



# NEWS from the Corner



First United Methodist Church—600 Wood Street, Clarion, PA 16214  
Online at: [fumc-clarion.org](http://fumc-clarion.org)

**February 2024 Edition**

**Worship Services**  
Sunday mornings  
8:30 and 11:00am

**Sunday School**  
9:45am  
Classes for all ages

**Live Stream**  
Both services streamed  
live on YouTube



## Pastor Jodie's Jottings . . .

Greetings!

We're already through the first month of the new year! And with February comes the beginning of Lent! We don't celebrate Lent like we do Advent. We don't put up a Lent tree or decorate our homes with Lenten lights. I suppose it's not that sort of season. Lent is a much more somber season as we wait and prepare for the joy of Jesus' resurrection. But I firmly believe that our Easter joy will not be as fulfilling if we haven't walked steadfastly through the days of Lent and the worship of Holy Week.

Our culture also doesn't embrace Lent like it does Thanksgiving or Christmas. We live in a world that celebrates success not sacrifice. As you shop local stores, you'll see an abundance of bunnies, baskets, and candy for sale, and those may be the only signs of Easter you'll find outside of church.

However, just because we're not seeing ad after ad about Easter, not receiving Easter ads doesn't mean we should consider Easter as a minor celebration. Easter is perhaps the most crucial holiday on the Christian calendar—even the word "crucial" has its roots in Christianity, stemming from the term for crucify.

Give some thought and prayer as to how you will observe Lent this year. Maybe you will continue a practice of "giving something up" for Lent or maybe consider adding something like new volunteering experiences, more reading of scripture (during Lent we will be sending out daily scripture readings via email, our website and Facebook as we did during Advent), joining our Disciple Bible Study, donating to the Love Cupboard, or taking an ornament(s) from our "Caring Tree" in Wesley Chapel.

Just to note that we will begin the Lenten season on Ash Wednesday, February 14 with worship at noon. If you are working and can come on your lunch hour, the service will end by 12:45pm.

I look forward to journeying through Lent with you for the first time as your pastor.

Blessings and Prayers,  
Pastor Jodie

**CONSIDER GIVING TO  
THE MEMORIAL FUND**

When a loved one dies, keeping his or her memory alive is a way of honoring his or her life and finding comfort in your own life as a survivor. Consider contributing a gift to your church's Memorial Fund as a tribute to someone you loved or have known.

**Memorials November 18, 2023 - January 15, 2024**

**In honor of Mary McKissick Brooks**

Given by Rev. Bill McCartney

"This gift is designed to:

Remember my wonderful years in Clarion.

Support the ongoing ministry of the church.

Honor Mary Brooks, extraordinary organist for 55 years."

**In memory of Douglas Rhoads**

Given by Donna Woodman (Memorial Fund)

**In memory of Johanna Grottenthaler**

Given by Sheila Rathfon (Love Cupboard Fund)

Given by Susan Rathfon (Love Cupboard Fund)

Given by Clarion Oaks Ladies Golf League (Love Cupboard Fund)

**In memory of Sheila Uber**

Given by David and Robin Wagner (Memorial Fund)

Our deepest sympathies go out to Ray and Janne Ewing on the loss of Janne's brother, **Gib Sloan**.  
Gib passed from this life on December 23.



Our deepest sympathies go out to Barb and Lynn Smith on the loss of Barb's mother,  
**Evelyn Towse**. Evelyn passed from this life on December 14.

Please call the church office for an address if you wish to send your prayers and cards.

Thank you so much for donating items for the Love Cupboard Winter Care Bags.  
Kids2Kids packed 70 Winter Care Bags for the children of our Love Cupboard participants.  
They were VERY appreciated!  
Kids 2Kids

My sincere thanks for the many cards and prayers for me while I was ill. After six months in Presbyterian and Shadyside Hospitals and a couple rehab facilities, I am finally in my home again.  
Thank you,  
Shirley Markle

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Shawn and Jennifer Morgan would like to thank everyone at First United Methodist Church of Clarion for your prayers over the last couple months.

