

Greetings Channahon UMC Family and Friends,

Apologies for the delay of this email – Tuesday was busy day.

Info:

Please remember to do the **CHURCH SURVEY** - 100% participation is what we are hoping for! Printed copies are in the Narthex – please return it to the church office when completed Online Link: [Channahon United Methodist Church Church Planning Inventory Survey \(surveymonkey.com\)](https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Channahon-United-Methodist-Church-Planning-Inventory-Survey)

October Circuit Rider Newsletter – submission for info/events/changes/updates etc. is due in the office by 9a September 25th. Newsletter will be out on 9/28.

Outreach – (from Janet Weakley) has changed gears and will again be collecting Halloween candy for treat bags for the Manteno Veterans. We will fill bags on 10/15. *Sorry for any confusion, there was just a change in who will provide the treat bags. it will now be CUMC.*

Senior Lunch still needs some more volunteers – anyone interested please call the church office.

They are collecting school supplies for the Chatham Mission Trip in December.

This week.:

Thrift Shop - will be open today 9/14, 10a-2p and Monday 9/18, 6p-8p.

Channahon UWFaith- will host the UWFaith Prairie South District meeting this Saturday, September 16th beginning with a light breakfast at 8:30am in FH. All women are invited to attend.

Sunday School - both Children and Adult classes begin this Sunday at 10:30am. Kids - 140 / Adults 144

Upcoming:

CUMC UWFaith Book Club - meets Thursday, September 21st at 6pm in room 145. Zoom will be available, call the church office to be added to the zoom list.

Family Movie Night – Friday, September 22nd, 6pm in FH – *featuring* Disney's 'Crater' – friends and family all welcome.

Trustees All Church WORK DAY - Saturday, September 23rd - 9am to 1pm. Plans for Fall clean up indoors and outdoors.

Outreach Spaghetti Lunch - Sunday, September 24th after worship. Dine-In or Carry-Out - Freewill offering - proceeds will benefit CUMC Preschool.

Grief Support - will meet Tuesday, September 26th, 2pm in Fellowship Hall. This is an open invitation for all.

The calendar changes often, you can refer to it online as well, for any changes/updates.

[Calendar - Channahon United Methodist Church \(channahonumc.org\)](http://channahonumc.org)

Prayers & Joys this week & Sunday's worship

Continued healing and strength for Chip & Joyce Williams, Brittany's mom Barb, and all who suffer from pain, illness or disease.

Shirley Koscik – prayers for my brother Ron starting chemo this week, and for niece Michelle starting 2nd round of chemo.

Celebrations this week Sep 13-19

Our craft night on Friday 9/8 was great. the kids painted rocks, check them out – they are out back of the fellowship hall doors.

Pat Williamson – My daughter Judy is healing very well. So thankful for all the thoughts and prayers.

Birthdays: Glen Meadows, Jackie Goggins, Susie Eaton, Carol Jones, Steve McConnaughay, Donna Szoke, Camron Hayden, Rebecca Lynch, Steve Olson, Bob Coen

Anniversaries: Deb & Mike O'Brien

John 13:13-15 "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, for that is what I am. Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you."

Psalms 46:1-2 God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea.

Isaiah 51:6 Lift up your eyes to the heavens, look at the earth beneath; the heavens will vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment and its inhabitants die like flies. But my salvation will last forever, my righteousness will never fail.

Thinking we are headed for an early Fall season...

Respectfully submitted with abundant blessings and prayers to experience God's presences all around you with grateful hearts.

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