



The Re-Connection

September 2025

The Re-Connection will be sent out on the last Friday of each month with information pertaining to the next month.

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

The Union Re-Connection is the monthly 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 what's going on 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

See you, in September...

Who remembers that song?

Ministry Teams

If you would like to be a part of any or all of the Ministry Teams, let Becky, Lori and/or Charlie know.



Becky Canary,
Chair

The Spiritual Life Ministry Team

Spiritual Life is a daily
time with Christ.

Union Christian
Church
has many
opportunities for
you in this journey:

**Worship,
Sunday School, Bible
Studies,
and Prayer.**



DW News

The **Disciples
Women**
will meet at 5:30 p.m.
on September 11th.

Watch for details about
this meeting.



Lori Sewell,
Chair

The Discipleship Ministry Team

Greetings, church
family.

If you didn't get a
T-shirt or want to order
another one, please let
Lori know. We will do
another round in 3 or 4
weeks which could
also include
sweatshirts if there is
an interest, let us
know.

Please join your
Discipleship Ministry
on September 28th for
a Linger Longer as we
celebrate apple
season with sliced
apples and apple pie.

Thank you for your
support at our Linger
Longers throughout
the year.



Thinking Ahead...

I hope you noticed my
song title at the top of
the newsletter. Anyone
remember who sang
that song?



Terrie
Ferguson,
Chair

The Christian Action Ministry Team

Good news! Union will
have a food ministry
called the "Last
Sunday Servings"
starting in September.
Those in need can
stop by the church on
the last Sunday of
each month from
4pm-6pm and they will
be given a box with
various non-perishable
food items.

A grateful thank you to
the Union family for
their recent generous
contributions to "LSS."
If you would like to
contribute, you can
designate "for LSS" on
your check and "Last
Sunday Servings" is
an option for those
giving online, as well.

The donation basket
will be in the Narthex,
as well. What a
blessing to know we
can help to keep
people from being
hungry!

We are starting the
Baby Bottle Campaign
to help support the
local work of Clarity of
Indiana in assisting
young mothers (and
fathers) who could use
some help.

September Birthdays:

01 - Ashley Hayes
08 - Flora Markward Smith
11 - Ellen Paris
30 - Judy Wells

September Anniversaries:

10 - Ashley & Michael Hayes
17 - Lori & Marty Sewell



Greeting Card Ministry

Individuals below would appreciate receiving a card from someone in the church:

Martha Compton

800 Freemason Parkway,
Room 1126
Franklin, IN 46131

Nancy Hunt

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

Martha White

1070 W. Jefferson St.,
Apt. E117

It has been a crazy hot summer with lots of activities at home and through the church. I'm sure yours has been as busy as mine. Aren't we thankful for the cooler temperatures in recent weeks?

As the weather is cooling down, activities for outreach are heating up. I am very excited about the possibilities of the "Last Sunday Servings" food box program and the Baby Bottle campaign that will support the efforts of Clarity of Indiana.

We are also working toward providing spaces for a community garden next spring, so watch for updates to this outreach program.

The song was by The Happenings
Pastor Mark

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News to watch for!



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DM News

The next meeting of the **Disciples Men** will be at **Bob Evans** at **8 a.m. on Saturday, September 13th.**

We hope you will join

Franklin, IN 46131

Carolyn Rogers

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Franklin, IN 46131

Ralph Duckworth

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Franklin, IN 46131

Cliff Ronk

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Franklin, IN 46131



GriefShare
meets on
Tuesday evening
6:30-8:30 p.m.
online and
in-person.



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In September

Trustee's meeting

Great
Commission
Prayer time

Home
Communion
Sunday

Healing Drum
Circle

Ministry Team
meeting

GriefShare
Sessions

us for
food and fellowship -
and a bit of business.

**Online Giving
is easier
than before**

Give online with our
new easier to use
giving form that allows
you to select a church
fund for your offering -
even the new
**"Last Sunday
Servings"**
fund.



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