Trailblazers Class,  
Sending a belated thank you note to the lovely class.  
It was very thoughtful and appreciated from all of you. I am running late with my thank you note. I am recovering over the Covid. Have a wonderful and healthy 2024. Thanks to all.  
Carolyn Frampton

Kids2Kids,  
What a wonderful surprise. I thank you for the beautiful poinsettia. It is in my front window and doing beautiful. You are a thoughtful group of children. Hope you all had a lovely Christmas. Thank you all.  
Carolyn Frampton

Dear Church,  
I can hardly express the love and support I have felt from all of you. Thank you for everything.  
Love,  
Mary Jo Ford

Thank you very much for letting us use the church to work on our Smokey Bear posters.  
Enclosed is a small donation.  
Rosie Lawrence  
Garden Club of Clarion County, District VIII

The Trailblazers Sunday School class will be having a **soup sale on February 18**. Homemade soup is always welcome through the winter months and we are giving you two options to purchase. You can preorder or take a chance that we will have a good variety available on February 18 after each worship service.  
**All preorders must be submitted to the church office no later than February 11.**  
Each quart is \$8 or \$4 per pint.  
**Flavors:** pepper, vegetable, chicken noodle, broccoli cheese, potato, and broccoli cheese noodle

### **Olmsted Manor Retreat in April**

Our church will hold a weekend retreat at Olmsted Manor Retreat Center from **April 12 – 14**. Surrounded by Western Pennsylvania's beautiful hills and valleys near Ludlow, Olmsted offers a quiet place for spiritual reflection, worship, and peace.  
The theme of the retreat is *Loving Our Neighbor*. Pastor Jodie will lead the program. Guest speakers will be announced.  
The cost for two nights (Friday & Saturday) for a single room is \$119.88 with tax.  
Two nights for a double room is \$99.90 with tax.  
Three meals will be provided:  
♦ Saturday: brunch (\$12) and dinner (\$17)  
♦ Sunday: brunch (\$12)  
♦ Total cost for three meals is \$41 per person.  
To make a reservation, contact our church office and make your payment payable to the church. There is a maximum of twenty-four guests for this weekend retreat, so we recommend that you make reservations early.  
Additional information will be shared as plans develop.

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Mark your calendars for the next bus trip to Sight and Sound's production of

***Daniel***

October 9, 2024

Taken from his people, Daniel is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, Daniel is faced with a dangerous choice.

Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith?

From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, Daniel is a spectacular theatrical experience. Witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand new original stage production.

This trip will also include a stop at Kitchen Kettle Village and dinner (included) at Miller's Smorgasbord.



**Pizza and a Movie: *David*  
Friday, March 8  
Gathering Area**

Pizza served at 5:30pm

Movie at 6:00pm

Reservations by Wednesday, March 6, please.

Not every battle is won with a sword. Master Poet. Fearless Warrior. Anointed King. From still waters to shadowed valleys, David's ascent to the throne is filled with towering giants, wild animals, and Philistine soldiers. After unprecedented victories lead to devastating failures, this passionate warrior will face the biggest battle of all: the one within himself. Come alongside this young shepherd on his journey to become a man after God's own heart. With original music inspired by the Psalms, witness one of the most legendary Bible stories.

**2024 Fellowship Events at First United Methodist Church of Clarion, PA**

Mark your calendars and plan time to fellowship with your FUMC family.

There will be additional events added throughout the year!

<b>March 8</b>	<b>Pizza and a Movie: <i>David</i></b>
<b>July 10</b>	<b>Wednesday Evening in the Garden</b>
<b>August 14</b>	<b>Wednesday Evening in the Garden</b>
<b>August 25</b>	<b>Rally Day/Church Picnic</b>
<b>September 11</b>	<b>Wednesday Evening in the Garden</b>
<b>October 9</b>	<b>Trip to Sight and Sound Theater to see <i>Daniel</i></b>



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### **Love Cupboard Food Pantry**

A quote from our partners: "Second Harvest Food Bank has partnership with over 131 food wholesalers, manufacturers, retail stores, restaurants, and farmers across our 11 counties. We work together to recover high quality foods that would otherwise go to waste and distribute it to our neighbors facing food insecurity." Without our relationship and partnering with Second Harvest, we would not be able to share the variety of goods with our friends in need. We do have to subsidize items from our local suppliers to maintain the variety and nourishment that we have committed to.

