

IVY CHAPEL UCC ~ e-KEEPING YOU POSTED

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Share news about you, your family, pets,...have prayer requests,...anything...with your Ivy Chapel Family in the Keeping You Posted (e-KYP). Feel free to send e-mails by Wednesdays to Frieda Clark at ivychapelucc@ivychapel.org

1 NOVEMBER 2020~22ND SUN. AFT PENTECOST: Joshua 3:7-17, Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37, Micah 3:5-12, Psalm 43, 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13, Matthew 23:1-12

PRAYER REQUEST: Peter LaSalle and Sally Dodge's grandson, Weston Bassler to the prayer list. He is having medical test on November 2. Thanks, *Sally*

A NOTE FROM YOUR BOARD OF DEACONS—IN PERSON WORSHIP in the Ivy Chapel UCC sanctuary will begin Sunday, Nov. 8 at 10:00 AM. Please contact Gail Thoele at (314) 576-0091 or gail.thoele@gmail.com before 5:00 PM on Saturday, Nov. 7 to make a reservation. MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED WHILE IN THE BUILDING. Due to restrictions of our current amplification for Facebook Live, the fluorescent lights in the sanctuary will not be on. Your patience and understanding as we navigate our ever-changing worship experience is appreciated. Let's celebrate God's love together!

THE DEACONS ARE PLACING hymnals and supplemental worship booklets on a table in the Narthex. Please sign up and take them home to enhance your virtual worship.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! TUESDAY, November 17 from 2:30-6:30 PM Ivy Chapel UCC will once again host a blood drive.



If you are interested in signing up for a donation time, you can contact Sue Wilson at swilsonsr9@gmail.com or (314) 324-3765. Going into the holiday season, the need for blood increases. Please, give the gift of life!

HABITAT/ST. LOUIS continues to build houses this year without the assistance of volunteers. Costs of building materials have increased substantially and they are working around shortages of key building materials. **This is a ministry worthy of all of our ongoing support!! Donations are welcome 'til year end.** Please mail your Habitat donation checks to: *Peter LaSalle*, 2015 Wilson Ridge Lane, Chesterfield, MO 63005

ISAIAH 58 MINISTRIES DONATION OPPORTUNITY as holidays are approaching fast! Isaiah 58 reached out to Ivy Chapel to help the community during Thanksgiving. the Christian Action (CA) Board will be donating 200 gravy packets on behalf of Ivy Chapel. The CA board would like to encourage the congregation to help out with Isaiah 58's "Buy-A-Bird" Campaign. Please see website: i58ministries.org/donate/ see option to designate Buy-A-Bird and dollar amounts.

HUNGER AND FOOD INSECURITY seem very remote to us. But in 2018, 1 in 9 Americans—1/3 of them children—dealt with insufficient food or the means to obtain regular, healthy meals. CROP, through Church World Service, supports world-wide food needs, including those in the U.S. In addition to supporting local efforts, like Buy-a-Bird, please consider a gift to CWS/CROP. Mail to P.O. Box 968, Elkhart IN 46515. Note: St. Louis, #250006342. *Thanks from Christian Action.*

4TH GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATION: As is our tradition, this past Sunday, October 25, our Ivy Chapel 4th graders were presented with their own personal Bibles. In a twist this year the presentation was held in the cross area near the pavilion, observing social distancing guidelines. It was a beautiful setting for this special celebration for our 4th graders and their families. Those receiving Bibles were Miller DiVesta, Audrey Farrell and Rory Winship. A video of the presentation is available to watch on the Ivy Chapel UCC Facebook page. After the presentation the children and their families enjoyed a time of fellowship together using safe social distancing practices and wearing masks. It was a nice opportunity to visit with our friends. God bless these young people as they discover the stories of God's people and the Good News of God's love.

THE DEACONS ARE SELLING POINSETTIAS to brighten the sanctuary for the holiday season. They will cost \$10 each. Please send a check made out to Ivy Chapel to Peter La Salle (2015 Wilson Ridge Lane, Chesterfield, MO 64005) and write poinsettias on the memo line.

➤ **8 NOVEMBER 2020~23RD SUN. AFT PENTECOST:** Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25, Psalm 78:1-7, Solomon 6:12-16, Amos 5:18-24 or Solomon 6:17-20, or Psalm 70, 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18, Matthew 25:1-13

➤ **OCT CARE CORPS LDR-Nancy Litzinger 314-434-4162**

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➤ **Happy Anniversary to:** 11/12/1983 Bill and Jan Wirtz

➤ **Happy Birthday to:** Nov. 2 Miller DiVesta 5 Alicia Carr 6 Erin Bowman 10 Matthew Amsler

➤ **OUR WEB SITE, www.ivychapel.org,** has pictures of events with Ivy Chapel members, church information, Calendar, Lay Ministry documents and [The Ivy Vine](http://www.ivychapel.org) newsletter (articles due 15th of the month) at www.ivychapel.org

**The "MEMBERS" page may be accessed with password. Text Frieda, 636-293-9525, for password.