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New Market United Methodist METHODIST MESSENGER

NOVEMBER
2022

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Dear Friends,

Back in 1995 I purchased a two-volume set of the writings of Abraham Lincoln, a wonderful resource I have paged through over the years with interest. Now, of course, virtually every document recorded in those books is available to most anyone, anywhere, at any time. And so I suggest that you take a moment to use the internet for one of its positive purposes, and search for Lincoln's famed 1863 Thanksgiving Proclamation. It is well worth the reading.

**ABRAHAM LINCOLN'S
THANKSGIVING
PROCLAMATION**
— Oct. 3, 1863 —



One aspect we may find shocking in our day and age is the extent to which Lincoln – a politician – invoked God throughout that proclamation. In noting the blessings of the year, he states that “they cannot fail to penetrate and soften even the heart which is habitually insensible to the ever watchful providence of Almighty God.” Upon listing a variety of blessings enjoyed by the nation, he adds, “No human counsel hath devised nor hath any mortal hand worked out these great things. They are the gracious gifts of the Most High God, who, while dealing with us in anger for our sins, hath nevertheless remembered mercy.”

In naming the day for giving thanks Lincoln declares it to be, “a day of Thanksgiving and Praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the Heavens.” He even notes that as his fellow citizens gave thanks, they should do so, “with humble penitence for our national perverseness and disobedience.” There is simply no doubt in that proclamation that Thanksgiving Day 1863 was to be about God.

Sadly as we read through more modern Thanksgiving proclamations, God is often an afterthought. Every year each president follows Lincoln's lead and proclaims a day of thanksgiving, and those documents are all online as well. However, they are too often echoes of American history or culture and not truly documents about the importance and responsibility of giving thanks to our Creator. In fact, Gerald Ford in 1975 and Barack Obama in 2016 failed to mention God in any way whatsoever in their proclamations for those years.

I've known non-believers who celebrate Thanksgiving and have always wondered what it can possibly mean to them. How is one thankful when they believe there is no being who deserves that thanks? This year, and every year, let us remember that Thanksgiving is not just some enjoyable relic of our past; it is meant to be a very present moment of humble gratitude for the blessings of Almighty God.

Blessings,
Pastor Bill

Pastor's Office Hours:

Thursday, November 3rd & 17th from 6:30-8:30PM or by appointment

YOU ARE INVITED!
COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH
AT NEW MARKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
101 East Main Street, New Market, IN 47965

DINE IN WITH US
5:00PM-7:30PM

OR

DRIVE THRU AND TAKE IT HOME
PICK UP BEHIND THE CHURCH

OR

DELIVER TO YOUR HOME
BEGIN AT 4:00PM

Whether you Dine In, Drive Thru or
have your Meal Delivered you must
call to reserve your meal

RSVP by calling the
Church 866-0703 or
Judy 866-0419



Please join us

NEW MARKET COMMUNITY
THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Sunday, November 20th

7:00PM

hosted by

New Market Christian Church

South 3rd St & Locust St, New Market

All are welcome

Volunteers for Mental Health

Gifts to make Christmas
wishes come true:

*Our organization will be
purchasing for each client a
toiletory kit. Please help by
donating these other items.*

Goods that are greatly-needed:

- ☐ Sweat-pants and sweat-tops
- ☐ Hooded sweat-shirts
- ☐ Cardigans
- ☐ Pajamas, nightgowns
- ☐ Socks
- ☐ Underwear

*Items that are less-requested,
but still greatly appreciated:*

- ☐ Men's shirts and ladies blouses
- ☐ T-shirts
- ☐ Pants
- ☐ Outerwear: jackets, hats, gloves

Nice extras:

- ☐ Adult-level coloring books and colored pencils
- ☐ Large-print crossword puzzles
- ☐ Large-print word-searches
- ☐ Nailcare and polish
- ☐ Hairbrushes and combs
- ☐ Cologne
- ☐ Inexpensive jewelry

*Thank you to
the United Way
and the people
of Montgomery County for
continued support!*

Volunteers for Mental Health
in Montgomery County
Christmas Program

Agencies whose clients are helped:

- ❖ Ability Services
- ❖ Group Homes
- ❖ Nursing homes
- ❖ Pam's Promise
- ❖ Trinity Men's Program
- ❖ Through the Gate
- ❖ Valley Oaks
- ❖ Veterans

*Cash donations help the
committee to purchase needed
items that are not otherwise
donated.*

*Checks payable to
VMHMC*

*Post Office Box 491
Crawfordsville, IN 47933*

501C3 receipts will be mailed.

