

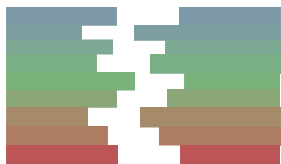


FALL 2016 OPPORTUNITIES



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United Methodist Church of Libertyville
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CONNECT

Opportunities to gather, enjoy, learn and establish meaningful relationships

FALL Ministry	Description	Dates Times	Contact Email	Location
BOOK TALKERS	Read a book in a month and then gather for a lively discussion about themes, plot holes, inspirations and learned lessons.	2 nd Monday 1:00 pm	Carol Pflederer cjp634@comcast.net	Church 101
DINNER FOR 8	Groups of 8 gather for rotational dinners together once or twice a month. A great way to get to know more people in a deeper fashion.	TBD based on interest	Joannie Foley foleyszoo@aol.com	Offsite
FAITHFUL THREADS	This informal group of women enjoy working with fiber arts: quilting, knitting, embroidery, etc. and socializing with others of the same interest.	2 nd & 4 th Tuesday 7:00 pm	Mickey Donahue missmicky2005@gmail.com	Church 103
FIRST FRIDAY FRIENDS	A social gathering for single, dating or married couples, with or without children. We rotate who hosts/plans the activity each month.	1 st Friday of the Month 7:00 pm	Melissa Michmerhuizen octoberhoneybee@yahoo.com	Offsite
INSPIRATIONAL MOVIE NIGHT	Join us in the sanctuary for a family movie night that will seek to engage us spiritually.	Sunday October 9 6:30—8:30 PM	Ben Hallett ben.hallett@umcl.org	Church Sanctuary
PRIME TIME	Monthly meal and program for retired folks. Program often includes game days, speakers, travelogues and outside entertainment.	1 st Monday 12:00-2 :00 pm	Jan Grigsby grigsjan@sbcglobal.net	Church FH
THANKSGIVING WORSHIP SERVICE	Join us on Tuesday Night for an evening of praise and Thanksgiving. The perfect way to set your heart upon the giver of all good gifts before the feasting.	Tuesday November 22 7:00 PM	Ben Hallett ben.hallett@umcl.org	Church Sanctuary
TRICK OR TRUNK	Decorate the trunk of your car with a goofy or spooky scene for the kids! Add treats and get in the competitive spirit + other Halloween fun!	Saturday 2:30-4:00 pm Oct 22	Amanda Seibert amanda.seibert@ucml.org	Church P-Lot FH
UMW GETTING TO KNOW YOU	The annual Fall Kickoff event for UMW — Get to know other women, enjoy food and fellowship and learn about the many opportunities available throughout the year.	Saturday September 10 10 AM—3 PM	Bonnie Lill bonnilil@cdw.com	Church FH
WOMEN'S SPIRITUAL GROWTH	Theme: "How Is it With Your Soul?" Featuring: Rev. Yung Mee Park	Wednesday October 1 9 AM—3 PM	MaryAnn Burson bookwormburson@att.net	Offsite

HIGH TIDE | YOUTH MINISTRIES

Youth ministries that emphasize connecting to each other and to God's grand story + growing in love of God and impacting the world for Christ

JrHI TIDE | Wednesday Evenings |
7:00 - 8:30 pm | Contact Church Office
info@umcl.org

SrHI TIDE | Sunday Evenings |
6:30-8:30 pm | Contact Church Office
info@umcl.org

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN (UMW) CIRCLES

These groups of women meet to study, to worship, to work and to experience fellowship as they grow in their commitment to making God's world a better place.

RUTH CIRCLE | 3rd Wednesday, 7:00 pm | Contact Julie Garren
julie.a.garren@gmail.com

FAITH CIRCLE | 2nd Thursday, 9:00 am | Contact Andrea West
adwest5@yahoo.com

PRISCILLA CIRCLE | 3rd Tuesday, 9:30 am | Contact Shirley Mason
smason419@sbcglobal.net

G R O W

Short term & long term, content focused groups, that intend to lead you into greater wisdom & greater love of God & his ways

