



WUMC Newsletter 10/26/2023



Sunday, October 29 from 5pm - 9pm
Set up time is 4:30pm

To make the event successful, we need church members to set up trunks and hand out candy! Want to participate, but need help setting up your trunk? Don't have decorations? No problem! Please fill out this Google Form to let us know how many trunks we can anticipate: <https://tinyurl.com/39dyrkn8> Set-up time for trunks will be 4:30pm.



Trick or Treat at the Parsonage

Trick-or-Treating on Halloween is a fun community event, and we want to make sure Pastor Richard has a chance to spend time with his family in the neighborhood.

Please go to this link and sign up when you might be able to be at the Parsonage and pass out candy on Halloween to children stopping by.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090F4FADAA2BA3F94-45501527-halloween#/>



United
Women
in Faith

Our Church Unit of UWFaith is currently composed of 2 Circles, meeting monthly. All women (Church member/non member, Methodist/non Methodist) are invited to join us at any time!

The **Matilda Dryman Circle** is meeting on **Sunday, October 29th** for lunch and a meeting after church at the Twisted Laurel Restaurant. We have many important things to discuss. All women in the church are invited to join us. If you have any questions, please call Joanie Strohm--828-707-8928 or email ssjsmars@charter.net.

The **Minevia Brittain Circle** meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at

7pm generally in members homes. Call Joy Pansiera for info @828-777-2337.



What: Sunday School classes!

When: Sundays 10 am

Where: WUMC Education Building, 3rd floor

Who: We are offering the following classes, so come join us!

- **K-5th Grade:** Taught by Heather Weaver and team!
 - **6-8th Grade:** Taught by Holland Silver and team!
 - **9-12th Grade:** Taught by Bob Cipriano and Gary Sanders!
 - **Parent Sunday School:** Meet and Greet other parents! Help guide this class for the weeks to come!
 - **Nursery Services are available at 10 am!**
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Weaverville UMC's Youth Group meets every Sunday in the main room of the Fellowship Hall from 4:30pm-6pm Snacks are provided. Bring a friend. Bring your Bible. Join the Fun.



**Operation Christmas Child
All Boxes are due November 5**

Why shoe boxes?

Shoebbox gifts demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world. By partnering with the local church worldwide, each shoebbox gift is a powerful tool for sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ. All Boxes are due by November 5 along with a \$10.00 donation per box. If you have questions contact Renee Weaver—grohweaver@aol.com



Sewing Bee
Saturday, November 4, 2023
9:00am - 5:00pm

Fellowship Center: main room and Love Conference Room

A bee day is a fun time with like-minded quilters working on individual projects. Bring your sewing supplies and come get crafty with us! All kinds of sewing projects are welcome, not just quilting. You are welcome to stay for all of just part of the day -- whatever works for your schedule. There will be show & tell, Q& A if you are stuck, & a whole day devoted to your project. Please contact Angela Moser at 828-215-2642 or email Missangelf@outlook.com



The Nurture Committee believes it is important for the church to support our students who are away from home studying. It is an exciting time for them, full of challenges and temptations, and It is vital that they continue to feel love and support from their Church family. Generous donors have established a fund to periodically send our students words of encouragement and funds for dinner.

In order for this ministry to be effective we need the names and addresses of our students who are studying away.

If you have a student that meets this criteria, please provide their name and address to the church office or to me directly at jrcipria@msn.com. You may also contribute to the student fund by identifying donations for that purpose.



Weaverville Community Prayer Meeting
Wednesdays from 8am-9am in the Love Conference Room

If you can't be with us in the "Studio," prayercast with us from wherever you are.

Feel free to contact our leader, Mark Sudimak at 302.242.6807, email msudimak60@gmail.com

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Other needs are for the following:

Infant car seats, strollers, highchairs, bassinets, pack and plays. Any non-expired car seats or boosters for car. Gently used/outgrown clothing & equipment always appreciated.

See the Amazon Wishlist on the church

website. <https://www.weavervilleumc.org> Click BEAR Closet for ideas

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Help with 1st Mondays of the month for afternoon pickups from 5-7pm and 2nd & 4th & 5th from 10am-noon on a one time or regular basis.

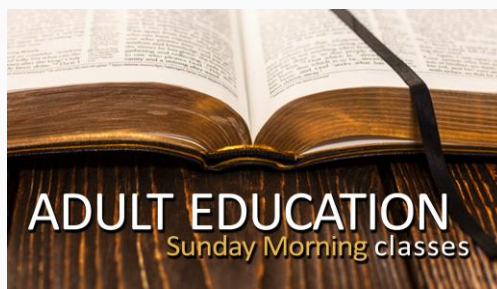


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Not just help for a day, but for life.

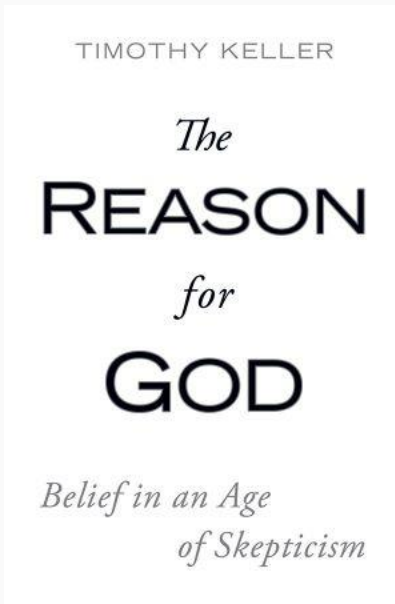
This week's pantry needs: canned chicken, Chef Boyardee, soups, canned vegetables, laundry and dish soap.