Donations of goods will most
directly impact the current
distribution if they are received by
November 26th.

Donations are appreciated
throughout the year. Contact us if
you have items that need to be
picked up.

Ellen Ball – 765-366-6222

Kym Bushong – 765-866-1468

Denise Walker – 765-275-2689

e-mail: dbw@vmhmc.org

Thank you to Tipmont REMC
Operation Round-up for funding
our inventory system.

*Special gratitude to First
Christian Church for giving us a
home!*



**VOLUNTEERS FOR MENTAL HEALTH
in Montgomery County**

Post Office 491 Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933
vmhmc.org

2022 KEY COMMUNITY DATES

October 28 - November 21	Collection bins in the community
November 26 6:00-8:00	Downtown Party Night collection at Harry's Hideout with Southmont FCCLA
Tuesday, November 29	Stuff-a-thon at First Christian Church - 5:30 to 8:00 with Southmont FCCLA
Saturday, December 3	Wrap-a-thon at North Montgomery H.S. with North Montgomery Student Council and service organizations

2022 COMMUNITY COLLECTION CONTAINERS	
Host	Location
Chase Bank	200 S Washington St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
First Christian Church of Crawfordsville	211 S Walnut St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Fusion 54	101 W Main St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Gregg's Corner Market	100 W Washington St, Waynetown, IN 47990
Groups	1408 Darlington Ave Suite H, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Harry's Hideout	101 E. Main St. Crawfordsville, IN 47933
HHSB Crawfordsville East	1400 Darlington Ave, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
HHSB Crawfordsville South	1661 S US Highway 231 Crawfordsville, IN 47933
HHSB Ladoga	4123 E. Main St. Ladoga, IN 4795
HHSB Linden	100 N. Meridian St. Linden, IN 47955
HHSB New Ross	101 S. Main St. New Ross, IN 47968
HHSB Roachdale	108 N. Indiana St. Roachdale, IN 46172
Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance	100 Walter Remley Dr Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Jarocho Mini Market	128 N Green St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
New Market United Methodist Church	101 E Main Street, New Market, IN 47965
New Hope Chapel of Wingate	105 W. Main St, Wingate, IN 47994
R.P. Home and Harvest	1601 US-231, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Recovery Rec	1300 Ladoga Rd., Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Teachers Credit Union	1570 US-231, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Tri County Bank	224 E Main St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Tri County Bank	101 E South Blvd, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Youngs Chapel Church	2341 County Rd 550 N, Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**BY THE NUMBERS
ATTENDANCE & GIVING UPDATE**

September 25

Sunday School Attendance: 23
Sunday School Offering: \$ 55.00
Worship Attendance: 33
Sunday Offering: \$ 473.00

October 2

Sunday School Attendance: 21
Sunday School Offering: \$ 9.00
Worship Attendance: 26
Sunday Offering: \$ 617.00

October 9

Sunday School Attendance: 19
Sunday School Offering: \$ 10.00
Worship Attendance: 25
Sunday Offering: \$398.00

October 16

Sunday School Attendance: 13
Sunday School Offering: \$ 6.00
Worship Attendance: 15
Sunday Offering: \$ 565.00

October 23

Sunday School Attendance: 14
Sunday School Offering: \$ 14.00
Worship Attendance: 21
Sunday Offering: \$270.00

