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Harvest Hi!

Join us in the UPC parking lot on October 25 after the morning worship service for a brief, socially distanced and safe *Harvest Hi!* hosted by Lou Malcomb.

Lou is preparing a Harvest Fest Blessing Mix bag for each. Be sure to stop at the *Harvest Hi! Table* in the parking lot and receive your Blessing Mix.

Blessing Mix



Bugles: Shaped like the cornucopias, the horn of plenty.

Pretzels: Arms crossed and folded in thanks and prayer.

Nuts: Promise of a a future harvest if seeds are planted and tended with care.



M&Ms: Memories of those who came before us to guide us to a blessed future.

Candy Corn: The sacrifices of the first winter.

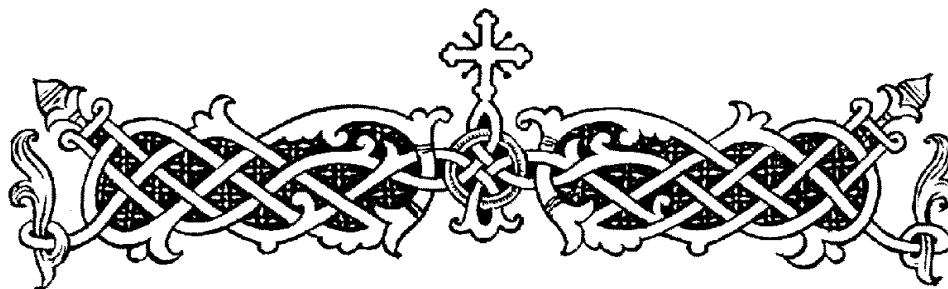
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Dear UPC,

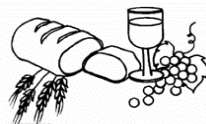
Please accept this \$50 contribution from the Sunday 6 pm Overeaters Anonymous group in appreciation for allowing us to use the church for our weekly meetings and to store our materials.

Thank you so much for supporting our group through providing meeting space. Once we are all able to gather again at UPC, we will continue to try to be good stewards of the space and encourage appropriate use of the church facilities. We hope to see you soon. If there is anything we need to change or do, please let me know.

Sincerely, Harriet Fireman, Secretary of Overeaters Anonymous



OCTOBER WORSHIP SCHEDULE



October 4 — World Communion Sunday. Liturgist: Elder Alejandra Haddad; sermon presented by The Reverend John Napoli. World Communion selected music performed by Benjamin Watkins on organ and piano and Sofia Kim on violin. Holy Communion served by Reverend Napoli. Receiving if the Peace and Global Witness Offering.

October 11 — Liturgist: Deacon Patrick Nyarko; sermon presented by Reverend John Napoli.

October 18 — Liturgist: Jim Haverstock; sermon presented by Reverend John Napoli.

October 25 — Reformation Sunday. Liturgist: Elder Bob Hammel; Reformation sermon presented by The Reverend John Napoli. Socially distanced *Autumn Harvest Hi!* on the parking lot after morning worship.

Salvation Army Winter Coat Drive!



United Presbyterian is partnering with the Salvation Army for their 2020 Winter Coat Drive. In the past, the Salvation Army coat collection boxes have been placed at local businesses, but COVID-19 prevents that this year. So they reached out to Bloomington churches and UPC has agreed to help. The Salvation Army Winter Coat Drive runs from the beginning of October to the beginning of November. All of the donated coats are given to anyone who comes to the SA facility in need of a winter coat.

A collection box for winter coats is in the narthex now and will remain there through and including Sunday, November 1. Please donate new and gently used winter coats for men, women, teens, children and toddlers. Please go through your

🎵 Jeeyoon Kim Update . . .



Nationally-known classical pianist and award-winning recording artist, Jeeyoon Kim's fame and achievements continue to grow. While working toward her master's and doctorate at Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, Jeeyoon served as Music Director at United Presbyterian. After receiving her PhD with distinction, she continued as Music Director at UPC while a faculty member at Butler University as she earned another Master's Degree (in music education, Piano Pedagogy) from Butler.

It's great news to hear that Jeeyoon is now the star of "Journey Through Classical Piano." According to the press release it's a "... podcast dedicated to helping people of all musical tastes and backgrounds discover the beauty of classical music. This bi-weekly podcast features concert-like musical experiences and in-depth exploration of classical compositions. Your host, classical pianist Jeeyoon Kim, brings the splendor of the classical music experience right to your living room or on the go!"

Visit Jeeyoon's fascinating website at www.jeeyoonkim.com, where you'll find all the details on accessing the podcasts. You'll also find a treasure trove of Jeeyoon photos as well as opportunities to listen to both of her albums. In addition, there are links to many of the radio and television appearances she made in 2019 and 2020 — excellent listening!

More great Jeeyoon news is an upcoming second appearance at Carnegie Hall. On March 25, 2021 Jeeyoon is scheduled for a Solo Piano Concert in Zankel Hall at Carnegie Hall in New York. Of course, the concert date may be altered by COVID-19, so keep an eye on her website or sign up for her newsletter.