FALL Ministry	Description	Dates Times	Contact Email	Location
COVENANT BIBLE STUDY	An in-depth 24 week contemporary Bible study with video prompted discussion. Come experience the big picture of the whole Bible from the viewpoint of Covenant relationship.	Tuesday Sep—March 6:30—8:00 PM	Woody Bedell lwbedell@sbcglobal.net	Church
DISCIPLE FAST TRACK	Similar to Disciple 1. A comprehensive Bible study of both the New & Old Testaments. Condensed offering covering 24 weeks.	TBD based on interest (<i>please inquire</i>)	The Office info@umcl.org	Church
ED'S STORY	A 7 part film series that takes an intimate look at Pastor Ed Dobson's journey with ALS and inspires us to all become the kind of people who find hope when life is painful.	Wednesday Oct 5 - Nov 23 7:00-8:30 PM	Sara Aumuller fiveaummies@sbcglobal.net	TBD
GIFTS GRACES & GOD	Have you ever explored deeply your God given gifts & graces? In this engaging mini-series get to know your strengths and how	Monday Sep 26—Oct 10 7:00-8:30 PM	Kara Lehnhardt lehnyk@hotmail.com	Church
FORGOTTEN GOD	Subtitled "Reversing our Tragic Neglect of the Holy Spirit", this book focuses on expanding our experiences of the true source of the Church's power.	Monday 7:00—9:00 PM	MaryAnn Burson bookwormburson@att.net	Offsite
LECTIO DIVINA	Experience Scripture as the Living Word of God through prayerful and meditative readings.	Wednesday Weekly 9:45 AM	Susie Dicello susandicello@gmail.com	Church
MANY WAYS TO PRAY	Join pastor Jamie for a 6ish week class that will help walk you through many different prayer practices and help enhance your communion with the Lord.	Thursday October & November	Pastor Jamie pastorjhwilliams@umcl.org	Church
MEN'S BIBLE STUDY	Weekly men's-only Bible and topical study with selected books and short studies. Recent studies have included "Chuck Knows Church."	Saturday Weekly 8:00—9:30 AM	Scott Allen Scott.R.Allen@jci.com	Church
THE JESUS LIFESTYLE	In our world where lifestyles are shaped by many cultural forces, how are we to know how to live fully? This 6 week study takes us into Jesus' Sermon on the Mount to find out.	Sunday Sep 25—Oct 30 4:00—6:00 PM	Jim Stewart jstew@aol.com	Church CR Sanctuary
WAKING UP WHITE	This book study by Deborah Irving is a courageous, insightful, and critical contribution to awareness of race in the United States.	TBD based on interest (<i>please inquire</i>)	Janet Mason mnmjason@sbcglobal.net	Church
WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY	Begins with a 14 week study of Ephesians from the Life Change Series. This verse by verse study focuses on unity, holiness, submission, and steadfastness.	Wednesday Weekly 1:00—3:00 PM	Joyce Jeffries john.joycej@yahoo.com	Church Room 103
WOMEN'S SPIRITUAL GROWTH	Consider diving into some poetry: including the Psalms (using Brueggeman book), hymn lyrics, favorite personal poems and possibly some protest poetry	Tuesday Weekly 9:30 -11:00 AM	Doreen Barton doreenbarton@sbcglobal.net	Church Room 103
YOU LOST ME.	Where have all the young people gone? Come listen to the voices of millennials and some compelling research to engage in a discussion about how to better serve the youth we bring up in Church.	TBD based on interest (<i>please inquire</i>)	Ben Hallett ben.hallett@umcl.org	Church Room 200



IMPACT

Opportunities to give of ourselves in loving service for our community and the larger world in which we live.

FALL Ministry	Description	Dates Times	Contact Email	Location
BREAKFAST CLUB	Serving light breakfast to underserved students at two area schools.	Daily 7:15-7:45 AM	Jim Stewart jstew0819@aol.com	Offsite
COMMUNITY PRAYER WALKS	Come engage in intercessory prayer as we walk our communities and stop to pray for the families, schools, governments & businesses that influence the	Saturday Sep 3—24 8:30 AM	Ben Hallett ben.hallett@umcl.org	Church & Town
FOOD 4 COMFORT	Do you enjoy crafting a meal for others to enjoy? Join this meal ministry that serves our church family during life-changing events such as births, illness, and death.	As needed	Blair Brockman blair.brockman@umcl.org	Offsite
HELPING HANDS	Pick up and distribute donated furniture by UMCL members and friends, to those in need.	As needed	John McNally johnmcnally0901@gmail.com	Offsite
HUMBOLDT PARK DRIVE	Winter needs—we will be collecting new or gently used coats to donate to Humboldt Park.	November 6 & 13	Diana Natsch dnatsch1@gmail.com	Church drop off
LAKE COUNTY HAVEN DRIVE	Collecting paper goods and household cleaners (see list in Memos) for The Haven of Lake County. A place that empowers women to achieve independent living.	September 11, 18 & 25	Diana Natsch dnatsch1@gmail.com	Church drop off
LIBERTYVILLE TOWNSHIP FOOD DRIVE	Collecting food and supplies (see MEMOS & bulletin for list of needed items) to replenish the shelves at the Libertyville Township Food Pantry.	October 23 & 30	Carol Sim-Campbell simcampbell@comcast.net	Church drop off
NORTHERN IL FOOD BANK	Adults 17 & older needed to help at the Park City, IL Distribution Center to sort, label and pack meat or non-perishable foods for local food pantries.	October	Diana Natsch dnatsch1@gmail.com	Offsite
PADS	Servings those in our County who are homeless by opening our doors, providing meals and a place to sleep every Saturday from October—April. Volunteers needed for food, supervision, set up and clean up.	Sat—Sun 5pm—7am October—May	Cathy O'Brien cobrien1021@hotmail.com	Church FH
PRAYER CHAIN	Praying for others is a joy and a responsibility of believers and the world. We have an email prayer chain dedicated to this holy act.	Weekly As needed	Karen Kuhlman Kathy Locke Mickey Donahue	Cyber Space
STEPHEN MINISTRY	Lay caregivers (Stephen Ministers) provide high-quality, confidential, Christ-centered care to people who are hurting. This care is one on one and places	As needed	Mary Spooner tieflyer@comcast.net	Church/offsite
UMW RUMMAGE SALE	A week-long thrift store experience that raises money to support United Methodist Women missions. Donate items for low-income families to purchase.	October	Beth & Steve March marchs@aol.com Tom & Barb Plohr tplohr73@gmail.com	Church FH
VISITATION TEAM	Group that regularly sends encouragement, checks in with and visits homebound, lonely, or grieving members or friends of our congregation.	As needed	Jeris Boyce jerisb@earthlink.net	Offsite
WAUKEGAN 2 COLLEGE OKTOBERFEST	Fun event to support W2C's work with families to prepare & guide students toward successful college careers.	October 1	Diana Natsch dnatsch1@gmail.com	Lake CO Fairground