

The Tidings

September 2024



UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Christ Centered *Biblical *Compassionate*

101 N. Oak, California, MO 65018

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Growth & Legacy

“Brothers and sisters, choose seven men from among you who are known to be full of the Spirit and wisdom. We will turn responsibility over to them and will give our attention to prayer and the ministry of the word.” (Acts 6:3-4)

In Acts 6 the early church had a problem. There was a complaint that a certain group was being overlooked. The Apostles decided to call a church meeting and resolve the situation. They decided to choose a group of 7 to meet the needs of this group while still looking to the future of the ministry. The church is a balance of meeting needs both physical and spiritual. The early church tried to not let complaints distract them from reaching more people with the gospel message. That is still the challenge of today's church. We all have complaints from time to time on how things should be done at the church. Too many times, churches let these complaints take their eyes off of the ministry of the word and prayer.

In September we will look at the purpose of our church and see if we are properly positioned to reach future generations for Jesus. The Consistory has been discussing for the last couple of months what should be our top priorities for the future. It's an exciting and challenging discussion. I look forward to these continued in depth discussions. Please be in prayer for your leadership and your church as a whole. Would you be willing to have some changes made that would mean more people would feel more comfortable to attend this church? Change is never easy, but with growth comes challenges. That is the challenge for our church: continuing our legacy of faith while reaching future generations.

September means the start of our Wednesday night activities. Everything will start on September 4th at 6:00 with our evening meal, our first confirmation meeting, choir practices, and our R.O.K. program. GriefShare will start on Monday night September 23rd at 6:30. We are also looking at starting a Wednesday Bible study on the TV series “The Chosen.” We will watch the show on Wednesday nights after the meal and then offer each Sunday School class including the high school class to discuss it during their Sunday School hour. “The Chosen” really brings the life of Christ to life. I will send out more details in the future when we have everything set.

I encourage you to attend some of our school activities to support our youth like their sporting events and concerts. It shows that our church cares about our youth and their families. It’s a great way to strengthen relationships outside of church on Sunday. Fall is a wonderful time of year. I look forward to seeing everyone on Sunday mornings.

Serving Christ Together,
Russ



California United Church of Christ
August 12, 2024 – Consistory Meeting Highlights

The California UCC Consistory met for its regular monthly meeting August 12, 2024. Alan Chambers, VanDee Miller, Jay Bestgen, Ellen Ash, Larry Schoeneberg, Jim Deeken, Holly Bieri, and Rev. Russell Cobb present. Carole Barbour was absent. Pastor Cobb opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes of the July 2024 meeting, Treasurer's Report, Financial Secretary's Report, Stewardship Snapshot and Local Benevolence Report were reviewed and approved.

Reports and updates were given by committees and organizations. The consistory is looking for a volunteer to help with the sound booth on a scheduled basis. The building and grounds committee announced the completion of the SWC (video surveillance and entry) project. Work on the elevator is in progress but will not affect use. Ongoing research into Church Mutual, lack of response and participation from Church Mutual have been an issue. The latest quote increases the cost of annual coverage by \$9000. Jay Bestgen and Jim Deeken are speaking with multiple insurance providers for additional opportunities.

Brotherhood and Women's Guild continue to meet with good discussions and studies. Wednesday Night Meals to begin on September 4th. The consistory would like to thank Judy Burger for helping to organize the help and desserts. New opportunities for Bible studies planned for this Fall.

Communion Dates –October 6th-World Communion Sunday

Respectfully Submitted,
VanDee Miller, Vice President

**GRIEF
SUPPORT
GROUP**



WHEN:

Mondays 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Classes start September 23rd

WHERE:

United Church of Christ

CONTACT:

Jo Ann Cantriel

joanncan@yahoo.com

or the

Church Office at 796-4885

Thank you to Pastor Russ and all of you so much for
all of the cards, visits and special gifts during my
recovery from right shoulder surgery!

It means a lot to be thought of!!

God bless each of you!