NOVEMBER VOLUNTEERS

Greeter

Judy Welliever

Usher

Bion Ruggles
Dixie Ruggles

Liturgist

6th Rhett Welliever
13th Kelly Clifton
20th Lori Hedrick
27th Dixie Ruggles

MEETINGS & EVENTS

United Methodist Women

Wednesday, Nov 2, 7:00PM

Holy Communion

Sunday, Nov 6, 10:45AM

United Methodist Men's

Wednesday, Nov 9, 7:00PM

Administrative Council

Wednesday, Nov 16, 7:00PM

PRAYER REQUEST

- Marjorie Bowman
- Dick Chadd
- Rodney Coffman
- Dan Cramer
- Patty Curry
- Jameson Dolan
- Dolores Farley
- Ken Harlan
- Ann Hasty
- Louise Hulse
- Luke Hurt
- Glenellen King
- Mary Ann Lowe
- Bill Pike (Pastor's Bill father)
- Bev Reed
- Barb Runyon
- Madeline Sexton
- Norma Sillery
- Joan Vessel
- Ukraine Crisis

*Our deepest sympathy to those
who have lost loved ones.*

COLLEGE CARE PACKAGE

Pictured is one of the two care packages sent to Jacob Pike recently from the congregation. Jacob shared this picture of his hall of goodies. Jacob is studying at Patrick Henry College in Purcellville, Virginia.



NEW MARKET UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Five women met at Rhett Welliever's home with Rachel Welliever as hostess October 5, 2022. President Brooke Pike called the meeting to order at 7:00 P. M.

New Business: Plans for this Friday's 50+ luncheon were finalized. There are 34 reservations. It was decided to keep the same officers for 2023: President, Brooke Pike; Vice-President, none; Secretary, Dixie Ruggles; Treasurer, Sheila Chadd. Brooke moved to accept the slate; Rachel seconded and the slate was accepted.

Budget items were discussed for 2023.

Cards were signed for Sue Foy, Norma Sillery, Jacob Pike, Gary Fruits, Louise Hulse, and Luke Hurt.

The meeting closed at 7:50 P. M. The group decided to enjoy Rhett's bonfire. They roasted marshmallows and smores instead of discussing chapter 12 of the study book. The next meeting is November 2, 2022. The group will discuss chapter 12 of Laugh Again by Charles Swindoll.



UNITED METHODIST MEN

No less than 20 people (and two dogs) attended the annual October outing sponsored by the UMM on Sunday the 9th. The event was held at Jamie and Marci Welliever's property and everyone had a great time roasting hot dogs, fishing, taking a hayride, and enjoying the perfect fall colors.



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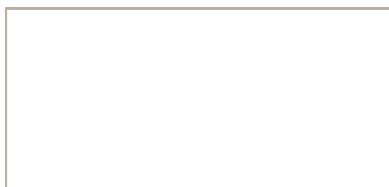
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PUMPKIN PIE
PURITANS
SQUASH
STUFFING
THANKSGIVING
TURKEY
YAMS

November 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 UMW Meeting 7PM	3 Pastor's Office Hours 6:30-8:30PM	4 50 Plus Luncheon Jane Jones Birthday	5
6 Daylight Savings Time Holy Communion	7	8 Election Day Bill & Brooke Pike Anniversary	9 UMM Meeting 7PM	10	11 Veterans Day	12
13	14	15	16 Ad Council Meeting 7PM	17 Pastor's Office Hours 6:30-8:30PM Lana Buck Birthday	18	19 Comm. Thanksgiving Dinner
20 Community Thanksgiving Service 7:00PM Charge Conference 3PM	21	22	23	24 Happy Thanksgiving Day Matt Green Birthday	25 Rhett Welliever Birthday	26
27	28	29 Marcia Shaw Birthday	30			

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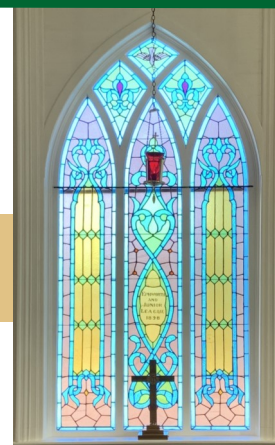


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Methodist Messenger

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday School: 9:30 AM
Worship Gathering: 10:45 AM



Find Us On Facebook!

Just google New Market UMC Indiana and select New Market / Waveland United Methodist Church Indiana Organization| Facebook. If you have any pictures or events you want posted, please contact Lori Hedrick.

Find Us On Our Website!

Just go to www.newmarketumc.org or google New Market United Methodist Church Indiana
If you have any thing you would like to put on the church website, pleas contact Rachel Welliever