

### Prayer Concerns & Joys

**Diane Adams** (health concerns)

**Marti Bingham** (recovering from surgery)

**Patti Bohner** (At Anderson in Edwardsville for rehab for a broken hip)

**Sophie Bowers** (Took first place in the state wrestling tournament making her the first ever Vandalia 2 time state champion!!)

**Pete Burnam** (recognized as a 75 year member of the Masons)

**Sara Clark** (health concerns)

**Ava Cooper** (10year old neighbor of Candy Zeman, now #2 on the list for heart transplant)

**Elaine Culbertson** (health concerns)

**Taryn Flake** (attending St. Paul Seminary)

**Willard Fulk** (health concerns)

**Leonard Gehle** (Deb Durbin's father; prostate cancer treatment)

**Ginger Hamilton** (cancer treatments)

**Amy Holaday** (breast cancer has returned)

**Heather Jones** (hemochromatosis)

**Carson LaDage** (please continue to pray, as the treatment plan is currently working)

**Brian Mason** (Mark Miller's nephew, injured in a construction accident)

**Jason Mouser** (complications from a stroke, Just moved to rehab in Shiloh)

**Justin Peebles** (Calista Eyman's brother. Has a mass on his left kidney)

**David Rademacher** (diagnosed with chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia)

**Family of Phyllis Rames**

**Judy Roberts** (recovering from back surgery)

**Sydney Rosborough** (diagnosed with TOS, recovering from surgery)

**Drew Schneider** (recovering from surgery)

**Gaynelle Scott** (breast cancer)

**Lana Sefton** (stage 4 breast cancer)

**Donna Taylor** (recovering from a brain bleed)

**Heather (Jones) Thompson** (breast cancer)

**Vandalia High School Wrestlers**

**Darin Wells** (in complete remission)

**Richie Well & Shelby** (got engaged!)

**Ken Williams** (health concerns)

**Hudson Winters** (diagnosed with LCH)

**Please be sure to update the Church office and/or Pastor Curtis if you know anyone that's in the hospital.**

### 635 Food Pantry

Food Pantry is in need of any and all non-perishable items.

### This Week's Activities

**Sunday, March 9**

2:00pm, Service @ Brookstone

**Monday, March 10**

5:30pm, 10 U Basketball Practice

**Tuesday, March 11**

8:00am, Pickleball

5:15pm, Praise Team Practice

**Wednesday, March 12**

6:15am, Men's Bible Study

2:00pm, Pastor's Bible Study

4:30pm, Choir Practice

5:30pm, Spirit Singers

6:00pm, Handbell Practice

6:00pm, Youth Group

**Thursday, March 13**

8:00am, Pickleball

3:00pm, Prayer Shawl Ministry

5:30pm, 10 U Basketball Practice

**Happy Birthday!**

9—Aubrey Brouk

10—Jeff Burnam

Mark Miller

Kip Taylor

Bill Warner

11—Gail DePaolo

Dennette Guyer

12—Tim Edwards

14—Richard Knebel

Mary Woolsey

15—Susan Casey

Melissa Sasse

**Lighthouse Pregnancy**

The Lighthouse Pregnancy Center will be holding two fundraising banquets. The first one will be Tuesday, March 18, 2025 at 6:00pm at the Hillsboro Free Methodist Church and the second one will be held at the Vandalia Moose Lodge on Thursday, March 20, 2025 at 6:00pm. RSVP by calling 618-283-8750 or email: LPHSRECEPTION.LPC@GMAIL.COM.

**Ukrainian Refugee Family Support**

We are still taking donations for the URSF for Zoryana's family.

**Free Piano**

We are getting rid of the piano that is located on the stage in Wesley Hall. It is free!! As Max said....it is no cash, but you have to carry!!

**Red Cross Blood Drive**

There will be a Red Cross Blood Drive sponsored by Vandalia Rotary on Tuesday, March 11, 2025 from 11:00am to 5:00pm. At the Moose Lodge.

# First United Methodist Church

## Vandalia, Illinois

Pastor Curtis Flake

March 9, 2025



Announcements

Prelude

*Precious Lord, Take My Hand*

Call to Worship

Opening Songs

*Open Up The Heavens  
What A Beautiful Name*

Children's Lesson

*Children are invited to join Kingdom Kids (located one level below sanctuary)  
after the children's lesson*

Nicene Creed

**UMH 880**

Anthem

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross  
(Sanctuary Choir)*

Scripture Lesson

Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 Luke 4:1-13

Sermon

Rescue Me

Hymn

*Lord ,Who Throughout These Forty Days, UMH 269*

Doxology

**UMH 95**

Prayers, Joys, & Concerns

Prayer Song

*Cares Chorus, TFWS 2215*

Pastoral & Lord's Prayer

**UMH 895**

Closing Song

*Seek Ye First, UMH 405*

Blessing & Response

*The Blessing*

Postlude

*A Mighty Fortress is Our God*



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## Worship Leaders

JD Vieregge/Rand Craycroft, **Head Ushers**  
, **Usher**  
, **Greeter**  
Amelia Moulton **Acolyte**  
Kim Well **Liturgist**  
Taryn Flake, **Music Top Cat**  
Sue Miller & Kathy Taylor, **Praise Team**  
BJ Mueller, **Song Leader**  
Dawn Rosborough, **Keyboardist**  
Charlie Mills, **Drummer**  
Max Durbin, **Bus Driver**  
Deb Durbin, **Bus Rider**  
Jack Johnston, **Bus Greeter**  
Rand Craycroft, **Video Tech**  
Rick Eyman, **Sound Tech**  
Gene Schwarm  
, **Offering Collector**  
**Kingdom Kids**



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