Deb McDaniel

Stewardship Snapshot

	<u>July 2024</u>	<u>July 2023</u>
General Fund		
Balance Brought Forward	\$ 37,071.99	\$ 89,465.80
Receipts	+ 86,061.59	+ \$ 38,692.49
Disbursements	- \$ 72,103.78	- \$ 34,122.38
Balance – July 31	<u>\$ 51,029.80</u>	<u>\$ 94,035.91</u>
 <i>As of July 31, 2024</i>		
Building Fund Balance	\$ 57,360.50	\$ 44,541.79
Local Benevolence Fund Balance	\$ 11,767.52	\$ 8,806.89
Memorial Fund Balance	\$ 16,916.18	\$ 4,433.82
Schnuck Endowment Fund Balance	**\$110,701.75	* \$ 33,412.59
Scholarship Fund Balance	\$ 11,662.39	\$ 9,526.40
Youth Fellowship Fund Balance	\$ 3,205.70	\$ 4,771.67
 Total OCWM Received	 \$ 1,726.76	 \$ 1,825.00
Other Benevolent Offerings	\$ 12,141.14	\$ 12,651.63

Note on 2024 Snapshot regarding Schnuck Endowment

***The C. Schnuck Endowment Checking Fund balance of \$110,701.75 includes \$166.49 that is part of the original restricted gift and is unable to be expended and \$100,000 being reinvested. \$10,535.26 of the fund balance may be expended.*

Note on 2023 Snapshot regarding Schnuck Endowment

**The C. Schnuck Endowment Checking Fund balance of \$33,412.59 includes \$166.49 that is part of the original restricted gift and is unable to be expended. \$33,246.10 of the fund balance may be expended.*

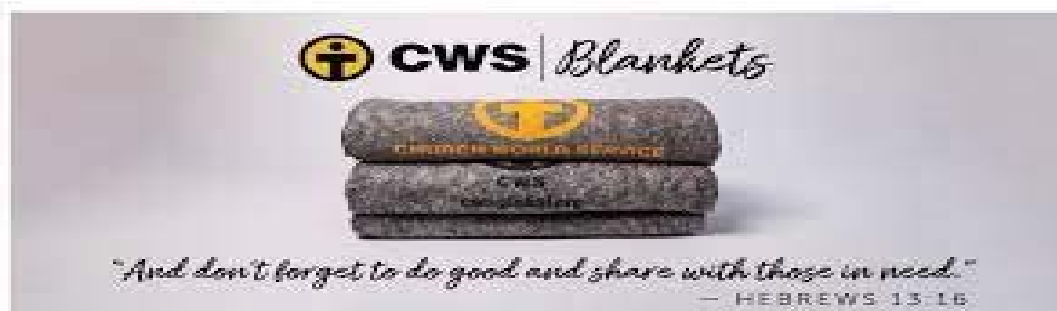


Special Benevolence— September

Church World Service Blanket Fund

The special benevolence offering for September is the Church World Service Blanket Program. For over 75 years, Church World Service has been helping people of faith bring God's hope and healing to people in the U.S. and around the world. When difficult times happen, a kind and loving response can make all the difference. That's why the CWS Blanket program was created—to give a kind, loving and tangible response to someone facing a difficult time, reminding them that they are not alone. Through the generosity of CWS partner organizations, congregations and individual supporters, our most vulnerable neighbors around the world can feel safe and keep warm with fresh linens and clean sleeping quarters. When our neighbors are in need, even \$10 for a single blanket goes a long way.

*Thank you for your support! Please make checks payable to:
United Church of Christ (note CWS on the memo).*



Praise Be To God!!!

***Dear Church Family,
Thank you for all the prayers and beautiful cards
I got for my healing and recovery!
Love Judy Burger***

Please join the Women's Guild in supporting the

Festival of Sharing

The Women's Guild invites you to put together one of the kits that are most needed in Missouri. Please deliver your kit to the church no later than

October 1, 2024. Monetary gifts are also appreciated. Please indicate on check or envelope that your donation is for Festival of Sharing. All will be delivered to the Sharefest

Location on

October 12, 2024.

We thank you for prayerfully considering to help our group!