For one day a week volunteer opportunities call the director, Sheryl Olsen @ 828-259-5313.

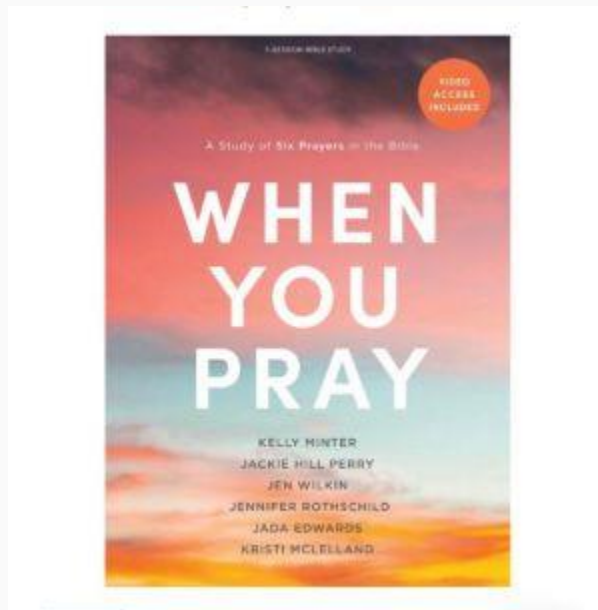


Explorers Class

We meet at 10 am in the Love Conference Room each Sunday and currently study



Women's Bible Study



The women's bible study will meet for 2 more Tuesdays, November 7th & 14th at 1030am to 12 noon to read Paul's letter to the Ephesians. We will then take a break to celebrate the upcoming holidays in November & December. In the new year, we will start a new Bible study on January 7th & 9th called *When to Pray*: a study of 6 prayers in the Bible.
Angela Moser & Loraine Cipriano

Reuter Center Singers

In the Autumn of Our Lives

Chuck Taft, Conductor; Eric Fricke, Accompanist

With more than 20 years as a singing organization, they perform music ranging from Bach to the Beatles and beyond.

Friday, Oct. 27th 7:00

First Baptist Church 63 North Main St. Weaverville

Community Sponsors:
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Freewill Offering to benefit North Buncombe Music Scholarship

www.weavervillemusicstudyclub.org



PRAISES:

New Members: Sam, Tyler, Finley and Cael Phelan,
Nancy Lewis

PRAISES/CONCERNS:

All Kids playing sports, Gary Rodrigue, Chris Whorshom

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Doris Sorrells

CONCERNS:

The disaffiliation within the Methodist Church, Dave Barnell, Joseph Beilman, Marie Bertini, Charlie Bilcher, Cameron Blevins, Ed Blount, Jim Champion, David Coffey, Steve Cook, Lisa Dennison, Pat Duncan, Sandra Dyson, Lincoln Dyson, Joe Framburger, Laura Franklin, Cole Finch, Beth Finlay, Jamie Gash, Warren Gearrick, Michael Gomon, Doug Green, Martha and Jack Harris, Vickie Harris, Lynn and Cliff Harvey, Shawn Henderson, Matt and Sarah Hoover, Emma Hughey, Becky Humphrey, Allen Johnson, Rebecca Johnson, Shirley Jones, Lois Jost, Carrol Lawrence, Amanda Linstrom, Mary Frances McAbee Alex McBride, Nancy McCrink, Jan McNamara-Houck, Frank Meadows, Robin Murray, Dan Nester, Hailey Petit and friend, Jennifer Phillips, Rick and Julie Phillips, Pearl Phillips, John Ramsey, Bill Rede, Sheldon Rice, Venus Roberts, Emily Sewell, Thomas Stade, Joan Stafford, Stan Strohm, Greg Strohm, Robert Teller, Holence Topkin, Robin Tresco, Robin Truscott, Michael Watkins, Faye Williams, Jean Williams, Claire Williamson, War in Ukraine, and Israel.

Please request changes to the prayer list [here](#).



Supporting the Church

General Giving By Week:

Target Giving Goal each week: **\$9,000.00**

Sept. 3: **\$3,758.00**

Sept 10: **\$6,804.90**

Sept. 17: **\$16,580.00**

Sept. 24: **\$13,869.00**

Oct. 1: **\$5,190.00**

Oct. 8: **\$4,590.00**

As of Sept. 30, 2023

Revenue \$ 277,350.12

Expenses \$ 279,666.59

Total \$ **-2,316.47**

Mortgage Balance: **\$217,066.23**

Attendance at worship:

10/1/2023: 11am: **93 total**

10/8/2023: 11am: **113 total**

10/15/2023: 11am: **116 total**

10/22/2023: 11am: **93 total**

Finance Update

Thank you very much to everyone who has continued to support WUMC with their contributions! Options to donate:

1. On our [web site](#)
2. Through your bank's online bill pay
3. Mail checks to:

Weaverville United Methodist Church | PO Box 37 | Weaverville, NC 28787



Did you miss Sunday's service? By clicking here you can still watch it

**Deadline for newsletter submissions:
12:00pm (Noon) on Tuesdays**