

# WUMC Newsletter 02/20/2025



#### M&M Luncheon planned for today is cancelled

Due to the potential for inclement weather Wednesday and Thursday of this week we are cancelling our M&M meeting this month. Marion and I will reschedule our presentation on Falls & Fractures in Older Adults for later this Spring. The last thing we want to do is to have you all out in weather that is unsafe!



In just one week, we've collected 253 lbs. of food!! Incredible!

If you haven't participated yet, we'll be collecting through Sunday, March 2nd (which is 8 more days).

Bring items to the front pew of the Sanctuary anytime the office is open. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 9am - 12pm and Thursday, 12pm - 3pm.

Items that need constant replenishing:

Canned chicken, tuna, beef stew. Pasta sauce and spaghetti. Mac'n Cheese, Adult cereals, oatmeal and grits, small jars of jelly, vegetable oil, canned fruit and soup, laundry detergent, dish soap.

May we be thankful, keep our eyes open to the need around us, do what we can, and pray for those in dire circumstances.



Our Minevia Brittain Circle meets monthly on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm. Locations vary. Call or text Joy Pansiera for info at 828.777.2337.

Our Matilda Dryman Circle meets monthly on the 3rd Thursday at 10am in the Love Conference Room. Contact Mary Ann Fieffer at 828.242.6080 or <u>mabramsey@aol.com.</u>



Youth Group meets Sunday afternoon from 4:30pm-6pm. Bring your bible and a friend. Snacks are provided.



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- February 1: Elaine Barnett, Roney Hilliard
- February 2: Andrea Massell
- February 6: Janice Garland
- February 11: Vickie Davis
- February 14: Dan Joyner, Susan Sudimak
- February 15: Bob Foor
- February 16: Kim Mallicoat, Daniel Moffitt, Robert Weaver
- February 17: Ann Bass, Jim Mayo, Barbara Moffitt
- February 18: Bruce Childress
- February 19: Matthew Davis
- February 20: Cindy Farthing
- February 21: Sam Phelan
- February 22: Drew Cooley
- February 23: Cindy Hoots
- February 24: John Dankel, Marry Ann Ramsey-Fieffer



**\*\***SAVE THE DATE: MARCH 13 for our season change event from 9 to 4. Whatever time you wish - an hour, the whole day. Be prepared to laugh and have a good time. We'll be sorting Spring/Summer clothing by size. Some volunteers can match to make outfits. We've been generously blessed so need lots of help!

#### **B.E.A.R. Closet Hours:**

#### 1st and 3rd Mondays from 5-7pm 2nd, 4th and 5th (when applicable) Mondays from 10am-12pm

Current needs are free standing highchairs, size 6/6T boy's long sleeve shirts & pants, size 12 and 13 sneakers for girls, non-expired Car Seats and Car Booster Seats

Use our wish lists on <u>Amazon</u>, <u>Target</u>, and <u>Walmart</u> for specific ideas. All our info and links are also on the WUMC website <u>https://www.weavervilleumc.org</u> Click BEAR Closet for ideas.

Want to help out? Contact Catherine Love at <u>catmlove@charter.net</u> or call the BEAR closet at 828.658.5373. There are options to volunteer on a one time or regular basis. Come by during our open hours and check us out!



Join us for our next sewing bee! Saturday, March 1 from 9:00am - 5:00pm Fellowship Center: main room and Love Conference Room A bee day is a fun time with like-minded quilters working on individual projects. Bring your sewing supplies and come get crafty with us! All kinds of sewing projects are welcome, not just quilting. You are welcome to stay for all of just part of the day -- whatever works for your schedule. There will be show & tell, Q& A if you are stuck, & a whole day devoted to your project. Please contact Angela Moser at 828-215-2642 or email Missangelf@outlook.com

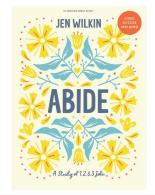


The class meets every Sunday in the Education Building, main floor at 10 am. Beginning on Sunday, January 26, we will start <u>Everything Must</u> <u>Change</u> by Brian McLaren.



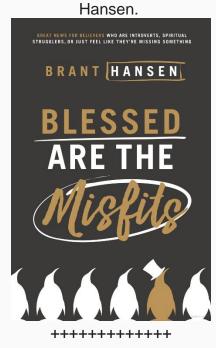
# **Women's Bible Study**

We meet every Tuesday from 10:30 to 12 Noon in the classroom on the main floor in the Education Building. We study <u>Abide</u> by Jen Wilkin.



++++++++ Ignite Class

We will meet at 9:45 AM upstairs in the Education Building, Room 302, and are studying *Blessed Are the Misfits:* Great News for Believers Who Are Introverts, Spiritual Strugglers, or Just Feel Like They're Missing Something by Brant





Please let the office know of anyone you want to be included in our prayers

PRAISES: Phyllis Stowe, Julian Palien

#### FAMLIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Art Hawkins

#### PRAISES/CONCERNS:

Barnardsville Recovery, Evan Blount, Aubrey Cooper, Christin Freelan, Sue Jones, Sharon and George Waltman, Terri Wilson, Pamela Witcher.

#### CONCERNS:

Government and Government Employees, Hurricane Helene victims, Search for Youth and Children's Director, Heather Abadilla, Dan Benhave, Ed Blount, Kenny Boring, Lena Brooker, Linda Cook, Maggie D., Dee Dee Dillingham, Tad Edwards, Ben Farthing, Tracy Fiaco, Tonya Fotinos, Jim Greenhut, Elizabeth and John Hambring, Cliff and Lynn Harvey, Henderson Family, Richard Laramer, Ken Lovelace, Craig and Tina Monaco, Jeanne Morgan, Jennifer Phillips, Pond Family, Beverly Royall, Catherine Schroader, Emily Sewel, Joan Stafford, Floyd Stevens, Stan and Joanie Strohm, Mary and Jack Teague, Travis Teague, Unspoken, Germaine Weaver, People in Ukraine, Gaza, Syria.



## **Supporting the Church**

General Giving By Week: Target Giving Goal each week: **\$9,000.00** 

January 26: **\$6,201.00** 

February 2:	\$4,032.00
February 9:	\$6,905.65
February 16:	\$3,348.00

#### As of January 31, 2025:

Income:\$18,653.55Expenses:\$27,187.45Net:-\$8,533.90

Mortgage Balance \$160,747.82

#### Attendance at worship:

January 26:109 totalFebruary 2:94 totalFebruary 9:95 totalFebruary 16:95 total

## **Finance Update**

Thank you very much to everyone who has continued to support WUMC with their contributions! Options to donate:

1. On our web site

2. Through your bank's online bill pay

3. Mail checks to:

Weaverville United Methodist Church | PO Box 37 | Weaverville, NC 28787



Watch last Sunday's service here if you couldn't be there in person

Deadline for newsletter submissions: 12:00pm (Noon) on Tuesdays

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