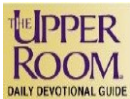


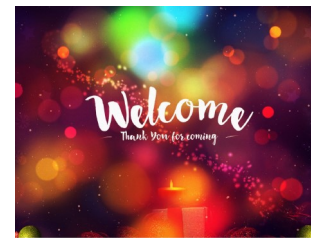
For the month of December 2019
the Food Pantry is in need of canned meats,
sides and canned pasta:



If you missed any recent church services, you can watch them via the church website, www.marquismemorial.org. Sermon scripts, bulletins, bulletin inserts and the anthems are also posted weekly when available.



Pick up the Jan/Feb issue of the *Upper Room*.
A contribution to offset the cost is appreciated.



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

Mark your Calendar for these upcoming activities...

Sun, Dec 29	10:45 am	Children's Sunday School
Wed, Jan 1	All Day	Office and Food Pantry Closed
Sat, Jan 4	All Day	Social Hall in use by Member
Sun, Jan 5	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (SOCIAL HALL)
	9:30 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Morning Worship (SOCIAL HALL)
	10:45 am	Children's Sunday School
Wed, Jan 8	9:00 am	Food Pantry
Sun, Jan 12	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (SOCIAL HALL)
	9:30 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Morning Worship (SOCIAL HALL)
	10:45 am	Children's Sunday School
Tue, Jan 14	6:30 pm	West End Alliance (Social Hall)
Wed, Jan 15	9:00 am	Food Pantry
Sun, Jan 19	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (SOCIAL HALL)
	9:30 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Morning Worship (SOCIAL HALL)
	10:45 am	Children's Sunday School
Mon, Jan 20	12:00 pm	Newsletter Deadline
Wed, Jan 22	9:00 am	Food Pantry
Sat, Jan 25	8:30 am	Council/Committee Training Workshop

The deadline for donations to be credited for 2019 is NOON on Tuesday, December 31st.

Beginning Sunday, January 5th and continuing through the month of February we will have casual worship in the Social Hall including coffee and snacks. We do this every year to save money on our heating bill.

Please take these Prayer concerns home for daily reference:

Peggy Barkley	Polly Guffey	Elizabeth Poe
Dave Botkin	Jerry Harman	Jim Rohr
Phil Carletti	Wendy Harman	Peggy Rohr
Ron Carletti	Linda Hutton	George Sanderson
Sarah Carletti	Marcella Landram	Katherine Sheets
David Caywood	Skip Low	Mary Smith
John Clatterbaugh	Karen Martin	Leta Wimer
Carmen Collins	Leon Miller	Dinah Wood
Ray Ergenbright	Fern Moran	Family of Ann Perry
Jonathan Gillette	Ann Perry	<i>also...</i>

Those in the Armed Services including Jessica Walker, The United Methodist Church, Our Local UM Churches, Our Community and Our Nation



In Memoriam

Audrey "Ann" (Shickel) Perry
December 9, 1933 - December 22, 2019
Joined Marquis Memorial UMC on May 9, 1965

Our Christian Sympathy is extended to Lisa Perry and her family following the death of her mother, Ann Perry on Sunday, December 22nd.

<i>2020 Bible Reading Plan - Historical</i>			
Sun, 12/29	Genesis 1-3	Sun, 1/5	Genesis 16-18
Mon, 12/30	Genesis 4-7	Mon, 1/6	Genesis 19-21
Tue, 12/31	Genesis 8-11	Tue, 1/7	Genesis 22-24
Wed, 1/1	Genesis 12-15	Wed, 1/8	Genesis 25-26
Thu, 1/2	Revelation 13-16	Thu, 1/9	Genesis 27-29
Fri, 1/3	Revelation 17-19	Fri, 1/10	Genesis 30-31
Sat, 1/4	Revelation 20-22	Sat, 1/11	Genesis 32-34

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

On Saturday, January 25th, all Council AND Committee members are encouraged to attend a training workshop led by Beth Christian, our Staunton District Director of Congregational Vitality. Come early for donuts and coffee at 8:30 am and training will begin at 9:00 am.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our worship services during Advent and Christmas Eve. We are appreciative of your willingness to serve. The Lord has been so good to us, he has blessed us in so many ways. Thank you for all that you do and for the part that you play in making this such a special community.

☺ Smile News ☺

Zoey Ziegler was a December 2019 Paw-sitive Referral Winner at her school.

Avery Ziegler received a Certificate of Achievement for always following directions quickly and quietly.

The flowers on the altar were given for the Glory of God and in loving memory of Kathryn Hodges on her birthday, January 2nd and were given by John Hodges and his children.

♥ *Congratulations to Dicky & Marion Fauver who will be celebrating their 43rd anniversary on December 30th.*

Weekly Budget, Apportionments & Attendance for 12/22/19

General Budget received	\$2,246	<u>Titling Tip of the Week</u> Your New Year's resolutions are not complete without God. Include Him and start tithing now.
General Budget needed each Sunday	\$3,327	
Building Fund received	\$333	
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Apportionments Received	\$40	
Apportionments Balance Due	\$3,405	
Number in attendance	78	