

Reaching UP

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Janet S. Addison

January 20, 1951 – September 26, 2019

Janet S. Addison formerly of Nashville, Indiana passed away peacefully September 26, 2019 at Garden Villa Bloomington. She was 68. Janet was born January 20, 1951 in Indianapolis to Harold and Mary Lou Jarrett.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a brother Thomas Jarrett and a nephew Adam Jarrett. She is survived by son Phillip Addison of Bloomington, daughter April (Scott) Jaco and grandson Eli Jaco both of Benton, Kentucky; brothers David (Susie) Jarrett of Huntington, Indiana, Kevin (Sheri) Jarrett of Mohawk, Indiana; and sister Debbie (Tim) Robinson of Morristown, Indiana and nine nieces and nephews and many cousins.

Janet graduated from Hancock Central High School in 1969 and attended In-

diana Central College (now University of Indianapolis). She was a secretary at Jane Gore Realty, worked in the box office at Ski World and was a cashier at CVS Pharmacy for 15 years. She was a devoted Girl Scout leader and Sunday school teacher in Helmsburg.

Janet moved to Bloomington in 2008 and retired in 2013. She enjoyed crossword puzzles, watching Wheel of Fortune and rooting for the Indiana Pacers. She was a fan of Lloyd Wood and attended scores of his live shows at the Red Barn and Ski World in Nashville. She was

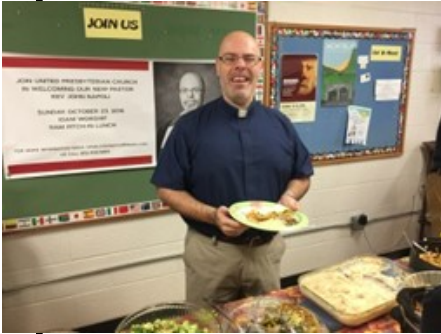


equally a fan of The Eagles. Janet also attended many Monroe County Civic Theatre productions including the yearly Shakespeare in the Park productions.

Over 30 people came to Celebrate the Life of Janet on Saturday, October 19 at United Presbyterian. Reverend John Napoli officiated and Benjamin Watkins provided the music. Cremation was at the Cremation Society of Indiana. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Monroe County Civic Theatre, P.O. Box 2032, Bloomington, IN 47402. The family invited all to fellowship and a light lunch served by the Deacons and UPC members immediately afterward in Fellowship Hall.



From the Pastor's Pen ...



Happy November! The holiday season is quickly approaching, and with it come the thoughts of turkey and all of its fixings. We shall soon be gathering around tables to partake in our annual Thanksgiving meal. But, within our lives there is so much more to be thankful for than just one holiday. One of my favorite prayers/poems on “being thankful” comes from the poet Ralph Waldo Emerson. It stresses the importance of being thankful each and every day. Being thankful for the simple and beautiful things that we may take for granted...I hope it invokes thoughts of thanksgiving for you all.

We Thank Thee

For flowers that bloom about our feet, Father, we thank Thee. For tender grass so fresh, so sweet, Father, we thank Thee. For the song of bird and hum of bee, for all things fair we hear or see, Father in heaven, we thank Thee. For blue of stream and blue of sky, Father, we thank Thee. For pleasant shade of branches high, Father, we thank Thee. For fragrant air and cooling breeze, for beauty of the blooming trees, Father in heaven, we thank Thee. For this new morning with its light, Father, we thank Thee. For rest and shelter of the night, Father, we thank Thee. For health and food, for love and friends, for everything Thy goodness sends, Father in heaven, we thank Thee.

— *Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882)*

I would like to wish the entire faith community of United Presbyterian Church a very blessed and happy Thanksgiving.

Peace and Grace,

Pastor John Napoli

How to Get Involved



Reaching UP

If you are interested in contributing articles or helping to put together the Reaching UP newsletter, please contact Andy Hill at andy@andyhill.us

Nursery Attendant

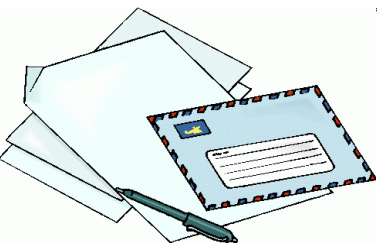
We are needing volunteers to staff the nursery from 9a-11a immediately. Please let Melanie know if you are interested at susieq_msm@yahoo.com.

