



Today's flowers have been provided by Gary and Sandee Degner.

"Thank you church family for all of your prayers." —the Degners

JAMA Food Pantry

The pantry is in need of Skillet Dinners.

Monetary donations are also accepted.

Prayer Requests/Praises:

Form with 10 horizontal lines for writing prayer requests or praises.

What ways would you like to serve JUMC?

Offering Counter ()

Media Tech ()

Worship (Play instrument, sing, liturgist, other) ()

Assist in the Nursery ()

Help with:

Youth () Children ()

Other _____



JUMC is sponsoring an upcoming Honor Flight of Appalachian Highlands the weekend of April 26-28th 2024. Join us for these two events.

#1 The special teams committee is asking for the 'largest crowd ever' to 'send' the Veterans on their way on Friday April 26th at 7:30- 7:45 am arrival. Please stick around until the Veterans board the bus for departure after 8:30 am.

#2 Arrival Sunday (around 5pm). We are asking everyone to meet at 4:30 to receive Veterans.

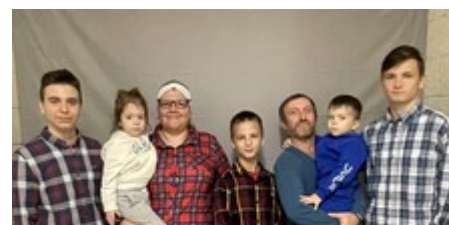
We are looking for a large crowd on both days, please invite family members, friends, neighbors to support the veterans.

Farewell to our beloved Pryhoda Family

With tears and smiles and much love, we will say farewell to our beloved Pryhoda family. They have made the difficult decision to return to their homeland, Ukraine. They will be leaving us in May.

A drop in farewell social is being planned for Sunday, April 21, 2-4 pm, in the Fellowship Hall.

A love offering will be received. Please make checks or envelopes to JUMC and designate for the Pryhodas.



Mission Focus of the Month:

Backpacks for Liberia

It's time again to prepare for the Hands-On Conference Mission Project—backpacks for our United Methodist schools in Liberia. Most of you have learned over the years how much these children need our support to get an education in a country with insufficient resources to provide it for them. The UMC in Liberia operates schools including a university, seven senior high schools, nine junior high schools, and twenty-one elementary schools. The church also provides subsidies for 80 other schools operated by local United Methodist congregations. We have long supported the J.J. Roberts school in Monrovia.

Can you help supply a backpack for the children there? The Mission and

You're Welcome Here!

No matter who you are, there's a place for you at Jonesborough United Methodist Church: a place to belong and a place to make a difference. Here you'll find warm and supportive people who know first-hand the struggles and joys of living. We offer to walk alongside you as we discover the grace of God through Jesus Christ.

Pastor Michael Lester



Our Prayer Warriors for April are:

4/07 Mary Ann Clark

4/14 Bill Flanary

4/21 Billy Lewis

4/28 Linda Likavec (E), Wiley Daffron (L)

Please remember these in prayer:

- Keep our eyes on God
Katy & Dennis Rosolowski
Kim Bacon (cancer)
Tony Denton (cancer)
Wendy Fields (cancer)
Bill Shoun (cancer)
Beckham Little
Matthew Ledford
Kristi Parrish (terminal cancer)
Shiple family, Roger passed away. Pray for Bobby and the entire family
Bonnie (Janet Bridwell's sister), in the ER getting tests
David Jenson, Deborah Soike's brother (kidney cancer/surgery)
Cheryl Vineis passed away, friend of Tim Furches, pray for friends/family
Amy Shiple (respiratory illness, getting better)
Marshia Adams
The Colby Family
Bill Overhulser
Selma Vicars (recovering from shoulder surgery)
Stephanie Furches (recovering from thyroid surgery)
General Conference

Sunday School Classes are available from 9:45-10:30

Adults, we have a class for everyone!

- Senior Adults "Open Door" in the Main Fellowship Hall with Barbara Ollis, Betty Durman and Ellen Snodgrass facilitating
30+ Co-Ed "Good News" in Room # 102/110 (Fireplace Room) with rotating teachers
Ladies of All Ages "Upward Bound" in Room # 213 (Library) with rotating teachers
All Ages, co-ed "Upper Room" in Room # 201 with Bobby Shiple facilitating
All ages, co-ed in the Prayer Room with Joe & Linda Likavec facilitating (exception is 1st Sunday (communion—no class))

Attendance and Giving Weekly needs 2024: \$10, 991

4/7 182 \$9889.00



Jonesborough United Methodist Church



April 14, 2024 10:45 AM

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Church Office Hours

Monday 8:00am-4:00pm
Tuesday 8:00am-4:00pm
Wednesday 8:00am-4:00pm
Thursday 8:00am-4:00pm
Friday 8:00am-3:00pm
Closed during lunch M-TH 12-1pm and Fri 11-12:00pm

Order of Worship
April 14, 2024
10:45am Worship Service

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Michael

Bringing in the Light Dane Johnson

Prelude Mindy Mangino
"Children's Medley"

***Call to Worship** Starlene Casey

Christ invites us to come as children.