The following is an overview of the purchase we received in January from our partners. We received  $\frac{3}{4}$  ton of shelf stable items, frozen perishables, and fresh perishables to share with our friends and neighbors in February. In addition, we received 40+ units to support our newest endeavor of Senior Food Boxes. This delivery amounts to another 1200lb of food for eligible seniors 60 years and older. Yes, we are talking about a lot of grocery goods. We will supplement locally another 500-600lbs. Goods going to the needy of our community will reach 3000 to 4000lbs of food in February. Are you envisioning how much that would cost? Because of our relationship with Second Harvest and their grants and subsidies, we will have a cost of less than \$600.

Again, I want to thank you for your volunteering support, financial support, and administrative support. In December, we had combined distributions of 130 visitors, which meant approximately 260 household members benefited from our program. January has been lighter with about a 25% decrease. Weather and school being closed had a major impact on the results. Want to get involved???? Just call the church office and say, "Count me in."

The donation item for the month of **February** is **CANNED FRUIT**. Please place your donations in the wooden box located in the Gathering Area.

**Please Note: Perishable items are now available.** Distribution occurs on the **3rd Wednesday of each month from 4:00pm-5:30pm.**



**Keystone Family Alliance Fundraiser & Awareness Event**  
*Ripple Effect*  
**Zion Church**  
**114 Zion Road, Clarion, PA 16214**

“. . . Unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much fruit.” John 12:24

**One small act can have great impact. One small act can  
CREATE A RIPPLE EFFECT.**  
Join us at this **FREE** event on  
**Saturday, February 24 @ 5:00pm**  
**Doors open at 4:30pm**  
**Dinner will be provided.**

RSVP



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To learn more about this event or how you can help the foster care community in Clarion County, contact our church representative, Jill Johns, or the church office.

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### February 1

Lynne Flower  
Bret Sloan

### February 2

Madison Schill

### February 3

Paulette Stromyer  
Joe Wolf

### February 4

Wayne Johnson

### February 5

Cindy Beck  
Fred Keen  
Nicholas Wetzel

### February 6

Robert Luderer

### February 7

Myrna Eshbaugh  
Linda Hauser  
Quinn Hoover  
Ava Kiser  
Brendan Langjahr

### February 9

Tobin Bell  
Lyra Casserly  
Valerie Stanford  
Jenn Stevenson

### February 10

Tricia McIlwain  
Soon Duk Park



### February 11

Elizabeth Casserly

### February 12

Stuart Estes  
Randall Reddinger Sr.  
Carol Stanford  
Patty Winger

### February 13

Makayla Robertson

### February 15

Brandy Evans  
Susan Zamzow

### February 16

Kai Kaltenbach  
Noah Thompson

### February 17

Vallen Cherico  
William Craddock  
Corina Curry  
Suzan Hahnfeldt  
Evelyn Lerch  
Jake Lutz  
Wendy Rex

### February 18

Randy Cathcart

### February 20

Kelly Evans  
Nathan Keen

### February 22

Valerie Brosius  
Timothy Texter

### February 23

Judi Rae Kesner  
Sandra McCleary  
Larry Nicely  
Randall Shook  
Kara Shpakoff

### February 25

Amy Brubaker  
Amelia Jewell

### February 26

Kim Fagley  
Pamela Johnson  
Candace Shirey  
Valerie Stitt

### February 27

Eliana Brooks  
Larissa Deitz  
Richard Greenawalt  
Marjorie McAdoo  
Adam Meterko  
Gwen Rhoades



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### **Saturday February 3, 2024**

9:00am Church Cleanup Day  
5:00pm Youth Group Dinner and Movie Night  
(Room 001)

### **Sunday February 4, 2024**

9:45am Grades 9-12 - Cook & Eat Avocado Toast  
11:00am Children's Chimes Practice  
6:30pm Youth Group Meeting (Room 001)

