NORTH RIVERSIDE NEIGHBORHOOD

THE LEAFLETTE

A little mid-month update for all the goings on at Woodland!

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Upcoming Events

Stewardship Celebration!

Join us for a celebration lunch on October 25 after church to celebration the conclusion of our 2026 stewardship campaign! We will enjoy a Ramen bar and good conversation together.
Lunch and service will be provided by the Leadership Board and anyone else who'd like to pitch in.



Bread Club

This month's Bread Club will be led by our own Christina on October 24 at 1 p.m. Please RSVP to Michael Webb at michael.wwebb@yahoo.com if you'd like to participate, or call the office and we can RSVP for you.

Weekly Events

Sundays at 10 a.m. - Adult Sunday School, 2nd floor
Sundays at 11 a.m. - Worship, sanctuary and online
Sundays at 5 p.m. - Youth Group at Calvary UMC
Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. - Choir practice
Thursdays at 6 p.m. - Thursday Night Supper Club

Other Events:

Oct. 23-24	**Leadership Camp**
Oct. 25	**Commitment Sunday (lunch following worship)**
Oct. 26, 5:30 p.m.	**Leadership Board Meeting, Upper Room**
Oct. 27, 1 p.m.	**Drop-In Meal preparation**
Oct. 29, 7 p.m.	**Woodland Quilters, Parlor**
Nov. 1, 11 a.m.	**All Saints Day, in worship**

Charge Conference

Charge Conference is the annual meeting of the church where we set an administrative plan for things like the budget, goals, teams, and all other things. We meet with other area UMCs, so it is a time of worship and connection, too. Everyone is welcome to attend!

This year, we will meet at St. Mark's United Methodist Church at 1525 N. Lorraine
November 8,
3:00 p.m.

Reports

Woodland Tree Tour

Steve Martz, with the help of his brother, Tim, the tree expert, prepared a tour of Woodland's trees after church on October 11. We learned (and memorized, of course) all the scientific names of the trees we have as well as the common ones, learned some fun facts about the different types, and heard stories surrounding how some of the trees came to live in our lawn. If you're interested to learn more, Steve will share his materials in a future Leaflet!





Pumpkin Sales!

Our youth group, who has partnered with Calvary UMC, is selling pumpkins to help fund their mission trip for this and future summers! If you need some pumpkins or gourds for your fall decorating, why not support our youth in the process? There is even an area set up where you can take fall pictures! Calvary UMC is located at 2525 N. Rock Rd.





Congrats, Retirees!
On Labor Day weekend, we honored two Woodland folks who have retired in the past year: Terri Snyder and Sara Friesen. Congratulations, and remember the church when you're trying to figure out how to spend your free time :)

Sunday School News

October 4
Joys and Concerns
*Happy Birthday to Kathy!
*Kari's friend, Katie, passed away leaving young children at home. Prayers for the Garner family.
*Ohlson's are looking forward to the birth of a new grandchild on Oct. 13.
* Martz's attended the funeral of Robin Hull. It was a very special native American service.
UMW Circle will remember the history of UMW as written by Alys. October 14, 10:00.
Steve opened in prayer. We watched aCross Creation episode of "Standing Tall", filmed in the Redwood Forest of California. It teaches us to live a righteous life., as Jesus did.

October 11
Joys & Concerns:
*Thanks to those who braved the closed streets and maneuvered your way to Church due to the marathon.
*Ohlson's kids experienced the hurricane in Pensacola fine. Power outage only. Family coming to visit.
*Janice Brown is home from her surgery and doing OK.
*Happy Birthday this week, Bob & Kari
Our lesson today was presented by Michelle. Her theme was MISSIONS. She and Andy have served around the world (Mexico, Romania and Uganda) doing mission work. At age 13, Albert Schweitzer was a musical genius and was committed to be a missionary. He went to Africa to fight sleeping sickness.
One who is called to be a missionary is led by Christ and a deep faith. Altruism is unselfish regard or devotion to the welfare of others. Jesus said "Go into the world and preach the word of God. We were reminded of the song, "Here I am Lord" by Dan Schutte. Thanks Michelle.

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