

# WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT

November 15, 2020

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## WORSHIP SERVICE November 15, 2020

9:45 A.M. In-Person Worship (Multi-Purpose Room)

10:00 A.M. Livestream Worship joins In-Person Worship

SUNDAY GOSPEL READING "Matthew 25:14-30"

SERMON THEME: "What is a Talent Worth?"

## UPCOMING EVENTS

November 15, 2020

### November 15

9:45 A.M. In-Person Worship Service (MPR)

10:00 A.M. Livestream Worship Service (YouTube)

11:00 A.M. Sunday School (ZOOM)

### November 19

9:30 A.M. Prayer Group (Room 411)

6:30 P.M. SPRC Meeting (ZOOM)

7:00 P.M. Worship/Praise Team Practice (MPR)

### November 20

MICAH MINISTRIES Preparation and Delivery



**NEW MEMBERS** Bryan, Chelsea, and Skarlet Dillard

**MICAH MEAL FOR NOVEMBER** Tabernacle is all set for the Micah Meal in November. The menu is chili with shredded cheese, cornbread muffins, coleslaw, brownies, bananas, applesauce, and water. Once again, thanks to everyone who quickly volunteered to provide items for the meal. All of the food and supplies needed are taken care of. Meals will be provided for 75 guests. Please contact Linda Gross (540.786.8060 or [garlind68@verizon.net](mailto:garlind68@verizon.net)) if you have any questions about the meal or delivery of items to TUMC. Many thanks for your help.

**TABERNACLE'S CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** is offering a free *Advent at Home* box for families. Each box will contain activities for families to celebrate during Advent season and will be customized for your family. Please email Sherri Stadtler at [djnrook@yahoo.com](mailto:djnrook@yahoo.com) with questions or to sign up for your box. Registration for Advent boxes will be open through November 14, 2020. Boxes can be picked up at the church on November 22 or mailed to your home. We look forward to celebrating Advent with your families.

**ANGEL TREE PROGRAM** The Salvation Army is concerned that the Angel Tree Program needs will not be met this year due to COVID. They have reached out to churches who belong to the Interfaith Community Council and asked us to collect items for the Angel Tree Program, if possible.

### Items needed include:

*Seniors:* shampoo, shaving cream, hand lotion, paper towels, toilet paper, dish towels, bath towels

*Children* (Infant through 12 years) socks, hats, gloves, underwear, shoes, coats, art supplies, legos, books

Please place your donation in the bin located outside the MPR from November 8<sup>th</sup> through November 29<sup>th</sup>. Any donation will be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

*The church office is open for phone and email business. Hours are 9-4 M-Th & 9-1 on Friday.*

**YOUTH GROUP** (6th through 12th grade) October flew by and the Youth have been busy. We had a great time with Reverse *Trunk or Treat*- the kids had some awesome costumes! *Honk and Wave* was a "scream" as usual! We are looking forward to November and our next adventures! If you are in grades 6 through 12, join us Sundays at noon on Zoom.. If you have any questions about Youth Group, please contact Melissa Keylor at [needingserenity@gmail.com](mailto:needingserenity@gmail.com).



To access Tabernacle's Amplify account:  
Go to Tabernacle URL

<https://my.amplifymedia.com/tabernacleumcinfredericksbur>

Enter Tabernacle's Congregation Access Code: NZVTXD

You will then be asked to create an account.

The prompt makes it seem as if you are setting up a trial, but as long as you use our congregation access code, you are all set. Our children will be using the program *Celebrate Wonder* for Sunday School. You can access the children's portion through the search icon. *Celebrate Wonder* is the same content we will use when in-person Sunday School resumes. We hope our congregation will enjoy the new studies and learning resources offered through Amplify.

**SECA** Hours of operation are: Monday/Wednesday 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. for food and financial assistance only; Tuesday/Thursday 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. for thrift store only. SECA is closed on Friday. If you would like to donate food, clothing, or household items, drop them off at SECA during these times (Monday through Thursday). You may also leave food donations, clothing, and small household items at the SECA designated area in Tabernacle's Multipurpose Room during church office hours.

**THANK YOU FROM SECA AND UMCOR** Tabernacle has received generous "Thank you" notes from SECA and UMCOR for monetary donations Tabernacle members and friends have made to UMCOR and SECA. From SECA: "There is a destiny that makes us brothers, none goes his way alone, all that we send into the lives of others comes back into our own." From UMCOR: "The dear people you just helped with your gifts to UMCOR may never have the opportunity to meet you, but if they did, I am certain the response would be – "THANK YOU!"

**STEPHEN MINISTRY** Care, comfort, and hope offered in a safe, private setting. Find out more by calling Karen Flanagan (540.729.9342) or Bob Gallagher (540.809.7988). All Stephen Ministry support is strictly confidential.



**NOVEMBER COMMUNION OFFERING**

MICAH MINISTRIES

OUR VISION

A just, kind, and humble community where all neighbors belong, participate, meet each other's needs and engage in meaningful relationship.

OUR VALUES

Do justice by:

- Being a community conscience
- Responding to unmet needs
- Offering hope

Love kindness by:

- Fostering relationships of trust, respect and mutual support
  - Acknowledging every person's dignity
- Providing holistic care that empowers those in need to accept ownership and responsibility

Walk humbly with God by:

- Continuing the work of Christ
- Practicing servant-leadership
- Educating and mentoring the community to care for "the least of these"

TREASURER'S REPORTS FOR OCTOBER 2020

Budget Donations	\$25,112.95
Budget Expenses	\$28,602.31
Budget Balance for October	(\$3,489.36)
Budget Balance to Date	(\$8,108.68)

OTHER DONATIONS (Partial List)

Building Fund	\$2,100.00
SECA	\$320.00
YWAM	\$575.00
Communion (P. James/RAH)	\$145.00
Project James/RAH	\$610.00
Micah Ministry	\$345.00

**Attendance for November 8, 2020**

In-Person 35  
Livestream 93

**Counter Schedule**

November 22, 2020	Rhonda Trahern/Terry Sullivan
November 29, 2020	Nick DiDonat0, Greg Brown

School is open. Pray for our teachers and students.