



The Union Connection

June 19, 2022

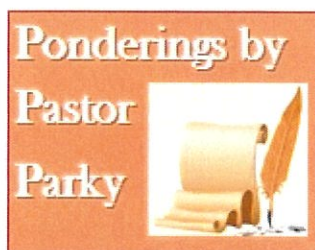
Encourage humankind toward Christ-centered living
through loving, learning, listening, and leading.

The Union Connection is the weekly email newsletter of Union Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Franklin, Indiana; provided to our congregation, as well as to family and friends who are interested in knowing what is happening within the life of our congregation. Individuals can sign-up to receive this email or remove themselves from the distribution list, as they desire, by clicking the appropriate link at the bottom of this page.

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at the Church Office or by email to lorisewellucc@gmail.com.

'Rejoice always. Pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.'

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



Hog Wild!!

Down south they would say,
"Y'all know how to throw a
hog roast! Ya done good!"

What a fun day. It was good
to see so many of our
church family and so many
from our community.

Oh, yeah! Don't forget all of
that great food. It was
"Bomb Diggity!"



Serving Today, June 19th

Elders:

Becky Canary
John White

Deacons:

G - Sandy Owens
O - Andy Duckworth
C - Marty Julian



Sermon 6/19

The Abyss or the Swine?

Galatians 3:23-29
Luke 8:26-33

Synopsis:

The lectionary for this week
had a wide variety of themes
in the scriptures. Beginning
with the story of Elijah on the
side of the mountain in 1 Kings
18, God was present in a still
small voice; a whisper. Then,
Paul tells us in Galatians 3
that we were living under the
rule of the Law; a legal

I am already looking forward to our next all church Hog Roast.

Blessings!
Pastor Parkey



If you know of anyone dealing with grief, even if they don't believe they are, tell them about this opportunity to help them through their grief.

To register for the group at Union Christian Church, click [HERE](#). We will be meeting on Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. until July 26th.

News to watch for...



June 19

Juneteenth - we need to remember our sisters and brothers of color who were mistreated following the national emancipation.

June 26

Rhythmic Drum Healing Circle



Rhythmic Drum Healing

4th Sunday of the month,
6:30p-7:30p

Jun 26, Jul 24, Aug 28, Sep

Alt - Lisa Wallace

Worship Leader:

John White

Serving Next Week, June 26th

Elders:

Deb Stubbeman

Karen Bauman

Deacons:

G - David Hopping

O - Marty Sewell

C - Joe Wells

Alt - Mark Graham

Worship Leader:

Melody Davis

disciplinarian that was mostly enforced by men before Christ brought us under the rule of faith through Jesus.

In Luke 8, Jesus encountered a multitude of demons in the man from Gerasenes that had been living among the tombs of the cemetery. The demons told Jesus that their name was "Legion" because there were so many. They knew that Jesus would set this man free and that they would have either go back to the abyss or, with permission from Jesus, into the herd of swine that were grazing on the hillside. Jesus let them choose but he still ran them off the cliff into the lake where they all drowned.

Pastor Mark

Linger Longer - Sunday June 26th

Next Sunday is our Linger Longer, presented by the Discipleship Ministry Team on our fourth purpose in being a church
Make disciples of all nations

You will want to attend in order to receive your mystery ministry surprise.

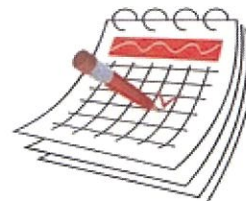


The Outreach Opportunity for June is the new "Senior Retreat" that has come to Franklin.

There is already an established facility in Martinsville, but they have branched out to be able to help more seniors. There are copies of their "wish list" in the narthex.

Help us to help Senior Retreat to accomplish their goal of serving our community.

Union Christian Church
Outdoor Shelter
Free will offering accepted
Lead by Lori Meyers



Links of Interest



[Union Christian website](#)

[Disciples of Christ in Indiana](#)

[Disciples of Christ General Church](#)

[Disciples Women](#)

[Disciples Men](#)

[Johnson County Indiana website](#)

[About Franklin, Indiana](#)

[GriefShare](#)

[Samaritan's Feet](#)



DM News

The Disciples' Men's group will meet on August 13 at 8:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

Greeting Card Ministry

If you enjoy sending cards to others, here is your chance to be a part of the ministry of this church.

Below are names and addresses of individuals who would appreciate receiving a card from someone in the church:

Jill Lightle
1945 Crescent St.
Franklin, IN 46131

Barbara Mitchell
1282 W SR 252
Trafalgar, IN 46181

Pat Hogan/Ray Von Burg
295 Village Ln., Apt. 200
Greenwood, IN 46143

Nancy Hunt
Compass Park,
GA 2350,
890 Freemason Parkway,
Franklin, IN 46131

Ellie Roberts
6805 N 500 E
North Vernon, IN 47265

Brenda Haler/Iva Shaw
1375 S. Center Ln.
Franklin, IN 46131

This Week's Calendar

Online [calendar](#)

Sunday

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship

Tuesday

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
- Women's Bible Study

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. -
GriefShare Group



Birthdays:

21 - Lori Sewell
24 - Andy Duckworth
25 - Bevie Hopping

Anniversaries:

20 - Lisa & Mike Wallace
22 - Belinda & Fred Williams
23 - Melody & Doug Davis
23 - Deb Stubbeman & Marty Julian



DW News

The Disciples Women will **NOT** be meeting in June. Please watch for information about a gathering in July.