

### Prayer Concerns

#### **Family of Larry Bennett**

**Marti Bingham** (recuperating from surgery for brain tumor)

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

#### **Family of Bob Cearlock**

**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)

**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)

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

**Heather Overlin** (Larry Osborne's daughter; health concerns)

**David Rademacher** (diagnosed with chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia)

**Sydney Rosborough** (diagnosed with TOS, recovering from surgery)

**Gaynelle Scott** (breast cancer)

**Lana Sefton** (stage 4 breast cancer)

**Family of Dana Smith** (Ed Taylor's sister)

**Donna Taylor** (recovering from a brain bleed)

**Heather (Jones) Thompson** (breast cancer)

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

**Ken Williams** (health concerns)

**Hudson Winters** (diagnosed with LCH and starting oral chemo)

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

### Coats & Shoes

The Coats & Shoes Committee is in need of Christmas wrapping paper and/or shoe boxes. If you have any left over, please bring in for them to use!

### Offering Envelopes

The offering envelopes for 2025 are in the Fireplace Room. If you don't see one with your name, please write it down on the form provided.

### This Week's Activities

#### **Sunday, January 12**

12:00pm, Family Center Reserved

2:00pm, Services @ Brookstone

#### **Monday, January 13**

6:15pm, NOW Committee Meeting

#### **Tuesday, January 14**

8:00am, Pickleball

#### **Wednesday, January 15**

2:00pm, Pastor's Bible Study

4:30pm, Choir Practice

5:30pm, Spirit Singers

6:00pm, Handbells

6:00pm, Youth Groups

#### **Thursday, January 16**

8:00am, Pickleball

5:15pm. Praise Team Practice

### Happy Birthday!

12— Roger Clark

Jeff Endres

Kyle Guffey

Billye Staff

15—Brooklyn Burnam

16—BJ Mueller

Cameron White

17—Hannah Stombaugh

18—Harper Burnam

Brandy Protz

### Cookie Reception & Un-Hanging of the Greens

The Hospitality Committee will be hosting a cookie reception following the service today to honor the children (and adults) that participated in the Christmas Program. We will work on un-hanging of the greens immediately following the cookie reception.

### Ukrainian Refugee Family Support

We pray that the war ends and people on both sides stop dying. 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.

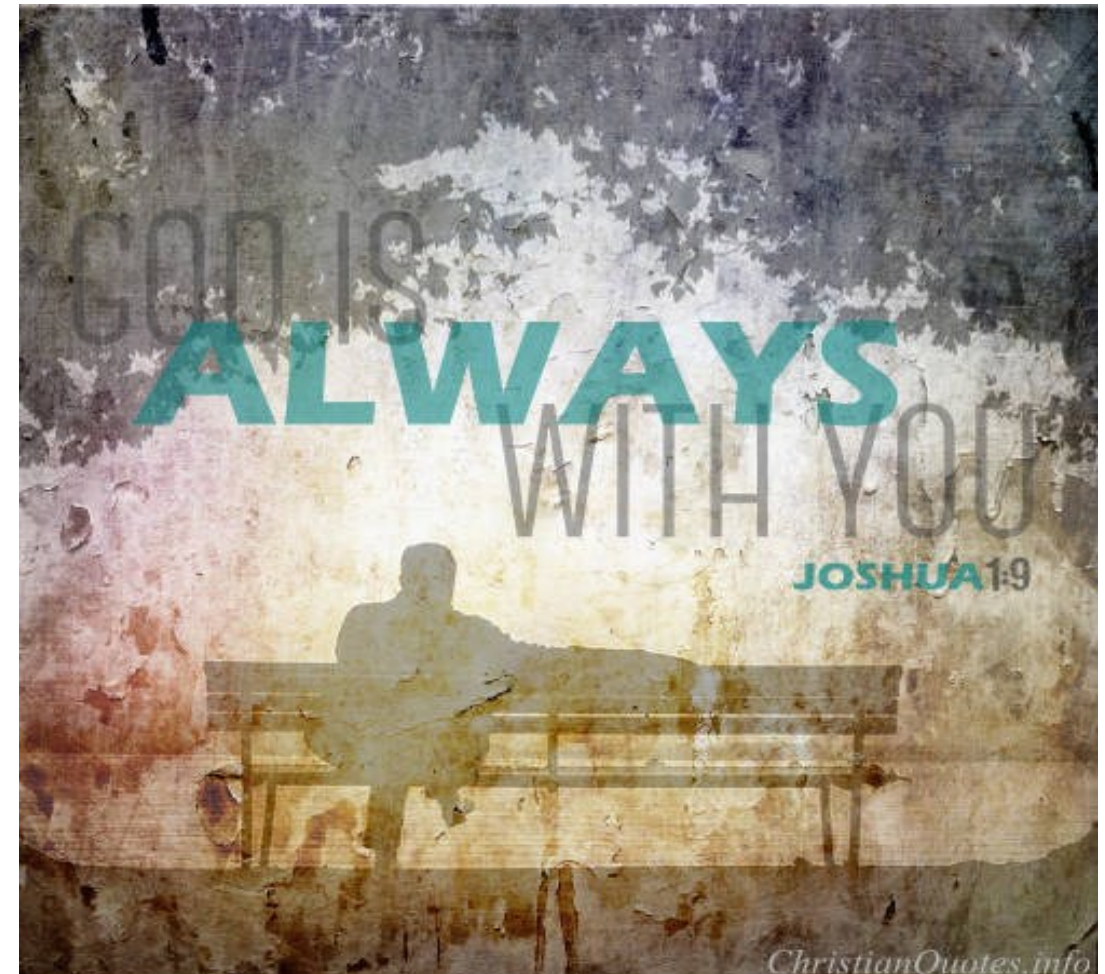
### 635 Food Pantry

The 635 Food Pantry is in need of any non-perishable items!! Don't forget, we are scheduled to work to pantry on January 30th. Please be there by 4:00pm.

# First United Methodist Church Vandalia, Illinois

Pastor Curtis Flake

January 12, 2025



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Announcements

Prelude

*Jesus, Name Above All Names*

Call to Worship

*Wesley's Covenant Prayer, UMH 607*

Opening Songs

*Hosanna (Praise is Rising)  
The Heart of Worship*

Children's Christmas Program

Scripture Lesson

Luke 3: 15-17 & 21-22

Sermon

I Will Be With You

Communion

Doxology

**UMH 95**

Prayers, Joys, & Concerns

Prayer Song

*Cares Chorus, TFWS 2215*

Pastoral & Lord's Prayer

**UMH 895**

Closing Song

*Breathe On Me, Breath of God, UMH 420*

Blessing & Response

*I Am Yours (The Wesley Covenant)  
(vs. 1)*

Postlude

*Down to The River*



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**TFWS:** The Faith We Sing  
**UMH:** United Methodist Hymnal  
**W & S:** Worship & Song

## Worship Leaders

JD Vieregge/Rand Craycroft, **Head Ushers**  
, **Usher**  
, **Greeter**  
Hannah Stombaugh, **Acolyte**  
Sherry Schneider, **Liturgist**  
Taryn Flake, **Music Head Honcho**  
Sue Miller & Kathy Taylor, **Praise Team**  
Charlene Jett, **Song Leader**  
Dawn Rosborough, **Keyboardist**  
Charlie Mills, **Drummer**  
Max Durbin **Bus Driver**  
Deb Durbin, **Bus Rider**  
Mary Fulton, **Bus Greeter**  
Rand Craycroft, **Video Tech**  
Rick Eyman, **Sound Tech**  
John Burnam, **Offering Collector**  
**Kingdom Kids**



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