

WUMC Newsletter 02/29/2024



MULCH DAY this Saturday, March 2nd Starting 9am

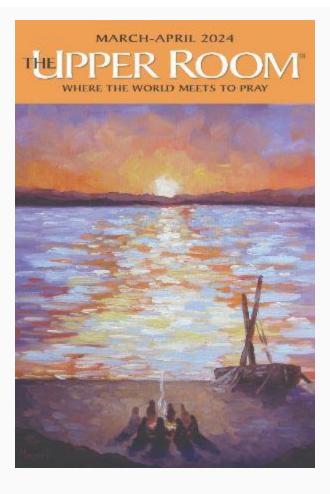
Ve're getting 2 big truck loads of mulch delivered to beautify our church grounds. We need ots of help to get this done in a day, so please bring your wheel barrows, pitch forks, snow hovels and hard tooth rakes to have fun working as a team to make this happen. Just come or an hour or two if that's all you can spare as I'm sure we'll be working into the afternoon. Thanks so much for helping us complete this project! Contact Les Love with any questions: \$28.230.1861



The Parents and Ignite Group will meet this

Sunday, March 3rd

to discuss the hiring of a new children and youth minister during Sunday School time from 9:45am-10:45am



The March to April 2024 issue is here!

Pick up your devotional guide in the narthex



Prayerfully consider serving for one of these positions:

1. Lay Leader:

The Lay Leader's job is to help connect the Congregation with the Pastor. The Lay Leader is an open ear to the congregation who then communicates to the pastor opportunities and needs of the congregation as they arise. For this reason the Lay Leader is a voting member of the Administrative Council, Finance Committee, Committee on Nominations, and Staff Parish Relations Committee, and meets with the pastor at least monthly to review the mission and vision of the church.

2. Financial Secretary:

No accounting degree is required, only an ability to record contributions along with a strong understanding of ethical and confidential conduct.



Our Youth Group meets every Sunday in the main room of the Fellowship Hall from 4:30pm-6pm

Snacks are proviced. Bring a friend. Bring your Bible. Join the Fun.



The Ad Council will meet on Sunday, March 10th following worship in the Love Conference Room.

Everyone is invited to attend.



You are invited Sunday, March 17 - Mark your calendar

Come celebrate St. Patrick's Day with your church family at a pancake supper immediately following the March 17th Church Service. Wear your green!"



Sewing Bee

Join us for our next sewing bee this Saturday, March 2
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





THANK YOU SO MUCH!

For contributing to the United Women in Faith's blanket and coat drive!

As you can see, we greatly exceeded our expectations. The winter is quickly fading but these will be a great head start for next year's program, as well!



Wednesdays from 8am-9am Love Conference Room

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

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



Thank you for all the regular donations! They are helping meet the needs of young families in our community.

Our current needs are for the following: Infant car seats, strollers, bassinets, high chairs, Winter clothes for preemie boys and girls. Girl newborn clothes, Tops and bottoms for 3, 4,and 5T girls. 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

Want to help? A good place to start is with pickups: 1st Mondays of the month for afternoon from 5-7pm and 2nd, 4th & 5th from 10amnoon on an occasional or regular basis. Contact Catherine Love at catmlove@charter.net or call or text the BEAR closet at 828-658-5373.



Food Pantry Needs: vegetable oil (large containers are broken down), Peanut Butter, Hearty Soups, Beans (Dried pintos), Mac& Cheese, Sugar, Jelly, Pasta Sauce, Self-rising Flour, Rice (white and brown), Low Sodium Canned Vegetables, Low Sugar Canned Fruit, Pasta (regular and wheat), Canned Chicken and Tuna, Empty Plastic 4 oz. Water Bottles

Clothing and Hygiene Needs: Women and Men Underwear, Men's pants (30-34), Women's Tennis Shoes (8-10), Men's Tennis Shoes (10-13) Diapers Sizes 4,5,6) Toothpaste, Tooth Brush, Deodorant, Shampoo and Conditioner, Soap

Volunteer Opportunities:

North, 403 Weaverville Rd, Woodfin, 828.398.6951, Monday thru Friday

from 10am -2pm Data Entry: Every Day

Counselor: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

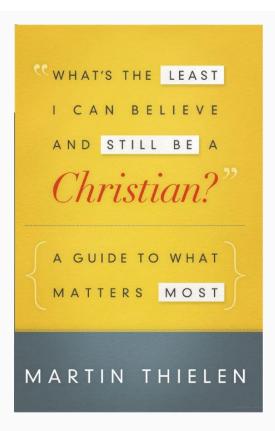
ABCCM Our Daily Bread @ Sonrise: 1543 Patton Ave, Asheville:

Wednesday and Thursday 9am - 1p

If you would like to make a monetary donation, make a check to the church with the notation: **ABCCM North** (for food) **ABCCM Other** (for all other services/necessities)

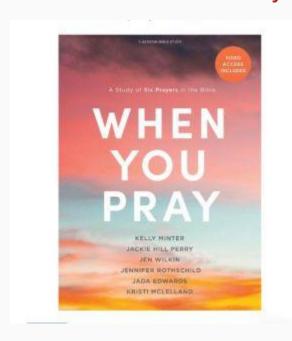


Explorers Class



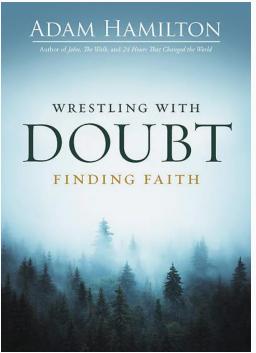
We meet at 10 am in the Love Conference Room each Sunday. This is our new study set to begin on 3/10/24.

