



The Union Connection

Week of July 28, 2024

**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. Comments/Concerns/Suggestions regarding this newsletter can be made 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

Ministry Teams

It is a new physical year and the Ministry Teams are making plans for the coming year. If you would like to be a part of any or all of the Ministry Teams, let Becky, Lori and/or Charlie know.



Charlie Canary, Chair

Christian Action Ministry team is collecting items for Fast Track to provide school supplies for children throughout Johnson County.

See the display in the Narthex. There are supply lists in the manila envelope on the display with a QR code that directs you to Amazon to ship directly to United Way.



Birthdays:

29 - Belinda Williams
02 - Martha White



Lori Sewell, Chair

Break out your Hawaiian garb and join the Discipleship Ministry Team on July 28th.

We will be hosting an **outdoor church** service and a **Hawaiian Ice Linger Longer!**



Serving August 4th

Elder:

Susie Hayes
John White



Becky Canary, Chair

Spiritual Life Ministry invites you to hold true to reading scripture, praying, and spending time with God in silent reflection.

God wants to spend time with you.

What's coming up?

Sunday
9:30 a.m.
Sunday School

10:30 a.m.
Outdoor Worship Service

11:30 a.m.
Linger Longer

Wednesday
6:00 p.m.

Anniversaries:

31- Gail & Ken
Beardslee



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:

Martha & J Compton
5399 S Nineveh Rd.
Franklin, IN 46131

Barbara Mitchell
1282 W SR 252
Trafalgar, IN 46181

New Address
Pat Hogan/Ray Von Burg
4926 Sir Barton, Rm
208
Indianapolis, IN 46237

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

Martha White
1070 W. Jefferson St.,
Apt. E117

Deacons:

G - Michael
Hayes
O - Ashley Hayes
C - Paul Lightle
A - Belinda
Williams

Worship Leader:

Donna Wisehart

Have you
thought about
being a Worship
Leader again or
for the first
time?

Openings in
September!



Sermon 7/28

*Just (Fair) in All His
Ways*

John 6:1-10
Psalm 145:10-18

Synopsis:

As we pick up in the middle of this psalm, the author of Psalm 145 appears to be telling his story as if he is speaking directly to

Bible Study

What's On the Calendar?

Wonder no more!
Click below to visit the
church calendar and
see what's going on in
our church.

[https://
unionchristiandoc.org/
about/calendar/](https://unionchristiandoc.org/about/calendar/)

AUGUST 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Visit This Week's Calendar Online

[click here](#)

News to watch for!

Coming in July
Outdoor Worship
and Linger
Longer

**Coming in
August**
Disciples Men
meet

Board Meeting

Healing Drum
Circle



**Tuesday Bible
Study on Break**

Franklin, IN 46131

Carolyn Rogers
490 Red Skelton, Apt
109
Franklin, IN 46131

**Links of
Interest**
[UCC website](#)

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Facebook page](#)

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Live Stream](#)

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Church](#)

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Women](#)

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Indiana](#)



DM News

The Disciples Men will meet on Saturday, August 10th at 8:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

Come join us for great food and fellowship!

Christ Jesus, himself, though we haven't been introduced to Jesus at this point in history. He is telling him just how great of a Lord and Savior he is. Do you think Jesus knew that already?

Then, suddenly, in verse 15, it looks as if the psalmist is speaking to the nation of Israel. Do you think that the Israelites, thinking more of God than Jesus, knew that much about God already.

Now, as the psalmist is talking to us, do we know how great God AND our Lord Jesus actually is? Do we show that in how we live out our lives? I hope and pray that your life is a great example of how Jesus is *Just in All His Ways*.

Pastor Mark

Have you seen the recent updates to our website lately?

Why not see what others see to learn about us and our family; how we serve and witness to others.

Click this link or type it into your search browser:

<https://unionchristiandoc.org/>

The Tuesday study will begin a new study in the near future.

Wednesday Bible Study

The Wednesday Evening Bible study meets at 6:00 p.m. in the church fellowship hall.

We are studying *Life Lessons from James* by Max Lucado.



DW News

Disciples Women will be on summer break for July and August. Thank you for your support throughout the year.

Hope to see you all in September!!

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