

WEEKLY NEWS - March 26, 2025

***Please keep
the following people
in your prayers***

Sheila Babcock, Pet Pantry Patron

David and Michelle Bickford

Terri Bickford

Candy Burgess

Carol Davis

Louisa and Karl Gerstenberger

Sandra & Vince Golonka

Linda Lambrides

Blanche Mays

Steve Quentel, Lori Martin

& Kaitlin Quentel

Rey and Ellen Medrano

Susanellen Stearns

Holly and Charles Slonina

Cindy & Bill Tompson

Nancy White

The People of North Carolina

The Black Mountain Orphanage

Southern California

Pope Francis

Service of Life for Shirley Lake

A service for Shirley is planned for this coming Saturday, March 29th at 2pm at the church with a reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall. Please keep the Brobst family in your prayers as they go through this very difficult time.

Reception Bakers and Helpers Needed

We would love donations of baked goods and reception type food for the fellowship time following the service. We also need volunteers to help set up the Fellowship Hall and prepare food for service.

Please contact Kathy Whittier at 254-7509 or kwhit119@yahoo.com.

Office Hours

**Monday - Thursday
8:00-12:00 pm**

From the Tuesday Gals

Tuesday Gals will be holding a rummage sale on May 10th. Please start saving salable items still in decent shape for this event. Watch for more information. Thank you.

The **birthday Calendar** is missing a number of birthdays if you would like to add yours. It is in the Fellowship Hall on the table nearest the kitchen door. Celebrate you!

One Great Hour of Sharing

Support One Great Hour of Sharing this Sunday

On March 30, NYCC will collect donations for One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS). This is a vital special mission offering of the United Church of Christ. It connects you to disaster relief, refugee assistance, and development efforts around the globe. When disasters strike, or when individuals are displaced due to violence or poverty, OGHS ensures immediate response and ongoing recovery.

Through your support, OGHS funds comprehensive development programs in areas such as healthcare, education, agriculture, food security, microfinancing, and women's empowerment. By partnering with Global Ministries and international response networks, OGHS maximizes its impact. Your contributions help meet urgent needs while addressing the root causes of vulnerability, ensuring long-term, sustainable solutions for affected communities.

How to Give:

In Person: Envelopes will be in the bulletins to place in the Sunday offering.

By Mail: Send a check to the church with OGHS in the memo line.

Electronically: If you give through Tithely, write OGHS in the Memo line.

All of the funds collected by NYCC will be sent to the United Church of Christ.

Thank you for your support and generosity!

Help Fill the Grocery Cart

The Grocery Cart in the Gathering Space has been the collection spot for much-needed food for our neighbors. Communion Sunday has been our Sunday for food collection, but additions to the cart are welcome at all times. Harrison Food Bank is now serving over 1000 families, up quite a bit from the 600 they previously served. We would like to send another grocery cart full this month if possible.

Thank you for your generosity. You are helping many families in our area put food on the table.

Rentals

Fellowship Hall Rentals

Thursday, March 27

Saturday, April 5

Saturday, May 3

With all of the FH rentals please be sure to clean up after each use by doing your dishes, etc. so we are ready for the rentals. Thank you.

April Meetings

Diaconate - Sunday, April 6-following worship

Trustees - Tuesday, April 8 - 6pm

Council - Thursday, April 10 - 6:30pm

Missions - Monday, April 14 - 7pm via Zoom
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82389724356?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82389724356?pwd=bHEzZy9HR2FCZ3EzY2Z3RTV3ZmNYQT09)
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Choir meets on Wednesdays at 6:30pm and
Sundays at 8:30am.

Pet Pantry is open on the second Saturday of
each month from 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Men's Club meets on the third Saturday of the
month at 7:30 a.m. at Toddy Brook.

Tuesday Gals meet at 10 am in the Fellowship
Hall.



Calling all Beauty Lovers

If you love natural beauty, this will interest you! And the flower
committee wants you!

Please consider bringing a beautiful bouquet for our Sunday
worship services. If you have an interest, please let me know.

Marsha Heath, 653-1966

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 4:30p Rental in Fellowship Hall
2 8:30a Choir Rehearsal 9:30a Worship 11a Diaconate Meeting	3	4 10a Tuesday Gals 10:30a Bylaws-CR 5:30p Book Club-FH 6p Paley's Men's Group-CR	5 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 7p AA	6	7	8 9a Pet Place Pantry Remember to set your clocks ahead by one hour tonight.
9 Daylight Saving Begins 8:30a Choir Rehearsal 9:30a Worship 11a Faith Formation	10 6:30p Missions Meeting	11 10a Tuesday Gals 10:30 Bylaws-CR 6p Paley's Men's Group-CR 6p Trustees	12 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 7p AA	13 6:30p Council	14	15 7:30a Men's Club Breakfast (Toddy Brook) 4p Ramadan Friendship Dinner Rental in FH
16 8:30a Choir Rehearsal 9:30a Worship	17 Saint Patrick's Day	18 10a Tuesday Gals 10:30a-Bylaws-CR 6p Paley's Men's Group-CR	19 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 7p AA	20 Spring Begins	21	22 11a Christa H. (Fellowship Hall) Rental
23 8:30a Choir Rehearsal 9:30a Worship	24	25 10a Tuesday Gals 10:30a Bylaws-CR 6p Paley's Men's Group -CR	26 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 7p AA	27 6p Greely HS Hockey Banquet (F-Hall)-Rental	28	29 2pm Shirley Lake Service of Life w/Reception in Fellowship Hall Pastor Paul A.Day
30 8:30a Choir Rehearsal Rev. Diane Bennekamper 9:30a Worship	31					