Women's Bible Study



We meet Tuesdays at 10:30am in the Love Conference Room to study *When you Pray*, a study of six prayers in the bible. Contact Angela Moser at Missangelf@outlook.com or Loraine Cipriano at raincip@charter.net with any questions.

Ignite Class



The Ignite Group is studying <u>Wrestling with Doubt</u> by Adam Hamilton and meeting Sundays at 9:45am in the Education Building, 3rd floor classroom.



We extend our deepest condolences to the family of **Pat Duncan**

who passed peacefully into God's kingdom on Saturday, February 24, 2024 at Care Partners Hospice Solace Center in Asheville.

A funeral service will be held on Sunday, March 24, 2024 at Groce Funeral Home at Lake Julian at 2pm with Pastor Kelvin Mosely officiating. The family will receive friends following the service at the funeral home.

A private burial with the family will take place at Forest Lawn Memorial Park Mausoleum.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Memory Care of Asheville or to the Black Mountain Home for Children, Youth an d Families.



PRAISES:

Forest Neltzer 100th birthday, Vincent James Roser 100th birthday, Funeral at Arlington Cemetery for Len Moffat

PRAISES/CONCERNS:

Ed Blount, Chyanne Hatley, Sheldon Rice, Jack Seay, Larry Schultz, Robin Truscott, Chris Whorshom, Doctors, Nurses and Staff at Mission Hospital

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Pat Duncan, Family of Dennis Mitland, Family of Alissa Moreno. **CONCERNS**:

2024 General Conference, Dave Barnell, Joseph Beilman, Marie Bertini, Charlie Bilcher, Maryann Binder, Cameron Blevins, Salina Bracy, Robert Bradley, Bob DeBruhl, Gary Carr, Jim Champion, Lloyd Clark, David Coffey, Steve Cook, Camile Corenel, Lisa Dennison, Sandra Dyson, Terry Dyson, Lincoln Dyson, Cindy Farthing, George Farthing, Joe Framburger, Laura Franklin, Cole Finch, Beth Finlay, Jamie Gash, Michael Gomon, Doug Green, Mary Groh, Gwen Harris, Martha and Jack Harris, Vickie Harris, Cliff and Lynn Harvey, Shawn Henderson, Emma Hughey, Becky Humphrey, Allen Johnson, Rebecca Johnson, Shirley Jones, Sue Jones, Carrol Lawrence, Amanda Linstrom, Mary Frances McAbee, Alex McBride, Nancy McCrink, Jan McNamara-Houck, Robin Murray, Dan Nester, Gabe Perez, Susan Penland, Hailey Petit and friend, Jennifer Phillips, Rick and Julie Phillips, Pearl Phillips, John Ramsey, Bill Rede, Venus Roberts, Kat Rockwood, Emily Sewell, Joan Stafford, Stan Strohm, Greg Strohm, Jonathan Sudimak, Jack Teague, Robert Teller, Holence Topkin, Robin Tresco, Michael Watkins, Dick Wilfong, Faye Williams, Jean Williams, Claire Williamson, Wars in Ukraine. Gaza.



Supporting the Church

General Giving By Week:

Target Giving Goal each week: \$9,000.00

Feb.4: \$5,420.00 Feb.11: \$5,565.00 Feb.18: \$7,038.50 Feb.25: \$5,606.22

As of Jan 31, 2024

Income: \$22,068.65 Expenses: \$26,968.51 Net: -\$4,899.86

Mortgage Balance: \$ 204,970.64

Attendance at worship:

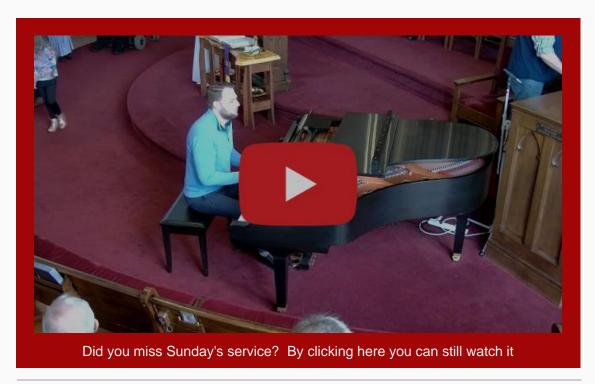
2/4/2024: 11am: **135 total** 2/11/2024: 11am: **146 total** 2/18/2024: 11am: **149 total** 2/25/2024: 11am: **116 total**

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



Deadline for newsletter submissions:

12:00pm (Noon) on Tuesdays

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