For the month of April 2019 the Food Pantry is in need of sides and mixes to go with hamburger and/or other meats:











2019 Kits For Conference - April Adult toothbrush

Do not remove from packaging Personal advertising not acceptable

Adhesive Bandages (Band-Aids)

3/4 by 3 inches Common household bandages acceptable

The Mission Committee is asking for donations for Easter baskets. We need wrapped candy and small toys. These will be collected through the month of March.



Today's devotional writer in *Seasons of Joy and Gladness*, our Lenten devotional booklet from Society of St. Andrew, writes Joy, and asks us to consider the final season of life, and our approach to that season. What has been theoretical for so long, will soon be actual! Consider giving today to the Society of St. Andrew, a nationwide ministry focused on caring for actual physical hunger. Every \$3 provides 20 meals of nutritious, fresh food for the hungry!



We are excited you have joined us for worship today! If you are visiting, please fill out a blue card and place it in the offering plate.

Mark your Calendar for these upcoming activities...

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Sun, Mar 31	10:45 am	Children Sunday School			
	11:30 am	Soup and Sandwich Lunch after church			
Wed, Apr 3	9:00 am	Food Pantry			
	12:00 pm	Lenten Luncheon (St. John's)			
Thu, Apr 4	6:30 pm	Choir Practice (Sanctuary)			
Sun, Apr 7	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (Sanctuary)			
	9:30 am	Adult Sunday School			
	10:30 am	5th Sunday in Lent Worship (Sanctuary)			
	10:45 am	Children Sunday School			
Tue, Apr 9	6:30 pm	West End Alliance (Social Hall)			
Wed, Apr 10	9:00 am	Food Pantry			
	12:00 pm	Lenten Luncheon (Christ)			
Thu, Apr 11	6:30 pm	Choir Practice (Sanctuary)			
Sun, Apr 14	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (Sanctuary)			
	9:30 am	Adult Sunday School			
	10:30 am	Palm Sunday Worship (Sanctuary)			
	10:45 am	Children Sunday School			
Wed, Apr 17	9:00 am	Food Pantry			
Thu, Apr 18	6:30 pm	Holy Thursday Service (Sanctuary)			
Fri, Apr 19	6:30 pm	Good Friday Service (Sanctuary)			
Sun, Apr 21	6:30 am	"Son"rise Service (St. Paul's UMC)			
	9:30 am	Adult Sunday School			
	10:30 am	Easter Sunday Worship (Sanctuary)			

The Children's Sunday School class would like to invite everyone to a Soup and Sandwich Lunch after church this morning.

If you would like to order an Easter Lily in honor or memory of a loved one, please let me know. Forms are available in the Arcade. I will be placing an initial order on 4/1. Thanks, Caryn

Please take these Prayer concerns home for daily reference:

Peggy Rohr Peggy Barkley Wendy Harman Betty Barnhart Scott Hearn George Sanderson Dave Botkin Linda Hutton Katherine Sheets Marcella Landram Faye Shifflett Kelly Botkin Phil Carletti William Lawhorne Estelle Wade Ron Carletti Skip Low Leta Wimer Tommy Wood John Clatterbaugh Fern Moran Family of Sandra Allen Carmen Collins Elizabeth Poe Fitz Fairfield Penny Walker Reen Family of Donald Gough Jonathan Gillette Jim Rohr also... Jerry Harman Kim Rohr

There isn't room to list all the needs of these folks, but God knows about each one! Please notify the church office if you have a prayer concern to be added or removed from the list.

Our Christian Sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Sandra Allen following her death on Friday, March 22, 2019.

We want to thank everyone for their prayers, cards and expressions of love following Donnie's death. Also thank you to all who helped with the reception following the burial. It allowed his son and family from Oregon to spend time with family and friends they would not have been able to visit with otherwise. ~ Marion & Lindy

2019 Bible Reading Plan - Genesis to Revelation					
Tue, 4/2	1 Samuel 15-17	Sun, 4/7	2 Samuel 8-12		
	1 Samuel 18-20	Mon, 4/8	2 Samuel 13-15		
	1 Samuel 21-24	Tue, 4/9	2 Samuel 16-18		
	1 Samuel 25-27	Wed, 4/10	2 Samuel 19-21		
	1 Samuel 28-31	Thu, 4/11	2 Samuel 22-24		
	2 Samuel 1-3	Fri, 4/12	1 Kings 1-2		
	2 Samuel 4-7	Sat, 4/13	1 Kings 3-5		

The more you read the Bible, the more you'll love the Author!

We still need 4 male volunteers to help with our Holy Thursday Tenebrae Service. Each participant will be seated around a table at the altar, dressed as a disciple and will have a short speaking part. Please contact Caryn or Pastor Tizzy if you are interested in volunteering.



Staunton 8 UMC Lenten Luncheons

Service begins at 12:00 p.m. followed by a soup and sandwich lunch \$2.00 suggested donation

April 3rd - St. John's - Rev. Sarah Locke April 10th - Christ - Rev. Sarah Payne

☺ Smile News ☺

• Avery Ziegler was awarded a good citizenship award at school. It said she is always kind and respectful, has a positive attitude and loves school. She was also recognized for her perfect attendance so far this year.



Holy Week Activities



Palm Sunday • April 14th • 10:30 am • Sanctuary
Holy Thursday • April 18th • 6:30 pm • Sanctuary
Good Friday • April 19th • 6:30 pm • Sanctuary
"Son"rise Service • April 21st • 6:30 am • St. Paul's
Easter Sunday • April 21st • 10:30 am • Sanctuary

Weekly Budget, Apportionments & Attendance for 3/24/2019

General Budget received	\$3,135
General Budget needed each Sunday	\$3,327
Building Fund received	\$397
Building Fund needed each Sunday	\$335
Apportionments Received	\$565
Apportionments Received YTD	\$1,235
Number in attendance	64

Tithing Tip of the Week

Tithing is a pleasure, not a burden. Try it and see for yourself.