

# Tower Views



## Thank You, LORD!

### Coming Up!

#### **Sunday, November 12th**

##### **Blanket Sunday**

8:15—Early Service

9:00—Continental Breakfast

9:30—Sunday School

10:30—Late Service

#### **Monday, November 13th**

6:00—Chancel Bells

6:00—Trustees

#### **Wednesday, November 15th**

10:15—Morning Bible Study

3:00—Middle School UMYF

3:30—Angelus Choir

5:00—High School UMYF

7:00—Chancel Choir

#### **Thursday, November 16th**

Noon—PMF Committee Mtg.

#### **Friday, November 17th**

9:00 AM—Literacy Council

#### **Prayer Vigil**

Saturday, November 18th

8:00 AM through Sunday,

November 19th 8:00 AM

Thanksgiving is a special time of year and we have some wonderful things planned for this Thanksgiving season. They include:

#### **Churchwide Prayer Vigil**

**Saturday & Sunday, November 18-19**

Sign up to spend some time with God in prayer & thanksgiving

#### **Thanksgiving Sunday Worship**

**Sunday, November 19 at 8:15 & 10:30 am**

This will be a special celebration of thanksgiving to God. It will also be Commitment Sunday for our Generosity Focus for 2018.

#### **Churchwide Thanksgiving Dinner**

**Sunday, November 19 at 11:30 am**

Come and share the abundance of wonderful food & friendship with your church family.

#### **Community Thanksgiving Service**

**Sunday, November 9 at 6 pm**

We will welcome the churches of the ministerial alliance for a celebration of thanksgiving through song and prayer. Our Chancel Choir will be one of several choirs singing.

I hope you will be part of several of these very special Thanksgiving opportunities.

## Prayer Concerns



Rosemary Hardinger  
Gloria Sadoris  
Betty Brecht  
Wilbur Slocum  
Sarah Duncan  
Arnie Drendel  
Guido Santero  
Tom Griffiths  
Teresa Jones  
Pat Snyder  
Warren Smith  
Connie Briggs  
Jill Bernard  
Angela Garbee  
Fred McAllister  
Julia Carey  
Nicole Fillipe  
Gary Dubina  
Mike Lester  
Lucille Clayton  
Marty Setzer  
Rick Wolf  
Sharlene Wirsig  
Sharolyn Kirby  
Jane Mautino  
Shirley Stone  
Rosie Banfield

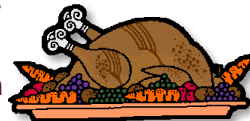


### Blanket Sunday

Sunday, November 12th, is Blanket Sunday. Our church supplies the blankets for Christmas Cheer. Each blanket costs \$8 and our goal is to supply 1000 blankets! So bring a check that day payable to the church or use "Text To Give" by using your cellphone, send a text to 77977 with the message "CMOUMC". Click on the link you get and choose "Blankets for Christmas Cheer" to make your donation.

### Churchwide Thanksgiving Dinner

We will gather to share our annual Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, November 19 at 11:30 am. The turkey, dressing and gravy will be provided. Please mark the Connect card to bring a side dish or a dessert to share. Everyone is invited to come enjoy all the great food and friendship as we celebrate God's blessings together!



### Community Thanksgiving Service Sunday, November 19 at 6 pm

Everyone is invited to attend the annual Community Thanksgiving Service. We will be hosting churches from across our community for this wonderful celebration of thanksgiving. The service will include special music by choirs from several different churches.

### Looking Ahead to Holiday Activities

The Kids Advent activity will be Sunday, November 26th during Sunday School.

Supper with Santa will be Wednesday, November 29th at 5:30. All kids and their families are invited. See the Connect Card for ways to help.



### Volunteers Needed for Countywide Thanksgiving Dinner

They delivered meals and fed 700 Henry County folks last Thanksgiving. They need pumpkin or apple pies, turkeys baked, drivers, steam table servers and pot scrubbers at the Senior Center on November 23rd. Call Scott Brooks at 885-6921 to let him know how you can help.

### Worship Assistants

#### Gathering Music:

8:15—Brenda Ford  
10:30—Janice Santero

#### 8:15 Song Leader:

Kelli Jenkins

#### 8:15 Acolytes:

Ethan Johns &  
Isaac Duncan

#### 8:15 Ushers:

Susan Mosley &  
Susie Wetzel

#### 8:15 Greeters:

Don Turner &  
Shirley Harrison

#### Continental Breakfast:

Jim & Sandi Cox

#### 10:30 Greeters:

Darlene Woods &  
Janet Parks  
Dennis & Loree Walrath

#### Children's Time

Andy Ford

#### Nursery helper 8:15

Amber Volmer

### Prayer Vigil

As we enter this Thanksgiving season, we will be hosting another 24-hour prayer vigil. What better way to give thanks to God for all the blessings He has bestowed on us than entering in a quiet time of prayer and reflection.

The prayer vigil will be held in the chapel and will begin at 8:00 a.m., Saturday, November 18 and end at 8:00 a.m., Sunday, November 19. A sign-up sheet will be available in the Green Room or you can indicate the time you would like to participate on the Connect Card and place in the collection plate.

Prayerfully consider spending some time in the chapel on this special weekend.



### Daily Bible Readings and Prayers

#### Sunday

Psalm 24:1-2

Give thanks that God created this wonderful earth to be our home

#### Monday

Deuteronomy 8:10-18

Thank God for 10 blessings in your life

#### Tuesday

Matthew 25:14-30

Ask God to help you make the most of your day today

Matthew 6:19-24

Confess those times you've been too focused on earthly treasures

#### Thursday

Luke 12:15-21

Ask God to be Master of your finances

#### Friday

Malachi 3:6-10

Ask God to guide you in your giving to support the work of the church

#### Saturday

Luke 16:10-15

Ask God to guide you in being a faithful steward of your resources

### Touching Heart, Changing Lives Generosity Focus for 2018 Commitment Sunday – November 19



Your gifts are vitally important to the strength of our church. Together, we are touching hearts and changing lives – young and old, and all ages in between - with God's love. None of that would be possible without your commitment and faithfulness.

Please prayerfully consider taking a step forward in your giving for in 2018. Commitment Sunday will be November 19. If you are unable to be in worship that Sunday, you can turn your pledge in to the church office, email your pledge to [pledges@clintonumc.net](mailto:pledges@clintonumc.net) or place it in the offering one of following weeks.

Thank you for your generosity. Our church is making a wonderful difference in so many lives.



**SHARE THE  
HARVEST**

### Set Your Sights on Hunger When You Deer Hunt!

It's free and easy to donate your deer. Take it to Hetherington Meats or Powell Meat Company and our church will help cover the cost of processing. The venison will be donated to the Samaritan Center. Last year, we helped with the processing of 97 deer!