Volunteering with Sunday School

We are always looking for loving people willing to teach once a month in Sunday School or help in the nursery. Please contact Melanie Mathis-McBride at susieq_msm@yahoo.com

Offering

If you are interested in helping collect the offering during the service or count it after the service please contact Andy Hill at andy@andyhill.us



We Get Letters!

Send letters to Reaching U.P. c/o UPC, 1701 E. 2nd, Bloomington, IN 47401 or email upcbloomington@gmail.com

Dear John, Allen & UPC,

I am overwhelmed with the Memorial Service for Bill Schofield. All of you worked hard to show everyone there how dear Bill was to all of you. It was a great comfort to me and Bill's nephew and cousin. I was pleased that so many of his friends stood up and paid tribute to him. The food was delicious I've been to many meals over the last 20 years at UPC and agreed with Bill that there are many fine cooks there. Thank you for all your efforts to make this service one I will never forget.

Thelma McPike

Dear UPC Congregation,

Thank you all for the lovely service and the delicious meal for Bill Schofield. The tributes to Bill were all very fitting.

Thank you for your kindness,
Don & Joyce Robertson

November Birthdays and Anniversaries



Nov 2	Raja and Rula Hanania Anniversary
Nov 3	Benjamin Watkins
Nov 10	Nelda Nyarko
Nov 14	Gerrit Heitink

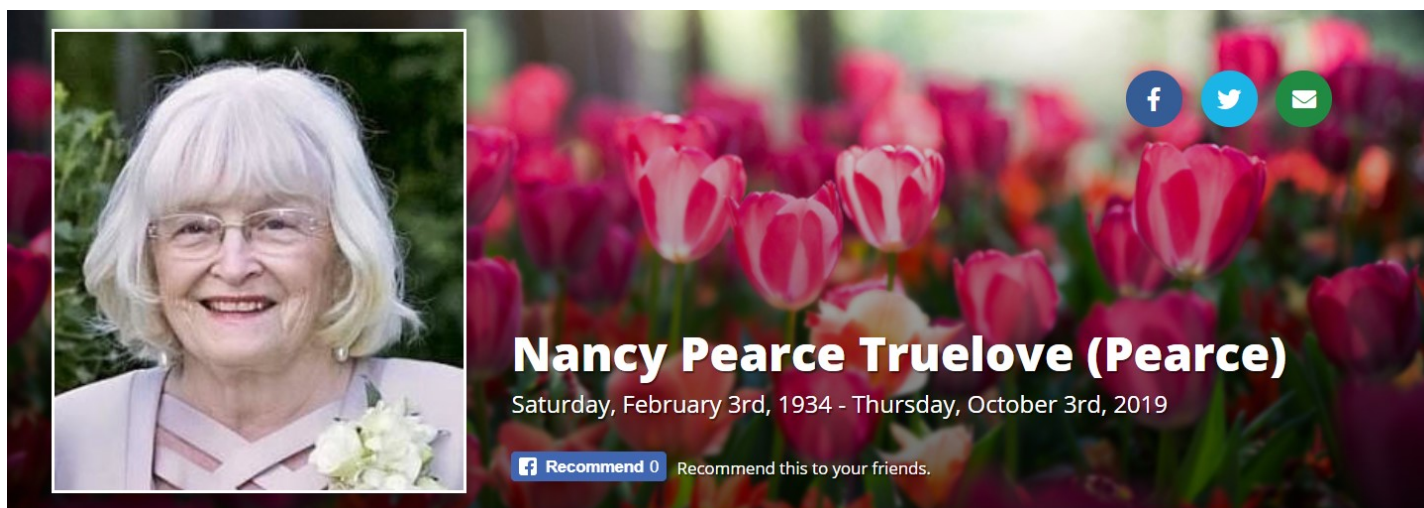


Financial Report

Although we didn't break even in September, we came very close. Income was \$11,753.50 and expenses were \$12,301.50, giving us a net cash flow of negative \$548.00 for August and negative \$7,976.26 for the year-to-date. By keeping our donations up to date, we can continue to make progress toward eliminating our annual deficits.

Don Root

In Memoriam



Nancy Pearce Truelove of Portage, Michigan went home to be with The Lord on October 3rd, 2019 at age 85.

Nancy was born to Myron and Mary (Shockney) Pearce on February 3rd, 1934 in Van Wert, Ohio. Nancy was a resident of Bloomington, Indiana for over forty years. In 2016, Nancy moved from Bloomington, Indiana to be near her family in Portage, Michigan.

