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*Items need to be submitted for the bulletin by Thursday morning.*

*If you or a loved one has been admitted to the hospital, we would like to know.*

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# Faith United Methodist Church



## **February 24th**

Ushers:

Randy & Jeri Schreiber, Mark & Thea Crawmer

Liturgist:

Barb Wolfe

Nursery:

Pat Tolle & Cindy Howard

## Upcoming Servants March 3rd

Ushers:

Floyd & Pat Tolle, Orlen Bates, Jr., Jim Tignor

Communion Servers:

Donnie & Roberta Covert, Marsha Kelly, Marlene Farley

Liturgist:

Roberta Covert

Nursery:

Heather, Carlee, & CJ DeGarmo

## Upcoming Servants March 10th

Ushers:

Susie Dunlap, Nonny Brackman,  
Teresa Felton, Beth Dougherty

Liturgist:

Mark Crawmer

Nursery:

Pat Tolle & Cindy Howard

## Free Store

The free store at First Church on Putnam Avenue is in desperate need of all sizes: coats, socks, warm hats and gloves, warm shoes and boots and any other hoodies and sweatshirts or jeans

## Reading Club Announcement

We will be choosing a new set of books for the UMW 2019 Book and Reading Club Program. We will also be setting the dates, times and places for our meetings.

If you would like to be involved in the book selection process, we are meeting on February 19, at 5:45p.m. in the lounge.

See Barb Wolfe if you have any questions.

## Head Start Blessing Bags

Below is a list of some food examples for the weekly blessing bags that are given to our Head Start students. When purchasing items, please remember that there are 14-17 students enrolled at a time and, if possible, we would like to make all bags have identical contents.

- Shelf stable Nesquik or Yoo-hoo chocolate milk
- Fruit cups/canned fruit

## Prayer List

Mel Adams

Wanda Adams

Emma Barry

Cindy Bates

Brian Burns

Dan Campbell

Dennis Cebulsky

Dorothy Corder

Connie DeGarmo

David DeGarmo

Faith UMC

Marlene Farley

Fraya Frampton

Head Start

Homeless

Marcus Mayle

Don Miller

Janice Moore

Jerry Moore Sr.

Jimmy Moore

Joesy Moore

Richards Family

Todd Sands

Our Soldiers

Steve Summers

Jane Tignor

Pastor Joy Wigal

Don & Vicky Wolfe

## Medical Faith Shut-ins

Frances Johnson

Kathleen McCutcheon

\*Names will remain on the prayer list for one month. If you would like to add, remove, or keep someone on the list, please note on your connection card. Thank you.

## Upcoming Events

Sunday, February 24		
Sunday School		9:30AM
Worship		10:30AM
Sunday, March 3		
Sunday School		9:30AM
Worship		10:30AM
Wednesday, March 6		
Ash Wednesday Service @ Coburn UMC		6:00PM
Thursday, March 7		
Eventide Circle		1:00PM
Friday, March 8		
NA Event		5:00PM
Sunday, March 10		
Sunday School		9:30AM
Worship		10:30AM
Capital Fund Luncheon	After Worship	
Lenten Service @ Central Trinity UMC		6:00PM
New Hope Circle		6:30PM
Saturday, March 16		
UMW District Committee Meeting		2:30PM
Sunday, March 17		
Sunday School		9:30AM
Worship		10:30AM
Capital Fund Paint Party		2:00PM
Lenten Service @ Grace UMC		6:00PM
Friday, March 22		
Newsletter Deadline		12:00PM
Sunday, March 24		
Sunday School		9:30AM
Worship		10:30AM

- Peanut butter/cheese filled sandwich crackers
- Juice boxes
- Single serve mac-n-cheese cups
- Canned tuna
- Peanut butter
- Canned spaghetti o's/ravioli, etc.
- Beef jerky
- Granola bars
- Goldfish crackers
- Pudding cups
- Canned chicken
- Animal crackers
- Fruit snacks

### March Luncheon

Plan to stay after worship on Sunday, March 10th and eat lunch with us.

Eventide Circle will prepare the meal with your donations benefiting the Capital Fund

The menu will be:

Roast Pork, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Jello Salad, White Grapes, Texas Sheet Cake, and Drinks

Please bring your cup or mug for your drink.

We hope you will plan to stay and eat with us.

### Save the date!

The New Hope Circle will be hosting a Capital Fundraiser (Boiler/AC) lunch after service on Sunday, April 14, 2019. Join us for what will be a great home cooked meal. Menu detail coming soon. See you then!

## Announcements and Welcome

### Breakthrough Prayer

Abundant God, we are bursting with anticipation  
to see the new that you have in store  
for Faith Church and our community.  
Thunder forth your will for fresh possibilities!  
You say in your word,  
“See I am about to do something new.  
It begins now! Don’t you see it?” (Is. 43:19)  
Lord, help us to see clearly  
the next steps on your path. Amen.

### Prelude

### Call to Worship

Come! Let all who are one in the body of Christ gather for worship!

**Whether we are great or small, rich or poor, free or captive,**

We are each united, one with each other, through the love of Christ.

**This day Christians in every land will gather together for worship.**

And in the holy meal of Christ they will again declare God's love.

**Blessed be the name of the Lord!**

*UMH 548“ In Christ There is no East or West”*

### Unison Prayer

O Wisdom on high, open our eyes to your truth, open our ears to your word, open our minds to your presence, open our hearts to your love. May we gain the knowledge and the understanding of your will for us, so that we might say and do that which comes only from you. Spirit of grace, bring us closer to you that we may be led in the paths that you have chosen for us. May your will for our lives be evident in the decisions we make. Grant us the discernment of mind and heart. Help us to put aside our own thoughts and desires so that in all things your will may be

done in us as it is in heaven. Amen.

*UMH 393 Prayer Song“ Spirit of the Living God”*

### Pastoral Prayer

UMH 895 “The Lord’s Prayer”

Giving of our Tithes & Offerings

*UMH 95“ The Doxology”*

### Prayer of Dedication

O God, we present these offerings with a prayer for unity among the branches of your Church. Use these gifts and us to work for that unity, which will enable Christians everywhere to work together for your kingdom. Amen.

*UMH 545“ The Church’s One Foundation”*

### New Testament Lesson

Acts 10

The Power to Unite

Pastor Joy Wigal

*Insert “ They’ll Know We are Christians”*

### Benediction

My fellow servants, we are one.

**The bread we share makes us one.**

**The cup we pour makes us one.**

Even as our dearest sisters and brothers come and go from us, we are one.

**Even as we scatter from this place**

**to so many diverse pursuits**

**throughout this city, this state, this globe,**

**we are one.**

With gratitude we share the Table.

**With gratitude we depart.**

With gratitude we release one another,

trusting in the One

Who makes us one.

Go in peace. **Amen.**

~ Paul Randall. <http://www.ecclesiahouston.org/>