

Bob & Darlene Traylor

Lisa DeBord Johnson

Rick & Lorraine	Darlene Bross
Phil Henebry	David Cammarn
Ron Schermer	Maxine Dixon
Taryn Ruberg	Tisha Patton
Steve Powell	Kemp Jaycox
Sue Ann Kraus	Jim McCann
Barb Austin	Pat Bennett
Gary Davis	Juanita Dalton
Otis Moreman	Cade Johnson



A Prayer Minister will be available at the back corner of Dunlap Hall, for at least 15 minutes after the benediction. Masks will be worn when requested.

Prayer Minister - Susan DeNyse

Jim and I would like to thank all of you for your thoughts, prayers and love we felt during Jim's hospital stay. You all lifted us up so much. What a mighty God we serve.

Love Cindy and Jim.Rahn



JAVA Café Updates for September - Thank you to our August Baristas:
Nancy and Andy Shreve, and Sue and Dave Conaway. These Baristas
not only keep our Cafe going but they do many other things for our
church. These two couples wear many hats.

Our September Baristas are: Darlene Cook, Ellen Fisher, Linda Osterhaus, and Kathy Smith. I know for a fact that these four women not only make delicious coffee but also make the Java Cafe warm and inviting. Come in and see the fall decor and taste their coffee and hot chocolate. Aww! Please join us for some coffee and fellowship in Dunlap Hall each Sunday morning from 9:00 to 9:50. You will love it!

Festival Of Sharing - Due Back Next Sunday!

Each year we gather kits for UMCOR to distribute when there are disasters in the world. You can pick up a shopping list from the Welcome Center. There is also a printable list in the weekly newsletter.

Shopping Tip - Here's a tip for school supply shopping. Because school has already started here, many of these items are hard to find.. One easy way to do it - go online to Walmart, Meijers, Target, etc and order items. You can probably pick them up the next day and save yourself lots of searching in multiple stores.



Sharing Our Blessings In September Coalition Ministries

While no church can meet all the needs of the community, churches working together can meet more of those needs. We are blessed to

help our coalition churches with some wonderful blessings they provide.

Augsburg Lutheran Church invites anyone to join them for a community dinner the third Sunday of every month. On August 17, they served 43 families (145 people.) They had to discontinue the hot meals but now do a "Take and Make" meal such as frozen pizza, salad and cookies or frozen entree, vegetables and cookies. They also have a small food pantry where the participants can choose some items to take home. The families are very appreciative of the blessings they share.

<u>Pleasant Run Presbyterian</u> has offered their non-Food Pantry for a number of years on the third Saturday of the month,10:00 AM to noon. They provide items which are not available as part of federal or state "food stamp" programs, such as paper goods, cleaning supplies,

laundry detergents and personal hygiene products. They serve folks in the following zip codes: 45014, 45218, 45231, 45240, 45251. Participants need to register one time with valid ID and a current utility or other bill with name and address. They serve approximately 50 clients each month.



Two ways to donate to SHARING OUR BLESSINGS:

- On Communion Sunday (first Sunday of the month), place donations in baskets on the front pews when you go up to receive Communion.
- Any time during September, bring a check with Sharing/Coalition Ministries on the memo line or cash in an envelope marked the same way and put it in the offering plate. You can also mail your donation to the church office.

Thank you for your ongoing support of this wonderful ministry!



SOUL PANTRY NEWS

Thank you all so much for your monthly donations to support SOUL Pantry. Our shoppers appreciate your generosity. For the month of September, we will be collecting the following:

Salt & Sugar



The John Wesley United Methodist Church

August 31, 2025

PRELUDE: "Thy Will Be Done" Mendelssohn

GREETING & PRAYER: Andy Shreve

The attendance pads will be distributed at the beginning of the service. Please take a moment to fill out the information, including address and contact information.

*OPENING SONGS: "Not To Us"

"Gratitude"

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS: Wendy Puccini

OFFERINGS & SPECIAL MUSIC: "Amazing Grace" Duhaime Trio *DOXOLOGY:

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all Creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

HYMN: "Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love" #432

*SCRIPTURE: Luke 14:1, 7-14

MESSAGE: "Take the Lower Place" Rev. Kalamba Kilumba

*HYMN: "Lord Whose Love Through Humble Service" #581

*BENEDICTION & SENDING OUT

POSTLUDE: "Maestoso" Przystal

*Please stand when able

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Our Vision: Reaching the Individual, Touching the Community, and Serving the World

Worship - Every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Our Worship Team
Senior Pastor – Kalamba Kilumba (revkilumba@jwumc.com)
Organist – Sam Melson Pianist – Tisha Patton
Music Director – Joanna Duhaime Media – Barb Wetzel

Dave Conaway - Certified Lay Minister