We are children of God.

Christ invites us to follow Him.

We follow Christ as trusting children.

Christ invites us to love as children love.

We want to love others as children of God.

Christ opens our minds to know and love God.

Let us worship together as children of God!

***Opening Hymn** #277
"Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"

***Passing of the Peace**

Children's Sermon Ms. Rebecca

Song *"Jesus Loves Me"* Sadie Fisher

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Ms. Haley & Phoebe

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us,

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

***Offertory** Sunnie Fisher
"In The Garden"

***Doxology** #95

Offertory Prayer Starlene Casey

Children's Program..."P is For Parables"
 Ms. Rebecca and Ms. Haley

Scripture— "The Sower" Matthew 13:1-9
 Phoebe Hankal

Song *"I Wanna Be Good Ground"* Children's Choir

Scripture— "The Lost Sheep" Matthew 18:12-14
 Cora Gilham

Song *"Baa Baa, He's the Good Shepherd"* Children's Choir

Scripture—"The Mustard Seed" Matthew 13:31
 Hannah Poland

Song *"My God Is So Big"* Children's Choir

Sermon: "Open Minds" Pastor Michael

***Sending Forth Hymn** #170
"O How I Love Jesus"

***Benediction** Pastor Michael

***Postlude** Children's Choir and Congregation
"Jesus Loves the Little Children"

In ear monitors are available for anyone that would like one. Ask the Sound/Video Technicians or Usher for assistance.

Announcements

TODAY is Social Sunday with Donuts and More

4/14 Children's Sunday in the 2nd service

4/15 Finance Committee Mtg. at 6:00pm in room 102

4/16 Busy Hands with a Purpose meet at 10am in the FH

4/18 Hymn Sing is back at 2:00pm in the FH

4/21 Youth Sunday in the 2nd service, Food w/Friends at 5:30pm (youth arrive to deliver food)

4/21 Pryhoda Farewell Social in the FH from 2-4pm

4/22-4/28 Pastor and Nancy are on vacation this week

4/28 HS Senior Luncheon at the Youth Center directly following service

4/26-4/28 Honor Flight Weekend Friday is send off starting at 7:30am in the Fellowship Hall, Sunday

Welcome Home, arrive no later than 4:30pm in the Sanctuary

5/1 Church Conference will be held at JUMC in the Fellowship Hall at 6:00pm for the purpose of voting on the sale of the former Youth House

5/4 Diane's Closet from 2-4pm in the Youth Center (see the Pathfinder for more info on drop-off dates and items accepted)

*Every Tuesday at 7:30pm AA meets in the FH

*Every Wednesday at 12:00pm Kiwanis meets in the FH

*Every Wednesday Choir Practice at 6:45pm in the Sanctuary

Children's Ministry

Nursery: Erin Gilham **Toddlers:** Ms. Jewel

K-Grade- 3—Rebecca Cunningham RM101

Grades 4-5 —Haley Hankal RM211

Children's Church K-grade 3 1st & 2nd services —Palm Sunday, Easter & Ascension—with Rebecca & Haley

Children's Announcements

Adventure Kids is from 5:30-7:00 p.m. **this Wednesday evening,**

4/10 (meal at 5:30pm, programming at 6:00pm) Last one for this session **Children's Sunday is 4/14.** Our program will be during the second service only.

VBS June 17-21, more info to come. See Ms. Rebecca if you'd like to volunteer

Youth Ministry Announcements

Grades 6-8 —Study from the book Opening Ideas at Youth Center with Mary Ann Clark

Grades 9-12 — at the Youth Center with Mike Johnson

Bible Study at the Youth Center at 6:00pm every Wednesday Evening

Youth Programming at the Youth Center every Sunday from 6-7:30 pm

4/21 Youth Sunday in 2nd Service and then Food with Friends at 5:30 to deliver food

4/28 HS Senior Luncheon right after Service in the Youth Center

We Welcome You To....

Jonesborough United

Methodist Church

Tear this off and place it

in the offering plate.

We are glad you are worshiping with us today. Please fill out the information requested on both sides of this card so we can respond to your needs and welcome you. Thank you!

Today's Date: 4/14/2024

Service Time: 10:45am

Are you a: (Circle One)

Member Guest

We Want to Get to Know You:

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone # _____

Email: _____

Age: (Circle)

Under 12

13-18

19-30

31-55

56-65

66 and over

Please check all that apply....

- Recently moved to this community
- Desire to know more about JUMC
- Desire to join JUMC
- Desire to be added to mailing list
- Here visiting family
- I would like a tour of the church