

# Murphysboro United Methodist Church

## January Calendar, Birthdays and Anniversaries

<b>1</b>	7:00 pm	AA Big Book	<b>12</b>	9:30 am	Feeder of the Pack	<b>22</b>	7:00 pm	Men's Book Study
<b>2</b>	6:30 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal	<b>13</b>	7:30 am	United Methodist Men		7:00 pm	AA Big Book
<b>3</b>	6:00 pm	Choir Practice		9:00 am	Handbells	<b>23</b>	9:00 am	Precept Study
		Boy Scouts		10:00 am	AA		6:00 pm	Cub Scouts
	7:00 pm	AA	<b>14</b>	10:00 am	New Member Orientation		6:30 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal
		Al-Anon		5:00 pm	Chili Cook-Off and Variety	<b>24</b>	9:00 am	Holy Folders
		Worship Team	<b>15</b>		Meals on Wheels Week		6:00 pm	Boy Scouts
<b>4</b>	4:00 pm	Stephen Ministries		7:00 pm	AA Big Book			Choir Practice
	6:00 pm	GA			Men's Book Study		7:00 pm	AA
<b>6</b>	9:00 am	Handbell Practice	<b>16</b>	9:00 am	Precept Study			Al-Anon
	10:am	AA		5:30 am	Service & Missions	<b>25</b>	5:30 pm	Daisies & Brownies
<b>7</b>	4:00 pm	Youth Group Meetings		6:00 pm	Cub Scouts		6:00 pm	GA
<b>8</b>	7:00 pm	AA Big Book		6:30 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal		6:45 pm	Girl Scout Jrs
		Men's Book Study	<b>17</b>	9:00 am	Nurture and Care Team	<b>27</b>	9:00 am	Handbell Practice
<b>9</b>	9:00 am	Precept Study		6:00 pm	Boy Scouts		10:00 am	AA
	Noon	Young at Heart			Choir Practice		TBD	DeSoto Pasta Dinner
	6:00 pm	Cub Scouts		7:00 pm	Staff Parish Relations	<b>28</b>	Noon	Our Neighbors Table
		Board of Trustees			AA		3:00 pm	Children's Youth Fellowship
	6:30 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal			Al-Anon		4:00 pm	Youth Group Meetings
	7:00 pm	Finance Committee	<b>18</b>	4:00 pm	Stephen Ministries	<b>29</b>	7:00 pm	AA Big Book
<b>10</b>	6:00 pm	Choir Practice		6:00 pm	GA			Men's Book Study
		Boy Scouts	<b>20</b>	9:00 am	Handbells	<b>30</b>	9:00 am	Precept Study
	7:00 pm	AA		10:00 am	AA Big Book		6:00 pm	Cub Scouts
		Al-Anon		10:15 am	Book Club		6:30 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Bible Journaling	<b>21</b>	4:00 pm	Youth Group Meetings	<b>31</b>	6:00 pm	Choir Practice
<b>11</b>	5:30 pm	Daisies & Brownies		6:30 pm	Youth Ministry Team			Boy Scouts
	6:00 pm	GA					7:00 pm	AA
	6:30 pm	Girl Scouts Jr						Al-Anon

*January 7th is Covenant Sunday  
and will include communion*



<b>3</b>	Logan Ripley	<b>10</b>	Rindy Eisenhauer	<b>22</b>	Breanna Graff
	Diane Schingel	<b>12</b>	Vern Cline	<b>24</b>	Marcia Butler
	Greta Snyder	<b>15</b>	Tyler Nimmo		Lincoln Snyder
<b>4</b>	Frank Boucher	<b>16</b>	Barb Hughes	<b>26</b>	Larry Jacobs
<b>7</b>	Susan Karnes		Justin Maynor	<b>27</b>	John Erbes
<b>8</b>	Phyllis Barnes	<b>17</b>	Troy Brown		Emily Hargraves
	Cloyd Karnes	<b>18</b>	Richard Tierney	<b>28</b>	Barbara Woodward
<b>9</b>	Mike Jones	<b>19</b>	Andrew Erbes	<b>31</b>	Charlie Pierson
<b>10</b>	Gregory Nimmo	<b>20</b>	Bonnie Whiteside		
	Addy Johnstone	<b>22</b>	Teresa Gilbert		



