



Welcome to Ivy Chapel UCC!

We're grateful you've joined us for Sunday Worship.

First Sunday of the month Communion is offered.

Jan. 18, 2026

Ivy Chapel's KYP
(Keeping You Posted)



Find out more about us by visiting our website or following us on Facebook.

<— www.facebook.com/IvyChapel www.ivychapel.org —>



Deacons appreciate everyone's cooperation in maintaining a safe and welcoming worship environment. We ask that everyone continue to respect those with compromised immune systems and take precautions as needed.

18 Jan 2026, Second Sun after Epiphany: Isaiah 49:1-7, John 1:29-42

Looking Ahead for Ivy:

Annual Congregational Meeting & Soup Luncheon

Will be held on **Sunday January 25th at 11:00 AM**, immediately following worship. This meeting will be conducted in person in the sanctuary with remote participation available via Zoom (link will be provided). Afterwards we will enjoy a soup luncheon together in Fellowship Hall— we hope you'll join us!

Mary and Martha Wmnns Grp

The Mary & Martha Women's Group will meet at 1:00 p.m. THIS Tues., Jan. 20th in the Multipurpose Room. We will be planning for the year ahead, so bring your ideas. Everyone is welcome!

Men's Luncheon

THIS WEDNESDAY, Jan 21 at Hunan Empress -164 Four Seasons Shopping Center . If you have any questions please contact Frank Purviance or the office. All are welcome!

This year Ivy Chapel's Ash Wednesday service will be held in the sanctuary on February 18th at 2 pm.



The Interim Transition Team is hosting coffee time THIS Sunday Jan. 18th and again on Feb. 8th and 15th in Fellowship Hall directly after worship.

We look forward to seeing you there!



YOUTH NEWS

We are so excited to announce that Tara Lowry has been called to help lead our Youth this year as Ivy Chapel's new Youth Ministry Coordinator.

She began formally serving with the youth this past October, which included helping to plan and

lead **FAITH 101**, as well as various youth activities; Advent Storytelling, the Christmas Pageant, holiday parties and an overnight lock-in. We are eager to see where this next step will take Tara and the Ivy Youth in their journeys with God.

The **Souper Bowl of Caring** will be held this year on Super Bowl Sunday, Feb. 8th. The Ivy Youth will again be collecting canned and nonperishable goods for donation to a local charity.

For more information please go to tacklehunger.org.



Office closed Jan 19-20th .

Email will be checked and the emergency cell will be available to call or text— 314-705-6822

Happy Anniversary to...



1/15/1971 — Michael and Donna Grote

1/18/1997—Pastor Carol and Bonnie

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



17- Tara Lowry

20- Beth Noonan & Janet Wilking



IVY YOUTH Sunday Schedules

Jan.18— Grab a worship bag and join us for the service

NO Confirmation Class today

NO FAITH 101 today

Jan. 23-24 — Overnight LOCK-IN at Ivy Chapel— 6pm-10am

Jan.25— Sunday School for ALL youth following the Children's Message

FAITH 101 meets after luncheon today

Confirmation Class meets after luncheon today

GREETER/ USHER



18 Jan — Frank Purviance and
John Weiland

25 Jan — Kathryn Kuntzman and
Jack Molyneaux

LITURGIST



18 Jan — John Weiland

25 Jan — Jim French

CARE CORPS



➤ JAN — Dottie Foster 314-878-4286
Gail Thoole 314-576-0091

➤ FEB — Linda Lowry 314-703-2776
Donna Grote 314-304-6876

➤ OUTSIDE GROUPS: JUNIPER ROOT WOODLAND MICROSCHOOL M-F; SQUARE DANCING 2ND F; TKD M/T/W/TH;
AA MEETINGS TUE & SAT, WOMEN'S TUE/THUR, YOUNG PEOPLE'S- SUN

Ivy Youth in Action



Youth Lock-In

Have you ever wondered what it's like
to spend the night at Ivy Chapel?
Well, for our youth in 4th grade and up,
they are about to find out!



The Youth Lock-In will be from 6 pm on Friday, January 23rd to 10 am on Saturday, January 24th. There will be food, there will be movies, there will be shenanigans! Dinner and breakfast will be provided, but please be sure to bring a sleeping bag, blanket, and pillow, as everyone will be sleeping on the floor (my old lady back can already imagine what that will be like). Please let Tara Lowry know if you plan on attending.

If you have any questions regarding any of the youth activities please contact Tara
at taralowry96@gmail.com or 314-973-6284.



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Feb. 1—Sunday School for kids up to seventh grade following the Children's Message

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Feb.8— 'SOUPER BOWL of CARING' Sunday

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