Missouri Family Food Box | Estimated Pack Value | **\$26**
 7,578 requested versus 1,352 shared in 2023

Instructions: Place items in a sturdy box (i.e. Girl Scout cookie boxes), tape and label "Missouri Family Food Box." Please purchase low sodium/low sugar when possible. Include no more than two food box packs per box due to weight.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 pkgs. macaroni & cheese | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 pound pasta |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 different cans of vegetables | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 cans tuna |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 jar peanut butter | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 cans chicken |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 can pasta sauce | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 different cans of fruit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 box of oatmeal packets (10 count any flavor) | |



Missouri Personal Hygiene Pack | Estimated Pack Value | **\$30**
 4,574 requested versus 1,189 shared in 2023

Instructions: Tighten lids and place all items in a large zipper storage bag (2-2.5 gallon). Place completed packs in boxes labeled with "Missouri Personal Hygiene Packs" and the quantity on the exterior.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 fluoride toothpaste (6 oz. or more) | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 hand towel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 toothbrush (in original package) | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 deodorant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 bottle of body wash (15-22 oz.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 razors (disposable) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 bottle shampoo (12-16 oz.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 comb (large) OR brush |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 washcloth | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 bottle travel skin lotion (1-3 oz.) |



Missouri Paper Product Pack | Estimated Pack Value | **\$21**
 4,659 requested versus 1,119 shared in 2023

Instructions: Place all items in a tall-sized kitchen trash bag. Label the trash bag "Missouri Paper Products Pack."

- 2 facial tissue (large rectangle boxes)
- 2 rolls paper towels (good quality)
- 12 double/mega rolls of toilet paper as 3 packages of 4 or 2 packages of 6 (unable to receive 12 rolls in one pack)





August 13, 2024 Sunday School Teachers & Officers

Carla Clennin called the meeting to order at 7:01 PM. Those present were Carla Clennin, Lauren Lawson, Peggy Liebi, Kendra Hall, Russ Cobb, Courtney Cassil, Steven Burger, Dave and Cressida Gattermeir.

Lauren motioned for the July 2024 minutes to be approved, Cressida seconded, motion approved. Courtney motioned for the approval of the July Treasurer's report, Dave seconded, motioned approved.

Old Business:

Carla provided an update for the Christmas Eve program. Connie has decided to step down this year. Carla will be adding an announcement to the bulletin and September Tidings looking for 1-2 people to help organize the Christmas Program. Our Christmas Eve program will be in the Sanctuary, having an easier scripture with not a lot of memorizing, singing of songs that go along with the scriptures and including adults this year.

This Sunday we will celebrate Rally Sunday by having Recognition/Promotion certificates. Carla will be asking those who went to Camp Aurora to give their favorite part of camp.

Reminder VeggieTales is set for Saturday, September 7. My VBSPRO subscription was purchased.

Cressida gave an update on Fall party set for October 20 in the Friendship Hall. Food will be Hamburgers, Hot Dogs some chili for Hot Dogs, Veggie and Relish Tray, Baked Beans, Chips, Dessert, and Drinks. 3:30 pm Games/crafts, 4:30 pm Hayride, 5:30 Supper. There will be a sign-up sheet for a Veggie and Relish tray. Distinguished class will be making desserts. Carla will be making a flyer to hang up in the hallway.

New Business:

Carla had a phone meeting on August 2 with Jeremy DeGraffenreid, our representative with RightNow Media to get the cost as the renewal email did not contain a cost. Our church is set up for automatic renewal on August 22 each year, but will need to be approved prior to expense.

In speaking with Jeremy, Carla found out that Russ is the only person who can get information about our church usage through their portal. He did say that church usage is normally around 3-4 points out of 10 where our church has a usage rate of 7-8 which is great. Carla did suggest to Russ to add another person on the portal so we could get the church usage report. Courtney made a motion to renew RightNow Media yearly subscription for \$1,539.89, Kris seconded. Motion carried.

Just a reminder that we are looking for a 3rd Superintendent, Carla stated anyone can ask someone for this position. As 3rd Superintendent they are responsible for meeting minutes and Sunday School opening for March, June, September and December. A few names were tossed around.

Other Business:

Russ stated that the Senior High class will be watching “The Chosen” which will be a weekly TV series for 6-8 weeks during Wednesday night meals starting September 11 then discussing on Sunday morning during class. Kris and Dyan will be leading as everyone will be welcome to attend as there is a workbook to go along with the series. If adults want to join the group, it was thought they could all meet to discuss on Sunday mornings.

Steven said, that since he has been busy this year, Lanny and Allan have stepped up to rotate teaching each Sunday. He said this has worked well and will be moving forward to keep the same platform. Steven will be the representative for the T&O meetings.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm.


