; **Jr/Sr High Youth,** 6:00-8:00pm, 203
- Aldersgate Handbell Choir,** 6:00-7:00pm, CLC (sanctuary);
- Chancel Choir,** 7:15-8:45pm, Music Room

## Missions Ministry

**Teen MOPs Selling Handmade Christmas Items to Support Klondike & LUM Jubilee Christmas Kids.** Come purchase handmade (by the Teen MOPs) Christmas items in the narthex (lobby) every Sunday from November 19 thru December 17. 100% of the free will donations collected will be given to both missions.  
**Tippecanoe County United Food Pantry** operated by Church Women United are in need of food items. Canned: tomatoes, green beans, corn, peas, fruit, pork & beans, soup. Pkg. Ramen soup. Boxes of macaroni & cheese. Boxes of crackers. Tuna. Peanut butter. Boxed/ canned meals like ravioli, chili, stew, etc. Pasta & spaghetti. Please place food in labeled baskets in mission area in the narthex (lobby).  
**Feed the Kids List for November:** Baking Mix, syrup, jelly (plastic containers), #1 Velveeta cheese, Chunky soup, Pop-Tarts, & apples.  
**Klondike Treasure Chest for November-** Socks for boys & girls, sizes medium - extra large are needed.  
**Equal Exchange (EE) Coops** For your chocolate, coffee & oil product needs, contact Mary 765-497-2006, [tsmith.mwelch@gmail.com](mailto:tsmith.mwelch@gmail.com)

## Our Vision

**Fill the Klondike Treasure Chest** - In the narthex, outside the sanctuary (CLC). Each month a different item of new & gently used clothing is requested for the kids who use Coder's Closet.  
**Phase II of the FUMC Vision for the Klondike Elementary School - Klondike Kids Club** a homework program, on site at Point West Mobil Home Community, is scheduled to begin January 8, 2018 with children in grades K-3. Children will attend two afternoons per week, from 4-5:30pm. With congregational support & donations, this ministry will expand in August, 2018 to include grades 4 & 5. In addition to financial support, this ministry cannot operate without volunteers who are willing to give 90 minutes either once or twice per week. Based on school estimates we may serve 20 - 30 children each session, which means we will need a minimum of 3 volunteers each session, plus the Supervisor & Teacher Liaison. Can we count on you? Volunteer information meetings will be held on Wednesday, November 29th from 5-6 pm and Wednesday December 6th from 4-5 pm, in the church library. Questions? Pastor Denny [frankdenise41@gmail.com](mailto:frankdenise41@gmail.com) OR Britney Bullis [britneybullis@olsten.com](mailto:britneybullis@olsten.com).

## Commission on a Way Forward

The Commission on a Way Forward was proposed by the Council of Bishops & approved by the 2016 General Conference to do a complete examination & possible revision of every paragraph of the Book of Discipline concerning human sexuality & explore options that help to maintain & strengthen the unity of the Church. Globally, The United Methodist Church is in prayer for the Commission on a Way Forward. Please join in prayer for God's guidance in the great responsibility they carry for the future of our denomination. We pray that all 32 members of the Commission obey His leading as they draw up plans to present to the Bishops for their November meeting. We pray for each member to sincerely seek God's wisdom & clarity for the future of our denomination.

## Threshold Counseling

**Dorothea Goold, Indiana Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist, Threshold Counseling Room 123 (Parlor)-** Dorothea Goold is an Indiana Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist. A graduate of Purdue & Butler University, she counsels individuals, couples, & families as well as pre-marital sessions. Contact info: 317-979-5768.

## Miscellaneous

- Small Group** - If interested in joining or forming a small group, contact Karen at [karenhull@fumcw.org](mailto:karenhull@fumcw.org)/765-426-5940.
- Food for Church Events - NO NUTS/PEANUT BUTTER/NUTELLA.**
- Need a Ride to the 11am Worship Services?**-PICK-ups for some areas of Lafayette, West Lafayette & Purdue. Call by Friday noon 765-743-1285.
- New Email, Phone Number or Address?** Contact [rtodd@fumcw.org](mailto:rtodd@fumcw.org).
- Would You Like to Receive Weekly "E-VENTS?"** Contact Rhonda at [rtodd@fumcw.org](mailto:rtodd@fumcw.org)
- Have Items for the Prevue or Announcements?** Contact both Rhonda - [rtodd@fumcw.org](mailto:rtodd@fumcw.org) & Ronda - [rkroeschen@fumcw.org](mailto:rkroeschen@fumcw.org)

