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## Next Week's Faith Servants

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

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Randy & Jeri Schreiber

Liturgist: Barb Tignor

Nursery: Heather, Carlee & CJ DeGarmo

*Bulletin items need to be submitted by 8AM Thursday.  
If you or a loved one has been admitted to the  
hospital, we would like to know.*

## Faith UMC Office

Tuesday: 1:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

Wednesday & Thursday: 8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

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# Faith United Methodist Church



**September 29, 2019**

Ushers: Randy & Jeri Schreiber,  
Doug & Bradley Adams

Liturgist: Randy Schreiber

Nursery: Jessica Stonecypher

## **Lifewell Hog Roast**

Make plans to have lunch at Coburn UMC on October 6th for the Lifewell Youth Program's annual hog roast fundraiser. It will run from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. On the menu is: pulled pork sandwiches, mac and cheese, green beans, baked beans, potato salad, desserts and beverages. You can purchase tickets from our office or from Nick and Cindy Howard. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$5 for kids ages 6-12 and free for kids under 5.

## **Celebration of Women**

"Lunch with Patsy Clairmont"

All ladies of the church are invited to our annual "Celebration of Women" luncheon, hosted by the United Methodist Women on Saturday, October 19, 2019 at 12:00 noon. We will enjoy a DVD presentation of Patsy Clairmont, Christian motivational speaker and author. She will talk to us about chickens, panty hose and women's reputations. Join us for a delicious lunch, great fellowship and a few laughs.

The cost is \$5.00. See Roberta Covert to make your reservation by October 13.

## **Scrap Drive**

We will have our next scrap drive October 7th—16th. All proceeds will go straight to our capital fund.

## **Capital Luncheon**

Eventide Circle will be hosting a capital fundraising luncheon on Sunday, October 27th. We will enjoy a pasta smorgasbord, salad, and cake for dessert.

## **UMW Book Club Meeting**

The next book/reading club dinner meeting will be at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, October 28, 2019. The book is **READER'S CHOICE** and must be selected from the **SOCIAL ACTION** list. If you need a list, see Barb Wolfe. The meeting place will be announced later. Happy Reading!

*So go into the world;  
live as God's people,  
through the grace of Jesus Christ,  
and the power of the Holy Spirit.*

**Amen.**

## **Prayer List**

Bradley Adams	All Levels of Leadership
Cindy Bates	Don & Betty Miller
Tom Brennan	Bernie & Kay Mitchell
Jamie Bright	Nancy Neptune
Tom Burrows	Joann Norman
Steve DeGarmo	Karen Norman
Fraya & Tom Frampton	Kathleen Ramsey
Sandra Gobel	Lori Revercomb
Family of Stacy Green	Steve Summers
Homeless Community	Jim Tignor
Henrietta Hurst	Logan Wolford
Ronald Kelly	

Medical Faith Shut-ins:

Frances Johnson and Kathleen McCutcheon

\*Names will remain on the prayer list for one month unless otherwise requested.

## Prayer of Dedication

God, Your extravagant love has called us together.  
Long before we even knew You,  
You already knew us,  
and had chosen us to be part of Your own family—  
sisters and brothers with our Lord Jesus Christ.  
We offer You the worship of our hearts and lives,  
and opening ourselves to the prompting and leading  
of Your Holy Spirit.  
Receive our worship—our praise and prayers and  
offerings and our very lives—  
through Your Son, Jesus Christ,  
our Savior and Lord. Amen.

*Hymn* "Where He Leads Me" *UMH 338*

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 **Called: God Calls Us!**

Pastor Joy Wigal

*Hymn* "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" *UMH 664*

## Benediction

*As you leave this place, remember this:*

*You are the ones chosen by God,*

**chosen for the high calling of priestly work,**

**chosen to be holy people,**

**to be instruments in doing God's work**

**and speak out to tell others what God has**

**done for you.**

## Blessing Bags

Please consider purchasing some shelf stable food items for our blessing bags that are sent home with Head Start students each week. There are generally about 16 students, so exact quantities are appreciated. Thanks for your support of this wonderful program!

## Faith UMC Woman of the Year

It is time again to nominate a woman of Faith UMC for the "Woman of the Year" honor awarded at the Celebration of Women lunch on October 19. If you know of a deserving women, please pick up a form at the Welcome counter on Sunday morning, fill it out, and return it to the church office by Sunday, October 6.

## Upcoming Events

Sunday, September 29	
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship	10:30 a.m.
Thursday, October 3	
Clergy Meeting	9:00 a.m.
Eventide Circle	1:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 6	
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship	10:30 a.m.
Monday, October 7	
Scrap Drive Starts	
Wednesday, October 9	
Staff Evaluations	6:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 13	
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship	10:30 a.m.
New Hope Circle	6:30 p.m.
Saturday, October 19	
PPRC Training	10:00 a.m.
Celebration of Women	12:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 20	
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.

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

The people of God were made for worship:

**To sing and to praise, to laugh and to dance.**

The people of God were made for God’s presence:

**For pleasure and praise, for joy and for song.**

Come, holy people, God’s chosen disciples:

**Gather for worship, come from all places!**

We have come to God’s set aside space, gathered together.

**We have come to praise God and ready ourselves for God’s leading.**

Hymn      “Jesus Calls Us O’er the Tumult”      UMH 398

Unison Prayer

God of Grace,  
we know that you have chosen us,  
but we often forget that you have also chosen others.  
You call us to be imitators of Christ,  
yet many times we are imitators of the world.  
You challenge us to turn from our idols,  
but we are tempted to turn back to them again  
and again.

Rescue us, Lord, from ourselves.

Show us your way.

Guide our every action,  
that we may live as you call us to live.

~ written by Amy Loving, and posted on The Worship Closet.

Prayer Song      “Here I Am, Lord”      UMH 593

Pastoral Prayer

“The Lord’s Prayer”      UMH 895

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

“The Doxology”      UMH 95