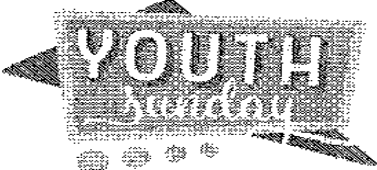

Next meeting will be Tuesday, September 3, 2024, at 7 PM

Respectfully submitted, Carla Clennin, 1st Superintendent





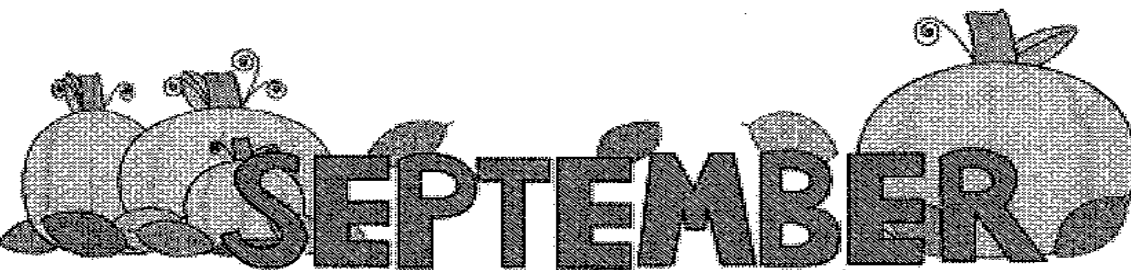
Sunday School is looking for a director and /or co-director to lead this year's Sunday School Christmas Eve Program. Our Christmas Eve program will be in the Sanctuary with a smaller skit/play (less memorization), more singing and adult participation along with our children. If you have any questions please contact Carla Clennin at 573-694-0257 or ckclennc@yahoo.com.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">1</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30</p>	<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">2</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">Church office closed</p> <div style="text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;">  </div>	<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">3</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">9:00 AM Prayer Cell</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">7:00 PM Sunday School Teachers and Officers Meeting</p>
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<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">22</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30</p> <div style="text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;">  </div>	<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">23</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">6:30 PM GriefShare</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">7:00 PM Men's Brotherhood</p>	<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">24</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">9:00 AM Prayer Cell</p>
<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">29</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30</p>	<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">30</p> <p style="margin: 5px 0;">6:30 PM GriefShare</p>	

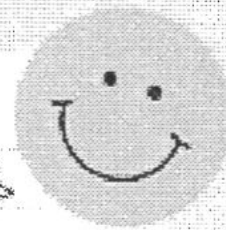
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Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>4-</p> <p>6:00 PM Wed. Night Meal</p> <p>6:30 PM R.O.K./God's Singers, Confirmation & Bell Choir</p> <p>7:30 PM Sr. Choir Practice</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7</p> <p>9:30 AM -11:30 AM VeggieTales Movie & Carnival</p> 
<p>11</p> <p>6:00 PM Wed. Night Meal</p> <p>6:30 PM R.O.K./God's Singers, Confirmation & Bell Choir</p> <p>7:30 PM Sr. Choir Practice</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>18</p> <p>1:00 PM Women's Guild</p> <p>6:00 PM Wed. Night Meal</p> <p>6:30 PM R.O.K./God's Singers, Confirmation & Bell Choir</p> <p>7:30 PM Sr. Choir Practice</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Western Assc. Fall Meeting</p> <p>Ham and Turkey Festival</p> 
<p>25</p> <p>6:00 PM Wed. Night Meal</p> <p>6:30 PM R.O.K./God's Singers, Confirmation & Bell Choir</p> <p>7:30 PM Sr. Choir Practice</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>



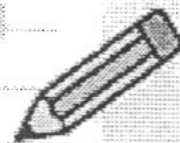


BACK TO SCHOOL



10 VERSES TO PRAY OVER YOUR KIDS AS THEY HEAD BACK TO SCHOOL

1. EPHESIANS 4:32 - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM BE KIND.



2. JOSHUA 1:9 - PRAISE GOD FOR ALWAYS BEING WITH THEM.

3. PROVERBS 10:9 - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM WALK IN INTEGRITY THIS YEAR.

4. PSALM 56:3 - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM PUT THEIR TRUST IN HIM.

5. PHILIPPIANS 4:6-7 - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM NOT WORRY.

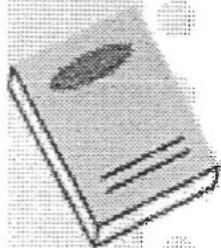
6. LUKE 2:52 - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM GROW THIS YEAR.