Jeeyoon hasn't forgotten us. She made Bloomington a stop on her national tours promoting her debut album "10 More Minutes" in 2017 and her second album, "Over. Above. Beyond." last year to perform at UPC to benefit our Guest Artist Program.

Jeeyoon first came to Indiana following her undergraduate studies in piano performance in South Korea. Though she travels the world and has a residence in San Diego, she considers herself a Hoosier. Jeeyoon says "In Indiana, you can feel that the people are real, the music is real, and even a competition is real."



Caroline and Stephanie Worden greet Jeeyoon after 2019 concert at UPC.

October Birthdays and Anniversaries



Oct 1 KyungAe Lim	Oct 21 Michael Turk
Oct 5 Evelyn Foster	Oct 25 Pilsoo Kang
Oct 6 Bob Hammel	Oct 26 John and Colleen Swanson Anniversary
Oct 10 Rula Hanania	Oct 31 Darian and Melanie Mathis McBride Anniversary
Oct 17 Gerrit Jan Heitink	



Financial Report

August was typical, financially, for a summer month. August income was \$12,060 and expenses were \$13,343, giving us a net cash flow of negative \$1,283 for August. For the year to date, our income is still ahead of expenses by \$7,148. Thank you for your continued financial and prayer support during these difficult times.

Don Root

Thank You UPC!

The Board of Directors of Kiwanis Club of Bloomington has announced the success of the *Kiwanis No-Contact, Social Distancing, DRIVE-THRU Pancake Breakfast*. Kiwanis Club usually presents its annual Pancake Breakfast & Antique Auto Show the last Saturday in April. That was not possible this year. The event raises funds for the club and its well-known Youth Leadership Programs. Not doing the fundraiser this year would have been a staggering blow. The Board of Directors reviewed recommendations, consulted with event-planning experts and, after careful consideration, thoughtful discussion and sharing, prepared an implementation plan and presented it to UPC's Session which approved it unanimously.

Board members knew it would be a risk--moving the date and changing the format. Then the public opened their arms to us! We served 103 breakfasts and cleared \$1,758.33! We could not have done this without UPC! In addition to being allowed to use your facility, many UPCers actually drove by for breakfast. Kiwanis is making a \$100 donation to UPC in appreciation of your support.

As folks drove through they let us know they were from all over Bloomington as well as from Bedford, Ellettsville, Unionville and Stinesville and, thanks to the Visit Bloomington website, we had tourists from Colorado, South Dakota and West Virginia! Even celebrities stopped by to support us including singer/songwriter Krista Detor, playwright and community activist Elizabeth Mitchell and WGCL Radio's Keith Klein.



The success of the event was greatly enhanced by the team of Community Partners who stepped forward in addition to UPC to help sponsor as well as by the volunteers who implemented the event. The Community Partners were Culver's of Bloomington, Drs. Fadi & Aline Haddad, Drs. Souheil

& Alejandra Haddad, Ivy Tech Community College and the Monroe County Sheriff's Office. In addition to the volunteers who are members of Kiwanis Club, help came from student members of Pageantry at IU and Key Club of Bloomington as well as from soldiers of the Indiana National Guard 2nd Battalion 150th Field Artillery (photo right above). Staffing the Kids Goodie Bag Station were 2020 Miss IU Alexandria Ford, 2020 Mrs. Indiana America Justus Coleman Kelley and 2020 Miss Hoosier Heartland Emily Axsom. In keeping with Kiwanis Club's long time antique car show tradition at the breakfast, a 1930 Model A Ford, owned by Kiwanis member Phil Sutton was on display (as shown above with the volunteer title holders).



Kiwanis & UPC member Judie Iverson volunteered.

Two breakfasts were offered. Those wishing to support Kiwanis simply drove up to a table in the UPC parking lot, ordered breakfasts, had a volunteer place the packaged food in their vehicle, paid and drove on.

We can't thank the people of UPC enough,

The Board of Directors of Kiwanis Club of Bloomington

President Diana Fellure, David Garshaw, Natalie Garshaw, Donn Hall, Allen Linnemeier, Alphonso Manns, Jane Means, Thomasina O'Conner, Allen Pease, Phil Sutton and Phil Zook.

Memorials & Tributes

Very often, memorials are made to United Presbyterian Church in loving memory of a departed soul from UPC's family or in memory of a loved one of a UPC member. In addition, tributes are occasionally made to the church to honor a member for some achievement such as a promotion or graduation or for a social distinction such as wedding anniversaries, birthdays or parenthood. Beginning with this issue of Reaching U.P., these contributions will be acknowledged to further honor those being remembered.

February 2020

Memory of Dolores Toby
Bob & Julie Hammel

March 2020

Memory of Dolores Toby
Jerry C. and Kelly H. Randall
Joan Dwyer

April 2020

Memory of Dolores Toby
Jane Kraus

May 2020

Memory of Irene White (grandmother of Benjamin Watkins)
Virginia McCartney
Judie Iverson
Allen Pease

September 2020

Memory of May Hamati
Virginia McCartney
Judie Iverson
Allen Pease

Memory of Dennis Schuman
Virginia McCartney
Judie Iverson
Allen Pease



I'M NOT AFRAID OF TOMORROW
BECAUSE I KNOW GOD IS
ALREADY THERE.