

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 3, 2023

- **WELCOME!** Please sign in on a fellowship pad, located at the end of your pew. Provide your email to be added to our e-newsletter list.
- Place your **prayer requests** in the basket on the table at the rear of the sanctuary. They will be collected five minutes before the start of worship.
- **Hearing assisted devices** are available from the sound board operator. These transmit the sound from the microphones directly to your ears. **Magnifying sheets** are available on the table in the narthex by the office.
- **We are livestreaming worship** on Facebook and YouTube.

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- **If you need gluten-free bread for communion**, please pick it up from the table at the rear of the sanctuary before worship or during a hymn.
- **The Harvest Table** is in the Memorial Room after worship. Donate extra produce or flowers from your garden; it's available for purchase after worship; all proceeds support the ministries of the Board of Deacons.
- **Choir and Bell Choir rehearsals will begin on Sept. 6** (Bell choir: 6:30 to 7:00; Choir: 7:10 to 8:15). New ringers and singers are welcome!
- Join us for a **Fall Fellowship Kickoff** at the home of Charlie and Shirley Herrick (4666 Bunker Road) on Sept. 10, beginning at 2:00 pm. There will be pulled pork, games, and crafts! Side dishes are appreciated. (Charlie, our Pastor Emeritus, served as the pastor of this church from 1976-1989.)
- **There will be a change in the Wednesday evening schedule this fall.** We are moving dinner to 6:00 and bell choir rehearsal to 6:30. This change should work better for the people who are in both the choir and the bell choir, for the kitchen staff, and for the families with children. Dinners will begin on Sept. 13. (If this doesn't work, we'll switch back!)
- **Adult Sunday School** will begin on Sept. 17, following worship. The class will continue watching and discussing *The Chosen*, the TV series that explores Jesus' life from the perspective of those who encountered him.
- The Deacons have organized a new **collection for the Mason Food Bank**. Items currently needed: peanut butter, baked beans, chicken noodle soup, tomato soup, Cheerios, saltine crackers, boxed stuffing. Please bring donations to the table in the Memorial Room. Thank you!
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