### **Monday February 5, 2024**

5:30pm Kiwanis (Room 102)  
6:30pm Stephen Ministry Class (Room 004)

### **Tuesday February 6, 2024**

4:00pm Girl Scouts (Dining Room/Kitchen)  
6:30pm Christian Education Meeting  
(Conference Room - 2nd Floor)  
6:30pm Trustees Meeting (Room 102)

### **Wednesday February 7, 2024**

5:00pm Stephen Ministers Meeting  
(Stephen Ministry Room)

### **Thursday February 8, 2024**

12:00pm United Women in Faith Naomi Circle  
(Room 102)  
2:00pm Clarion Civic Group (Room 102)

### **Saturday February 10, 2024**

8:00am Men's Breakfast (Perkins Restaurant)

### **Sunday February 11, 2024**

**Trailblazers Soup Sale Preorder Deadline**  
No Community Choir Practice  
11:00am Kids2Kids Mission Group (K - 5th Grade)

### **Monday February 12, 2024**

6:30pm Stephen Ministry Class (Room 004)

### **Wednesday February 14, 2024**

#### **Ash Wednesday**

6:45am Youth Group Breakfast  
12:00pm Ash Wednesday Service (Sanctuary)

### **Sunday**

8:30am Worship Service  
(Sanctuary, YouTube)  
9:45am Sunday School for All Ages  
11:00am Contemporary Service (Sanctuary, YouTube)  
6:00pm Community Choir Rehearsal (Wesley Chapel)

### **Monday**

5:30pm Adult Bell Choir Practice (Balcony)  
6:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 51 (Various Rooms)

### **Saturday February 17, 2024**

9:00am Stephen Ministry Class (Room 004)

### **Sunday February 18, 2024**

**Trailblazers Soup Sale** (Gathering Area)

### **Monday February 19, 2024**

9:30am Disciple Fast Track - New Testament  
Bible Study (Room 102)  
12:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 51  
Merit Badge Award Ceremony (Dining Room)  
5:30pm Kiwanis (Room 102)  
6:30pm United Women in Faith - Ruth Circle  
(Conference Room - 2nd Floor)

### **Tuesday February 20, 2024**

4:00pm Girl Scouts (Various Rooms)  
6:30pm Finance Committee Meeting (Room 102)

### **Wednesday February 21, 2024**

4:00pm Love Cupboard Food Pantry  
5:00pm Stephen Ministers Meeting  
(Stephen Ministry Room)  
6:30pm Disciple Fast Track - New Testament  
Bible Study (Room 102)

### **Thursday February 22, 2024**

10:00am Second Harvest Delivery  
10:45am Senior Food Box Pickup

### **Sunday February 25, 2024**

11:00am Arts and Crafts (K - 5th Grade)  
6:30pm Youth Group Meeting (Room 001)

### **Monday February 26, 2024**

8:30am Women's Fellowship Breakfast  
(Perkins Restaurant)  
9:30am Disciple Fast Track - New Testament  
Bible Study (Room 102)

### **Wednesday February 28, 2024**

6:30pm Disciple Fast Track - New Testament  
Bible Study (Room 102)

## **Regular and Weekly Meetings**

### **Wednesday**

8:00am Journey for Men (Room 102)  
1:15pm Recovery 'n Motion (Dining Room)  
6:30pm The Messengers Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

### **Thursday**

6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice (Choir Room)  
6:30pm Cub Scouts Pack 51 (Various Rooms)  
6:45pm NA Setup (Room 102)  
8:00pm NA Group (Room 102)

### **Friday**

9:00am Sit 'n Stitch (Room 102)

***All dates are subject to change.  
Please check the website for current schedule.***

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### **Disciple Bible Study is Returning!**

We will be resuming Disciple Bible Study (this time in the New Testament) in February. Classes will meet on Monday mornings at 9:30am beginning on **February 19** and on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm beginning on **February 21**. The classes will once again run for 12 weeks. According to their schedule, participants can move between the Monday and Wednesday classes. Everyone is welcome and invited!

You do not have to have participated in the fall Bible Study to join us! You can also join us via Zoom.