7. PROVERBS 17:17 - PRAY FOR THEIR FRIENDS.

8. COLOSSIANS 3:23 - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM WORK HARD.

9. JAMES 1:5 - ASK GOD TO GIVE THEM WISDOM.

10. PHILIPPIANS 4:12 - PRAY FOR THEIR CONTENTMENT IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES.





VeggieTale Movie & Carnival

Saturday, September 7th 9:30 to 11:30am

United Church of Christ

Come Join Us in the Fellowship Hall for
VeggieTales Movie Presentation: Dave & the Giant Pickle!

(David & Goliath)

Followed by Carnival Games, Tattoo Parlor, Photo Booth, Piñata's &
Cupcake Walk

In the Friendship Hall

Closing Prayer

Please Pre-Register for the Matinee & Carnival Event below so that we are sure to have enough snacks, and prizes for each child in attendance.

You may return the form to UCC Church office, or contact Ronda Mortenson by email rkmort60@gmail.com or call 573-694-3933

Childs Name Attending: _____

Emergency Contact Name & Number: _____

R.O.K. (Reaching Our Kids) & God's Singers Schedule

2024

September 4th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
September 11th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
September 18th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
September 22nd	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
September 25th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
October 2nd	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
October 9th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
October 16th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
October 23rd	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
October 27th	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
October 30th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
November 6th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
November 13th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
November 20th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
November 24th	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
November 27th-Thanksgiving Break	No R.O.K. - No God's Singers
December 4th	God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
December 8th	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
December 11th	God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
December 18th	God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.

We invite you to join us as we learn about God, make a craft,
and sing praises to God.

Kendra Hall, Amy Howard, Brittney Medlin, Connie Bestgen,
and Ellen Ash look forward to seeing YOU!

If you have not participated in the past, give R.O.K. and God's
Singers a try. You will be surprised how much fun you have!

Bring a friend! All are welcome!

2025

January 1st	No R.O.K. - No God's Singers
January 8th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
January 15th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
January 22nd	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
January 26th	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
January 29th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
February 5th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
February 12th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
February 19th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
February 23rd	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
February 26th	R.O.K. & God's Singers 6:30 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
March 5th-Ash Wednesday	No R.O.K. - God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
March 12th	No R.O.K. - God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
March 19th	No R.O.K. - God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
March 23rd	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
March 26th-Spring Break	No R.O.K. - No God's Singers
April 2nd	No R.O.K. - God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
April 9th	No R.O.K. - God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
April 13th-Palm Sunday	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship
April 16th	God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
April 23rd	God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
April 30th	God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
May 7th	God's Singers Practice 6:30 p.m.
May 11th- Mother's Day	God's Singers Performs during 10:30 a.m. Worship





Youth Sunday
September 15th
Come join us as the youth
lead the service.

Wednesday Evening Activities

Begin September 4, 2024

6:00 p.m.—Fellowship Meal

**6:30 p.m.—Confirmation, Bell Choir
R.O.K. & God's Singers**

7:30 p.m.—Sr. Choir



A special *thank you* to everyone who participated
in providing Special Music during the summer
months.



We appreciate you!
~ The Worship Committee



September Choir Schedule

08 Senior Choir
15 Bells
22 God's Singers
29 Senior Choir

October Choir Schedule

06 Senior Choir
13 Senior Choir
20 Bells
27 God's Singers

September 1st

Special Music— Jess Medlin

Nursery Attendant

Reagan Cain

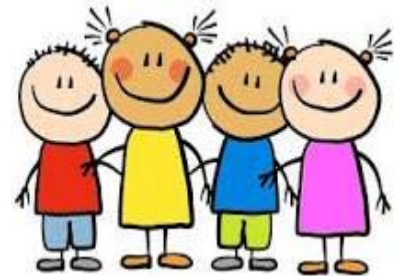


Children's Time

01 Holly Bieri
08 JoAnn Cantriel
15 Ginnie Medlin
22 Kendra Hall
29 Pastor Russ

Acolytes

01 Meredith & Nora Wolford
08 Rylan & Max Robertson
15 Sophie Miller & Georjie Peck
22 Brynna Hall & Charley Medlin
29 Lena & Lee Bieri



WE LOVE OUR



Lay Readers

01 Brad Friedrich
08 Allan Mortenson
15 Kris Ingram
22 Carla Clennin
29 Beth Dampf

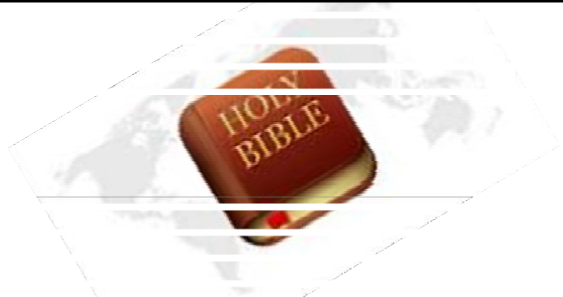
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To get access to Right Now Media for you and your family
use the link or text to the number listed below.

