



The Union Connection

Week of October 13, 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

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 will be partnering with Resources for Hope and Johnson County Youth Leadership Academy to collect sweatshirts and socks for teens. All sizes are needed and monetary donations can be given. We will do this through October.



Greeting Card Ministry

If you enjoy sending cards to others, you could be a part of this church ministry. Below are names and addresses of individuals who would appreciate receiving a card from someone in the church:

New address
Martha Compton (at
Compass Park)
800 Freemason
Parkway,
Room 1125
Franklin, IN 46131

New address
J Compton (at
Compass Park)



Lori Sewell, Chair

The
Discipleship Ministry Team

hopes you will listen for God and look for ways to share your faith with others.

Go, therefore,
into the world...



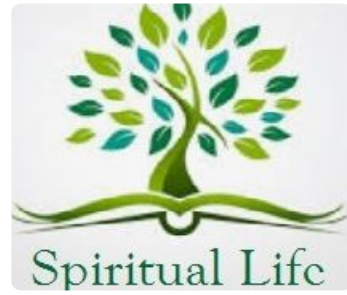
Birthdays:
18 - Joe Wells

Anniversaries:
16 - Ellen & Rick Paris



**Serving
October 20th**

Elder:
Karen Bauman
Joe Wells



**Becky Canary,
Chair**

The Spiritual Life Ministry Team met recently to discuss ways to engage the congregation in their own faith journey and how we can enable them in their spiritual growth.

If you have ideas, we would love to hear them.

**What's
coming up?**

Sunday
9:30 a.m.
Sunday School

10:30 a.m.
Worship Service

Monday
6:30 p.m.
Board meeting

Tuesday
10 - 11:30 a.m.
Bible Study

Wednesday
6:00 p.m.
Bible Study

800 Freemason
Parkway,
Room 1126
Franklin, IN 46131

Barbara Mitchell
1282 W SR 252
Trafalgar, IN 46181

Pat Hogan
4926 Sir Barton, Rm
208
Indianapolis, IN 46237

Corrected Address
Ray Von Burg
183 S. Smock Dr., Rm
403
Greenwood, IN 46143

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

Martha White
1070 W. Jefferson St.,
Apt. E117
Franklin, IN 46131

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

Newly Added
Ralph Duckworth
862 E 125 S
Franklin, IN 46131



Tuesday Bible Study

The Tuesday study is studying
Luke in the Land
by Kristi McLelland
and study books are
\$25 per book.

We meet in the
fellowship hall at 10:00
a.m.

Deacons:
Greeter -
Mark Graham
Offering -
Terrie
Ferguson
Communion -
Carole
Graham
Alternate -
Judy Wells

Worship Leader:
Susie Hayes



Sermon 10/13

Exposed

Psalm 22:1-15
Hebrews 4:12-16

Synopsis:

One of the lectionary verses for this week comes from Hebrews 4. This scripture tells us of the authority of God's Word, His Holy Bible. It is "sharper than any two-edged sword" and it is the authority of his Word that we must answer to, eventually.

This verse also tells us of our great high priest found in Christ Jesus, God's son. Jesus knows what life is like on this earth. He lived here for roughly thirty

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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	8	9

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Calendar Online**
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News to watch for!

Coming in October

Elders Home
Communion

Board meeting

Tuesday Bible
Study

Wednesday Bible
Study

Healing Drum
Circle



DW News

Disciples Women will
meet again on
Thursday,
November 14th
at 6:30 p.m.

Please plan to join us
for fun and fellowship.

Wednesday Bible Study

Wednesday evening Bible study is studying the **Book of Judges** from the *Knowing the Bible Series* this week, on October 16 at 6pm in the fellowship hall or via Zoom.

This is a 12-week study but we will not meet on Nov. 27th, Dec. 25th or Jan. 1st.

If you need a book, contact Pastor Mark.

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years. That's long enough to know the struggles that we face on a daily basis.

If you've ever wondered if you were "good enough" to get into heaven, then wonder no more. If you've given your life to Christ, asking him into your heart to be your Lord and Savior, then your sins have already been forgiven.

Pastor Mark



Surviving
the *Holidays*

We will, again, host two GriefShare holiday support groups.

One will be Nov. 12th and one on Dec. 10th.



DM News

The next meeting for the Disciples Men will be on **Saturday, December 14th at 8:00 a.m.**

Come join us!

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