



The Re-Connection

September 2026

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

Ministry Teams

**Interested in joining one of our Ministry Teams?
Let Kendala, Lori and/or Terrie know.**



Kendala
Parkinson,
Chair

The Spiritual Life Ministry Team

The **Spiritual Life
Ministry Team**
would like to thank the
following individuals
for their special
presentations to the
church:

Deb Stubbeman and
company, Jay Osborn,
Mark Graham, and
Pastor Mark.

We will be planning
these upcoming
events:

**World Communion
Sunday**

Oct. 4th

All Saints Day

Nov. 1st

Bread Service

Nov. 22nd

Kendala Parkinson



Greeting Card Ministry

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

Martha White



Lori
Sewell,
Chair

The Discipleship Ministry Team

Join us on
September 27th
for our next
Linger Longer.

Come join us
following worship.

Lori Sewell



Thinking Ahead...

It is September and in
a few weeks we will
officially welcome the
Fall season. It will be a
time for sweaters and
sweatshirts and back
to long pants.

It could also be a time
to think about
homecoming events
for school and for
churches.

Remember to give
thanks to God for
every day that he
provides for us - in hot



Terrie
Ferguson,
Chair

The Christian Action Ministry Team

We will hold our
**Free Food Box
Saturday**
on the Last Saturday
of the month -
tomorrow -
from 10am-noon,
hopefully this will be a
more doable time for
pick up.

The next food box give
away will be on
September 26th.

We will continue to
seek ways to be a
blessing to our
community. If you have
any ideas please let
me know.

Terrie Ferguson



DM News

Disciples Men,
will meet on
September 12th
at **Bob Evans** on

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

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

Ralph Duckworth
862 E 125 S
Franklin, IN 46131



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



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weather or cool
weather, on rainy days
or days filled with
sunshine and a cool
breeze.

Pastor Mark

September						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
		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			

**Visit the Church
Calendar Online**
[click here](#)

News to watch for!

In September

Ministry Team
meetings

Home
Communion
Sunday

Healing Drum
Circle

DW meeting

Great
Commission
Prayer time

Free Food Box
Saturday

**Not an email subscriber
to our weekly email
update or monthly
newsletter?
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our newsletter by going**

N. Morton St. at 8 a.m.

Come on out for fun,
fellowship and
good food.



DW News The Disciples Women

The DW group will
meet in the
fellowship hall on
September 20th
following worship.

Karen Bauman



We are once again
offering a
13-week session of
GriefShare
on **Tuesday**
evenings
that began
August 4th
from
6:30-8:30 p.m.
and runs through
October 27th,
online and in-person.
If you know someone
in grief, give us a try.



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Give online with our
new easier to use
giving form that allows
you to select a church
fund for your offering'

You can even make a
donation to the
revitalized

**"Free Food Box
Saturday"**
fund.