## Financial

Income-\$585,563; Expenses-\$606,572; Operating Plan-\$637,004

## Village Nursery School News

**Village Nursery School Has Been my Home Away From Home** for the last seven years. I have filled various roles at VNS during this time including parent, teacher, substitute & director. Each of these roles is unique & plays a special part in the "Village" that is VNS. The community here has been what's continued to bring me back year after year. My goal over the last three years as director has been to unite the community acknowledging each individual's effort & weaving us together to create an environment where a love of oneself & learning grows. This brings me to share the news of the bittersweet decision I have made to leave Village Nursery School after the completion of this 2017-2018 school year. My heart truly is called to enter back into the classroom so I feel that's where my next step will lead me. I miss working one on one with students & hope to find myself in my own elementary classroom again in the near future. Village Nursery School & First United Methodist Church will be in my heart always. Thank you for being a part of that journey for me. ~Fondly, Deanna Bibler

## Village Nursery School

**New Class Starting January 11<sup>th</sup> 2018, Enroll now!!!**  
♦ Preschool 2 (Age 2 by 8/1/17)  
♦ T/Th afternoon 12:30-2:50PM  
Contact VNS Dir.-Deanna Bibler, [dbibler@fumcw.org](mailto:dbibler@fumcw.org) or 765-743-4039

**Our New School Year Just Started & We Still Have Openings!**  
We welcome you to join today!  
♦ T/Th morning Preschool 3 (Age 3, 4 or 5 by 8/1)  
♦ T/W/Th afternoon Preschool 3/Pre-K (Age older 3, 4 or 5 year old by 8/1)  
♦ T/Th morning Preschool Spanish (Age 3, 4 or 5 year olds by 8/1)  
♦ Parent-Infant-Toddler classes on Tues & Wed have opening (for age groups 16mos-24mos by 9/1) Meets 1 morning a week based on age starting in Sept.  
Contact VNS Dir.-Deanna Bibler at [dbibler@fumcw.org](mailto:dbibler@fumcw.org)/765-743-4039

## Check Us Out

**All Welcomed at Lunch Bunch!** Lunch Bunch is a meal provided after the 11am services when Purdue is in session. Anyone who would enjoy having Sunday Lunch with the church family are invited to stay. If you are able to provide a main course, salad/veggie, or dessert, sign up at <http://www.fumcw.org> under "Sign Up" or contact Susie 734-272-2784-call/text.

## We Have a Class for You

### SUNDAY ADULT CLASSES 9:45-10:45am

(For more info, see the brochure on the Welcome Table)  
**Devotions, Fellowship, & Connection** in 209;  
**Difficult Topics in Our World** in 127;  
**Invitation to Disciple Fast Track** in 217 at 9:30am;  
**Everyone Means Everyone** in 211;  
**Book Study-Living in Christ's Presence** in 207;  
**Book Study-Earrest Learners** in 123;  
**New Members Class** in the Basement

### SUNDAY CHILDREN & YOUTH CLASSES

**9:45-10:45am** (based on your grade this fall)  
**Kindergarten-2nd-216; 3rd/4th-212; 5th/6th-210;**  
**Jr. High & Sr. High Youth** Room 203 (then, Jr. High to room 208)  
**During 11:00am Worship Services**  
**Worship Express:** Ages 2-4th grades in room 214/216

## Sunday's Attendance

Traditional Service - 68/138 ~ WIRED Service - 33/70

## MISSION, VISION, & CORE VALUES

**Our Mission:** To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

**Our Vision:** 1) Adopt & Embrace the Families of the Klondike School District in partnership with Klondike Elementary School & Teachers; 2) Embrace the Purdue Community in partnership with Wesley Foundation; 3) Ensure our First United Methodist Church Community is connected & growing in their walk with Christ.

**Our Core Values:** We are a loving & joyful church committed to celebrating God's love in all that we do. \*Welcome, Acceptance, & Support; \*Active centered Worship; \*Spiritual Growth Towards Discipleship; \*Active Christian Service.