**The deadline to sign up is Sunday, February 11** in the church office.

The cost of the study book is \$18.

### **Mission Bucket Kickoff: A Lenten Project Sponsored by the Mission Team**

To commemorate Lent, the Mission Team will be collecting items to fill 75 cleaning buckets for the Mission Barn in New Castle. Beginning Ash Wednesday, February 14, requests for specific items will be made to Sunday School classes and our fellow church groups. A list of needed items will be posted at several locations in the church.

The collection drive will run through Tuesday, March 19, followed by a day trip to volunteer at the Mission Barn on Wednesday, March 20. On that day, from 10:00am - 2:00pm, we will deliver the buckets, assemble kits, and build ramp modules.

All are invited to volunteer. The new facility in New Castle can accommodate up to 20 volunteers at a time. There are tasks for all ages from 5 up.

Come check out **Sit 'n Stitch** on **Friday mornings** from 9:00 to 11:00am in room 102. It's a fun fellowship time to work on your own crafting project or work on a requested project. Anybody is welcome to join.



The **American Cancer Society's Daffodil Days** fundraising campaign is returning for 2024. Help us fight cancer by supporting our Daffodil Days program. Each bunch purchased supports our life-saving work. Give Daffodils. Give Hope. Place your order today!

- Orders due by February 13
- Delivery week of March 18

For a \$12 donation, an individual will receive one bunch (10) of beautiful, fresh cut daffodils.

For a \$15 donation, an individual will receive a bunch of mini daffodils in a pot.

For a \$15 donation, someone will receive a bunch (10) of colorful tulips.

For a \$25 donation, instead of receiving flowers, you can support the Gift of Hope program where volunteers deliver daffodils to local hospitals or nursing homes.

Place your order online at <https://tinyurl.com/ddclarioncounty> or by calling the church office (814-226-6660).





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### **December 2023 Finance at a Glance**

<b>General Budget</b>	<b>Receipts</b>	<b>Expenditures</b>
<b>Forecast</b>	<b>\$54,320</b>	<b>\$37,537</b>
<b>Actual</b>	<b>\$55,431</b>	<b>\$35,745</b>

Our newsletter in December stated that we had soft offerings in the fall of 2023 and we needed a good finish in December. That did happen and the early weeks of January are showing good promise of receipts exceeding our forecast. We did finish 2023 with a shortfall in receipts. Each of us needs to examine our stewardship commitment to ensure all programs and church expenses are covered. Carry on, faithful and committed congregation.

#### **Donations are Needed for a Mission Project**

Choose an ornament from the "Caring Tree" in Wesley Chapel to help a new Mom care for her baby. Items are being collected to donate to Next Step, the pregnancy care center in Clarion that provides support and services for women facing unintended pregnancy, new mothers, and babies. Each ornament lists a needed item, which can be purchased and placed in the box next to the tree. The donation drive, which is co-sponsored by the United Women in Faith and the Mission Team, **runs through February 15.**

#### **Saturday Men's Breakfast**

We will be meeting again at Perkins on **Saturday, February 10 at 8:00am.** If you like to eat, talk, laugh or just get out of the house, you are welcome to join us. The more the merrier!

#### **Some Upcoming Dates for Clarion's United Women in Faith**

##### **Women's Breakfast**

The United Women in Faith will be having our next meeting at **Perkins on Monday, February 26 at 8:30am.** We start with some short readings on fellowship, after which we will have a wonderful meal and great conversation. Come and enjoy the fun! **EVERYONE is welcome!**

Our monthly circle meetings are as follows:

**Naomi Circle** - Will meet on **Thursday, February 8 at noon.**

**Ruth Circle** - Will meet on **Monday, February 19 at 6:30pm.**

The Northeastern Jurisdiction United Women in Faith **quadrennial meeting** will be held in Providence, RI, **April 19-21, 2024.** Great speakers, music, and fellowship with other United Women in Faith. Come join us. There's still time to register. Visit our website at [nejuwfaith.org](http://nejuwfaith.org) for more information or talk to Mary Brooks.

All women are invited to attend any and all of these meetings to learn more about the mission work of the United Women in Faith.

