Prayer Concerns

Diane Adams (health concerns)

Marti Bingham (recuperating from surgery for brain tumor)

Patti Bohner (At Anderson in Edwardsville for rehab for a broken hip)

John Blythe (recuperating from hernia surgery)

Sara Clark (health concerns)

Ava Cooper (10year old neighbor of Candy Zeman, now #2 on the list for heart transplant)

Steve Cox (Jane Cox's son, recovering at home

Elaine Culbertson (health concerns)

Dottie (Ann Schwarm's friend)

Taryn Flake (attending St. Paul Seminary)

Willard Fulk (health concerns)

Leonard Gehle (Deb Durbin's father; prostate Cancer treatment)

Ginger Hamilton (cancer treatments)

Amy Holaday (breast cancer has returned)

Heather Jones (hemochromatosis)

Kathy (Friend of Ann Schwarm, Her husband passed away unexpectedly)

Carson LaDage (please continue to pray, as the treatment plan is currently working)

Jason Mouser (complications from a stroke) David Rademacher (diagnosed with chronic

Lymphocytic Leukemia)

Family of Phyllis Rames

Judy Roberts (back surgery has been cancelled. New date to be determined.)

Sydney Rosborough (diagnosed with TOS, re covering from surgery)

Drew Schneider (recovering from surgery)

Meilynn Schneider (2024 Was her best year ever! Happy Anniversary! Praying it continues in 2025)

Gaynelle Scott (breast cancer)

Lana Sefton (stage 4 breast cancer)

Donna Taylor (recovering from a brain bleed) Heather (Jones) Thompson (breast cancer)

Vandalia High School Wrestlers

Darin Wells (in complete remission from non-Hodgkin's lymphoma)

Richie Well & Shelby (got engaged!)

Ken Williams (health concerns

Hudson Winters (diagnosed with LCH)

Please be sure to update the Church office and/ or Pastor Curtis if you know anyone that's in the hospital.

635 Food Pantry

Food Pantry is in need of any and all nonperishable items.

This Week's Activities

Monday, March 3

5:30pm, 10 U Basketball Practice 6:00pm. United Methodist Men

Tuesday, March 4

8:00am. Pickleball

5:15pm, Praise Team Practice

Wednesday, March 5

2:00pm, Pastor's Bible Study

4:00pm, Choir Practice

4:45pm. Handbell Practice

6:00pm, Youth Group

6:30pm. Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, March 6

8:00am, Pickleball

5:30pm, 10 U Basketball Practice

7:30pm, Family Center Reserved

Friday, March 7

8:00am. Family Center Reserved

Saturday, March 8

8:00am, Family Center Reserved

Sunday, March 9

8:00am, Family Center Reserved

Happy Birthday!

2—Ellie Doyle

3—Dana Kern

4—Deb Durbin

Amelia Moulton 6—Sherry Schneider

7—Mason Johnson

8—Megan Grapperhaus Eric Miller

8—Bill & Kim Warner (12 years)

Lighthouse Pregnancy

The Lighthouse Pregnancy Center will be holding two fundraising banquets. The first one will be Tuesday, March 18, 2025 at 6:00pm at the Hillsboro Free Methodist Church and the second one will be held at the Vandalia Moose Lodge on Thursday, March 20, 2025 at 6:00pm. RSVP by calling 618-283-8750 or email: LPHSRECEP-TION.LPC@GMAIL.COM.

Ukrainian Refugee Family Support

Please consider giving to this church's Ukrainian Refugee Fund. This fund will be utilized to make up the difference the wages of Victoria and Oleg's jobs don't cover for their ongoing living expenses.

First United Methodist Church Vandalia, Illinois

Pastor Curtis Flake

March 2, 2025



Announcements Prelude He is Exalted Call to Worship **Opening Songs** Your Grace is Enough How Great is Our God Children's Lesson Children are invited to join Kingdom Kids (located one level below sanctuary) after the children's lesson Nicene Creed **UMH 880 Anthem** The Perfect Ten (Spirit Singers) Scripture Lesson Luke 9: 28-36 Sermon Astounded at the Greatness Communion **UMH 95** Doxology Prayers, Joys, & Concerns

Prayer Song

Pastoral & Lord's Prayer

Majesty, Worship His Majesty, UMH 176

(Sing twice)

Blessing & Response

The Blessing

I Love to Tell the Story

UMH 895

Postlude

Closing Song



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Hannah Stombaugh Acolyte Kim Well Lituraist Tarvn Flake. Music Top Gun

Sue Miller & Kathy Taylor, Praise Team BJ Mueller, Song Leader Dawn Rosborough, Keyboardist Charlie Mills, **Drummer**

Bill Warner, Bus Driver Kim Warner, Bus Rider Mary Fulton, Bus Greeter Rand Craycroft, Video Tech Patrick Myers, Sound Tech John Burnam, Offering Collector

Kingdom Kids

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