## Calendar of Events

K=Kitchen; N=Narthex (lobby); L=Library; B=Basement; MR=Music Room; MZ=Mezzanine (above lobby); AC=Activity Center (Consp. Service); CLC=Christian Life Center (Sanctuary-Traditional Service)

Sunday, November 12, 2017	
8:15 AM	WIRED Band Rehearsal, AC
8:30 AM	Worship, CLC
9:30 AM	Fellowship Time, N
9:45 AM	WIRED Contemporary Worship, AC
9:45 AM	Sunday School for all ages
11:00 AM	Worship, CLC & WIRED Contemp. Worship, AC
11:15-12:30 PM	Korean Disciples Church, 209
12:00 PM	Newcomers & Lunch Bunch, AC
12:30 PM	Sunday Sisters, 9 Irish Brothers
12:30-2:15 PM	Korean Disciples Church, CLC
2:15-4:30 PM	Korean Disciples Church, AC/115/117/Nurs
4:00 PM	Small Group, L
4:00 PM	Youth Bells, CLC
4:30 PM	Sonshine Kids, MR
5:15 PM	Celebration Chimes, CLC
Monday, November 13, 2017	
11:15 AM	Thrift Shop, Westminster Pub
1:00 PM	Morning Star, MR
4:30 PM	A Pace of Grace, 207
7:00 PM	Monday "Women's GIGGLES - Gals in God Giggling Loving Sharing", Café Literato
Tuesday, November 14, 2017	
6:30 AM	KDC Prayer group, CLC
3:00 PM	Staff Small Group, L
7:00 PM	American Legion, 209
Wednesday, November 15, 2017	
6:30 AM	KDC Prayer group, CLC
11:30 AM	Preschool Bible Time, CLC
4:30 PM	Teen MOPs, 207
5:15 PM	Teen MOPs & Youth meal, AC
6:00 PM	Aldersgate Handbell Rehearsal, CLC
6:10 PM	Children's Bible Time, 117
7:00 PM	Hands@Work, L
7:15 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal, MR
8:00 PM	Youth counselors, N
Thursday, November 16, 2017	
6:30 AM	KDC Prayer group, CLC
6:45-8:00 PM	United Methodist Women Fall Harvest Program, AC
Friday, November 17, 2017	
6:30 AM	KDC Prayer group, CLC
8 AM-9 PM	Kitchen In Use
5-10:00 PM	KDC College Group, 203
Saturday, November 18, 2017	
6-8:00 AM	Kitchen In Use
7:00 AM	KDC Prayer Group, CLC

  

Sunday, November 19, 2017	
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Bible Presentation &amp; New Members Join!</b>	
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4:00 PM	Small Group, L
4:30 PM	Sonshine Kids, MR
5:15 PM	NO Youth Bells, NO Celebration Chimes
Prayer Concerns	
<b>Hospital:</b> Dan Morrison (Diane Morrison's son), St E	
<b>Rehab &amp; Extended Care:</b>	
Bob Moffat, Creasy Springs	
Ken Field, Rosewalk Village	
Dorothea Gist (Bethany VanFossen's mother),	
Cumberland Pointe	
Jerry Stringfellow, Westminster Rehab	
<b>Concerns shared this week:</b>	
Tamara Bennett (Barbara Bennett's niece)	
Princess Brown	
Pauline Buchholz	
(Tom Smith & Mary Welch's friend)	
Li Hwa Duerstock	
Mary Hamilton (Judy Hamilton's mother)	
Heidi Jedry (Loretta Barker's friend)	
Carol Leslie (Joan Leslie's daughter-in-law)	
Debra Lipsett (Diane Morrison's niece)	
Michael McCaffry	
W.R. Miller	
Ari Mitchell(Carry & Letty Mitchell's infant grandson)	
Mark & Melissa Moore (Gale Turco's nephew)	
Sara Simpson (Nancy Clark's sister)	
Dorcas Thomas	
Avo VIII	
John Wimmer	
Deepen our Faith, Prayer & Meditation, to share with family & friends & strangers GOD's Love	
All those in need of prayer and are not listed	
<b>Military:</b>	
LT Comm James Beaty Mst Sgt Anthony Mauro	
Tech Sgt Gerald Welker Airman Isaiah Hale	
LT Alex Turco LT Col. Kevin Field	
Seaman Kimberly Fountain	