For more information, contact Mary Brooks, Karen Vandermeer, or Mary Jo Ford.

## **News from the Corner - February 2024**

Friends of the Music Ministry and members of the Chancel Choir,  
The choir will begin practice for our Easter presentation on **Thursday, February 1** at 7:15pm in the choir room after practice. Everyone is welcome to participate in rehearsals for **John Rutter's Requiem**. We will be presenting the piece at both services on Palm Sunday, March 24. I hope to see you there!  
Sincerely,  
Randy Bowser, Director of Music

### **New Church Office Management and Hours**

Beginning in January 2024 the church will begin a new office management process to support the changing needs of the church and to facilitate the transition to new staffing of the office with the consolidated position of Operations and Technical Administrator\* to be filled by Darren Mackenzie. In advance, Pastor Jodie, Staff Parish Relations, and the Church Council want to ensure the congregation is aware of the changes that will be taking place.

The goal of the new office management process is to provide the congregation and community improved access to resources and care by increasing the use of communication technologies, which will also enable staff to complete project-based tasks that further our ministry. In order to meet this goal, a significant change will be a modification of church office hours as follows.

#### **Important Change:**

- ◆ **New hours for the church office beginning January 2024: Monday - Thursday, 8:30am - 2:30pm; the office will be closed on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.** Persons who have needs that require assistance outside of these hours are asked to contact the church office to make arrangements.

Note: Pastor Jodie and the church leadership are committed to monitoring the effectiveness of these changes during the following weeks and months. If you have questions, please contact the church office, Pastor Jodie, Howard Rhoades, or Bill Bailey.

\* *The Operations and Technical Administrator position is a consolidation of the previous Administrative Assistant and Director of Communications and Technology positions.*

### **A part-time position open in our church—Director of Christian Education**

This part-time and paid position *averages* ten hours a week. This position was formerly held by Marlene Steiner. Initially retiring from teaching, Marlene found being director of education an ideal way to do something meaningful while serving her church. This opportunity is great for a person of faith who would enjoy sharing the gift of our faith with others, while also learning more themselves! Although you are welcome to help teach, teaching is not required. This position is primarily a coordinating and equipping position. You would work with and be assisted by the Education Committee of our church and our Church Council. You would assist and help lead the Education Committee and our teachers in setting up the programs of Sunday School, Adult Education, and Vacation Bible School.

One of the key areas would be helping to identify and select study topics and curriculums, and help our teaching staff understand the curriculum strengths. You do not need to be a member of our church in order to apply. Feel free to share this opportunity and refer quality people our way. If interested, inquire through the office or contact Mr. Bill Bailey, chair of Staff Parish Relations Committee (our committee for paid personnel).

### **Staff Opening—Lead Nursery Coordinator**

Our Staff Parish Relations Committee is now taking applications from those interested in the position. The nursery, for infants and children through the age of 4, is open on Sunday mornings and on some special occasions. Those interested are encouraged to ask for a Job Description. Clearances are required before starting this job. Staff Parish thanks Carrah Campbell for serving so capably as interim coordinator.





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### PLEASE NOTE "MAILER" SCHEDULE

**Upcoming Mailers:** Items for the **March newsletter** need to be submitted by **Thursday, February 15**.  
Thank you!

**To submit information:** If you would like to submit information for the mailer, please contact the church office at 814-226-6660 or by email to [churchoffice@fumc-clarion.org](mailto:churchoffice@fumc-clarion.org).

The **Adult Bell Choir** is looking for a few more ringers to join in on making a joyful noise unto the Lord. If you would like to ring or learn how to ring, please contact the church office or see one of the ringers. We meet **Monday evenings** from 5:30 - 6:30pm in the bell room behind the balcony.

### Acolytes and Liturgists

If you would like to be an acolyte at our 8:30 or 11:00 worship service or a liturgist at our 8:30 service, notify the church office with a date and time.



**HOSPITALIZED?** If you or a family member is going to be placed in the hospital, or have upcoming surgery, please notify the church office so that the church and pastor may come and minister to you. You may call the church office at 226-6660.