Custom Registration Link - <https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/CALUCC>

Text Registration Code – UCOC to 49775

*Read the Bible on your phone.
YouVersion Bible app. You can
download this app for free.*



*There is an **Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)** meeting at the
Annunciation Catholic Church, 414 Patrick St., on Mondays at 8
p.m. Contact number: 660-621-2271.*

Giving Made Easy

Online giving is available for both Church and
Sunday School!

Follow the E-Giving link on our website:
calmo-ucc.org to give today or set recurring gifts

For your viewing and listening opportunities of the weekly worship services, there are two ways of being part of the weekly services. You may request a cd or dvd from the church office. Please let Rhonda know if you are interested in obtaining one of these versions of the worship service. (796-4885)

Notes & News

A Time of Hope
8:15 a.m. Sunday
KRLI Radio ~1420 AM

Please continue to save the Best Choice label bar codes for the SHAREFEST Gathering



www.calmo-ucc.org



MONTEAU CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES CENTER

*Please save your extra plastic shopping bags to use at the Food Bank.
Drop your bags off at the church. Thanks!*

USED TONER & INK CARTRIDGES

Please save all of your used toner and ink cartridges! The church office collects used toner and ink cartridges in order to get a \$2 In-store credit per cartridge at Staples toward purchases of office supplies. Please turn in your cartridges to the church office. Thanks!

To Watch California UCC Worship Services Online:

Go to <http://www.calmo-ucc.org>.

Scroll down and click on the

“Online Services” link. (The bulletin is also available)

Or: Go to youtube.com & search

September

September Birthdays



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|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 01 Keil Mouse | 22 Colin Kruger |
| 02 Travis Koestner | 22 B.J. Kruger |
| 04 Laura Burger | 22 Collin Mouse |
| 04 Christine Huffman | 22 Tara Meisenheimer |
| 06 Peyton Peters | 23 Dylan Ash |
| 06 Hallie Thompson | 23 Ella Burger |
| 07 Philip Burger | 23 Emily Burger |
| 07 Virginia Kirchhoff | 23 Kolly Opie |
| 10 Amanda Trimble | 24 Chris Clifford |
| 12 Rhonda Elliott | 24 Craig Hall |
| 12 Adler Koestner | 25 Ellen Ash |
| 12 Carmen Ferris | 25 Kitts Gillilan |
| 12 Derek Schoeneberg | 26 Elliott Baker |
| 13 Jasmine Ash | 26 McKenna Chambers |
| 15 Caleb Weis | 26 Baylor Coale |
| 16 Carl Meisenheimer | 27 Quinten Wilson |
| 16 Holly Bieri | 28 Ginnie Medlin |
| 17 Ted Bueker | 30 William Kissick |
| 18 Gage Bolinger | 30 AnJanette Volkart |
| 18 Jess Medlin | |
| 19 Lisa Motley | |
| 20 Sophie Schoenberg | |
| 20 Lisa Milligan | |
| 20 Dawn Overbey | |
| 21 Maci Kueffer | |

Happy Birthday



September Baptisms

Carole Barbour—Sept. 3, 1944
Holly Bieri—September, 1985
Griffin Bolinger—Sept. 9, 2001
Brandy Brockes-Sept. 11, 2022
Conner Brockes-Sept. 11, 2022
Christopher Cassil—Sept. 2, 2001
Ross Deeken—Sept. 15, 2002
Kimberly Hanauer—Sept. 23, 2018
Charley Medlin-Sept. 24, 2017
Jess Medlin-Sept. 24, 2017
Ava Motley-Sept. 8, 2021
Travis Koestner—Sept., 1972
Weston Peters—Sept. 5, 2004
Alison Peters—Sept., 1983
Caitlin Deeken Phoenix- Sept. 3, 1989
Ryan Vernon—Sept.18, 1994

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through the
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