

October 17, 2021 – Announcements

MISSIONS - Chair: Chip Thurlow, 401-333-1235, thurlowcp@aol.com

Dave's Marketplace - Day Old Bakery Donations

The Monday, Wednesday, and Friday transporting of day-old baked goods from Dave's Marketplace at Chapel Four Corners continues to various community organizations!

Thanks to Rachel and Elton Odom, Lynne Janke, Lu McNeal, Rich Bizier, Chip Thurlow and new volunteer, Mark Farnell for making the thrice weekly runs. Please contact Chip Thurlow if you have any questions.

Ongoing: There are donation baskets by the display case for non-perishable food for the local food pantry; clothing – new and gently used in-season clothing; and for the Woonsocket Shelter.

Habitat for Humanity - The next Habitat for Humanity project is under development and will be announced when health protocols will allow volunteers to be onsite. We will notify AMUMC members when those volunteer dates are announced.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, October 17 – 21st Sunday after Pentecost – Children's Sabbath

8:30 AM – Sunday Service

9:00 AM – Adult Sunday School - Vestry

10:30 AM – Sunday Service - Livestreamed on Facebook

10:30 AM – Children's Sunday School – Cargill Hall

Tuesday, October 19

6:30 PM – Prayer Meeting – Zoom

7:00 PM – Annual Church Conference – Zoom

Wednesday, October 20

2:00 PM – Book Discussion Group – Church Lawn

7:00 PM – Adult Study – Zoom

Thursday, October 21

7:30 PM – Cemetery Association Meeting – Cargill Hall

Sunday, October 24 – 22nd Sunday after Pentecost – United Nations Day

8:30 AM – Sunday Service

9:00 AM – Adult Sunday School - Vestry

10:30 AM – Sunday Service - Livestreamed on Facebook

10:30 AM – Children's Sunday School – Cargill Hall

Note: The Sunday Service Live Stream begins at 10:30 AM. A recording of the service is available anytime afterwards at www.amumc.org.

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Prayer Requests

Prayers for David Gregory, LeeAnn Cotta's father, who is in the hospital with a brain bleed.

Please pray for Pauline Belisle's nephew Alex who has been diagnosed with a blood disease.

Jean Clark's daughter Allison received her kidney on August 10 from her brother, Ryan. They are both doing very well. Allison returns to work on Oct. 4. She is still dealing with side effects of anti-rejection meds as the doses continue to be adjusted. Ryan and his fiancé continue to travel in their RV but will return to VT soon. Prayers were surely answered throughout this whole process.

Prayers for Joni Roberts cousin Laurie and her family with the loss of her son Nick in a motorcycle accident in Chepachet yesterday, 09/21.

Jane Shaw's son Todd had surgery on 9/13 for stage 3 colorectal cancer and is in pain. His wife Sandra has COVID and can't be with him. Prayers for healing and strength for them both.

Prayers for all those in nursing homes and assisted living facilities who are facing isolation and loneliness, including Selden Whitcomb, Joyce Burrell, Margaret Kelly and Norma Aldrich.

Meals in the Park Update

On Sunday October 10th we handed out over 80 meals to people in the park and sent 24 meals to two motels and a shelter in south Providence. We served macaroni and cheese with sliced hotdogs, fresh fruit salad, pudding, and homemade desserts. The Woonsocket police allowed us to park, set up and serve in our usual location. We just needed to be done by 1PM so the fireworks company could set up for the evening's display. Thank you for all your help with this meal. Our next and last meal for 2021 is November 28th. Shepperd's Pie, If anyone would like to come to the church kitchen and cook this meal together on Saturday **November 20th at 9:00AM** please reach out and reserve your spot.

2021 Annual Church Conference

This year's Annual Church Conference will be held on Tuesday October 19th via Zoom.

The link for the church conference is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81628747710>.

JOIN US FOR TRUNK OR TREAT! **Sunday, October 31 from 4 – 6 PM**

Arnold Mills UMC is hosting a "Trunk or Treat" for children in our community on Halloween. Put on your best costume, decorate your trunk or cargo area, and bring your favorite candy to hand out as the kids "trick or treat" from car-to-car. Let's pack the parking lot, have some fun, and provide a safe place for families to bring their kiddos. If you're not able to join us that night, please consider dropping off some Halloween candy at the church anytime between now and then, so we can be sure not to run out!