<b>4</b>	Trina and Bob Eaton
<b>10</b>	Tena and Allen Bigham
<b>25</b>	Sylvia and Robert Frank



### NOISY MISSION OFFERING

**In January will go to the  
Wesley Foundation**

**Worship Participants and special  
event details are on the other side.**

# Murphysboro United Methodist Church - January 2018 Worship Participants & Special Events

JANUARY WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS		
TRADITIONAL		PRAISE
<b>Worship Leaders</b> mumcministries@gmail.com		
Rick Runge		Kristi Miller/Roger Smith
<b>JAN</b>	<b>Welcome Hostesses</b>	
7	To Be Named	
14	To Be Named	
21	To Be Named	
28	To Be Named	
<b>JAN</b>	<b>Acolytes</b>	
7	Landrie Green and Justin Maynor	
14	Maya Jenkins and Harper Geis	
21	Phoebe Heller and Briana Carnes	
28	Caroling Guthman and Eli Guthman	
<b>JAN</b>	<b>Prayer Request Reader</b>	
7	Gene Schwebel	Kristi Miller
14	Wilma Westerfield	Kristi Miller
21	Gaye Auxier	Roger Smith
28	Lou Ann Lough	Kristi Miller
<b>JAN</b>	<b>Children's Church Leaders</b>	
7	To Be Named	To Be Named
14	To Be Named	To Be Named
21	Rene Doody/Lacey Brown	To Be Named
28	Diana Schingle	To Be Named
<b>JAN</b>	<b>Liturgists</b>	<b>Music Leaders</b>
7	To Be Named	Brian Vincent
14	To Be Named	Brian Vincent
21	To Be Named	Lacey Brown
28	To Be Named	Angie Baughman
<b>Ushers</b>		
Todd Lirely, Scott Ballard, Sandy Herring, Ralph Bastien, Dick Graff and Vanessa Lirely		Ricky Pierson and Brant Wingerter
<b>Stewards</b>		
Dick Graff, Todd Lirely, Rick Pierson and Gene Schwebel		

**OUR NEIGHBOR'S TABLE**  
**FREE**  
Everyone Welcome  
Dinner, Dessert, Beverage

**LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH-1/28**



**January 9th-12:00 pm NOON Fellowship Hall**

Sign up on the Attendance pad  
Meals are \$6 each

**Menu:** Ham & beans w/onions, cole slaw, cornbread, spinach w/vinegar, and brownies (no nuts)



All men of the church are invited to join the United Methodist Men for breakfast the 2nd Saturday of each month, in the Fellowship Hall at 7:30am. Following the January 13th meeting, we will take down the Nativity scene outside the annex. Join us for food and fellowship!

## "God's Guest List" Sermon Series

January 2018 kicks off the year with a brief sermon series based on Psalm 15, which addressed the question of who is welcome in the presence of God. The series is entitled "God's Guest List" and lifts up four spiritual virtues to which we should all aspire.



This is our Trail Series for 2018 encouraging all of us to blaze new spiritual growth in the year to come.

Jan 7 - "Behaves Honestly"      Jan 14 - "Speaks Charitably"  
Jan 21 - "Attaches Wisely"      Jan 28 - "Plays Fairly"

## Advanced Lay Servant Class: Prayer

(Will count towards the Lay Speaker track as well)

**Date/ Time:** Friday, February 2, 2018 (6:00 – 8:00 pm) and Saturday, February 3, 2018 (9:00 am – 5:00 pm)

**Location:** Carbondale Grace UMC (220 N Tower Rd., Carbondale)

**Cost:** \$10 due on the day of the class to cover snacks and lunch.

**Registration:** contact Roberta DePuy by phone, email or mail  
573-201-6650/ [happyfish27@hotmail.com](mailto:happyfish27@hotmail.com)/ PO Box 96, Marion 62959

\*\*Required text to purchase and assignments will be announced January 2018

## Book Club will meet January 20th at 10:15 a.m. in the Library...

...to discuss Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis by J. D. Vance



READ AHEAD: February's Book is:

Flight Behavior by Barbara Kingsolver

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