Nancy was a dedicated speech and hearing pathologist in the Indiana school system for over forty years. She held her masters in Speech Therapy from Ohio University. She was also a loving dedicated mother to her daughter Holly. Affectionately called Grams, Nancy loved spending time with her four grandchildren and two grand “dogs”, Chloe and Harper. Nancy was a steadfast attender of Calvary Bible Church. She loved being active with her bible study group and Sunday school class as well as serving. She was an active member of United Presbyterian Church in Bloomington, Indiana from 2006 to 2017, serving five years as a Deacon.

Throughout her entire life, she held an unwavering faith in God, which she shared with those who surrounded her.

Nancy joins both her parents and the love of her life Raymond H. Barrick in Heaven. She is survived by her daughter Holly Sweis (and her husband Mirdad) as well as her four grandchildren Zachary, Jackson, Kathryn and Madison Kinney.

On Thursday, October 17, 2019 at 11:30 a.m. a luncheon and a time of fellowship were held at Calvary Bible Church in Kalamazoo, MI. A Celebration of Life Ceremony followed. A private graveside service for immediate family was later held at Greenville Union Cemetery in Greenville, Ohio.

In lieu of flowers, please contribute to Calvary Bible Church Young at Heart Ministry.

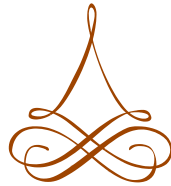
Be joyful in hope, Patient in affliction, Faithful in prayer • Romans 12:12

Youth in Action (everyone is invited to join)

If you are interested in volunteering or getting involved with UPC youth contact Melanie Mathis-McBride (susieq_msm@yahoo.com).

Sunday School / Nursery Schedule

Date	Pre-K – 5th Grade	Teens	Nursery
November 3	No Class	No Class	Lance Like
November 10	Melanie Mathis-McBride	Bob Hammel	Sookyong Kim
November 17	Aline Haddad	Michelle Heitink	Sarah Napoli
November 24	Karen Like	Melanie Mathis-McBride	Sarah Napoli



UPC Youth Sunday
November 17



VBS



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The United Presbyterian Script Program

The Holidays & UPC Scrip!

Pledge to buy your Thanksgiving,
Christmas, New Year's Eve & New Year's Day supplies
with

UPC Scrip!

Dinners! Centerpieces! Parties! Gifts! Decorations!
Giftwrap! Christmas Trees! Wreaths!

Simply make your purchases using the UPC Scrip Program and you
help your church without spending an extra cent!

Present a Scrip card itself!

They make great and attractive gifts for friends and relatives as well as great courtesy gifts for your
mail carrier, teacher, barber, beautician, accountant, housekeeper or secretary.

Simple! Easy!

On the first Sunday of November & December,
bring your Scrip Order Form and your check to either Souheil or Allen during
Fellowship Hour. Pick up your UPC Scrip the next Sunday!

When you make purchases using UPC Scrip Cards, you receive 100% of face value
and UPC gets a percentage back from each and every business!

Book & Bible Study

Everyone is welcome at the 6 pm Tuesday evening Book & Bible Study. The study and group discussion is led by Pastor John. It's a relaxed atmosphere where participants freely ask questions about and discuss various books. Souheil took this shot of a recent study.



Calendar

~ November 2019 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 Communion/ Deacons Sunday 8:45am Pastor's Class 9am Choir practice 10am Worship 11am Fellowship	4	5 12:15pm Bible Study 6pm Book Study	6 11:45am Men's Lunch	7	8	9
10 8:45am Pastor's Class 9am Choir practice 10am Hanging the Greens Worship 11am Fellowship	11	12 12:15pm Bible Study 6pm Book Study	13 11:45am Men's Lunch	14	15	16
17 8:45am Pastor's Class 9am Choir practice 10am Youth Sunday Worship 11am Fellowship	18	19 12:15pm Bible Study 6pm Book Study 7pm Session	20 11:45am Men's Lunch	21	22	23
24 8:45am Pastor's Class 9am Choir practice 10am Worship 11am Fellowship	25	26 12:15pm Bible Study 6pm Book Study	27	28 Thanksgiving 	29	30

Weekly Community Uses of UPC Rooms

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6pm Overeaters Anonymous	5:15pm Kiwanis (2nd Monday)			5:30pm Self Realization	5:30pm – Women's Group	9am-1pm Biscuits and Gravy Boys
8pm Campus Group				8pm Campus Group		11am Overeaters Anonymous
				7pm SA (2nd and 4th Thursdays)		

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