



October



2024 CUMC Newsletter

Warm autumn greetings, people of God!

What a beautiful and exciting time of year is now upon us! Let's thank God for life and peace in a beautiful place, freedom and all those who work to preserve it, family and friends, and a wonderful, "small but mighty in the Holy Spirit" church community in which to enjoy more blessings than we can count!

Are you looking for spiritual growth opportunities? In addition to our 9:15 a.m. Sunday School classes, the church will offer two new study groups starting in October:

- Pastor Jeff will host a study of "Confessions of Caffeinated Christian." This group will discuss our attempts to follow Jesus and to live an authentic life of faith. Invite your friends to join us on Wednesday mornings, 10am, beginning October 2nd.
- Do you have questions about God, the Church, or other Christian teachings? Join Pastor Wendy for a six-week class on Tuesdays, October 15-November 19, 7-8:30 p.m. at the church. This class will provide an opportunity for deep and meaningful discussions about spiritual things that matter. Bring your Bible, questions, insights and friends!

Mark your calendars for some upcoming special fellowship events and look for more details in the following pages and future newsletters:

- Men's Breakfast on Saturday, October 5th
 - Community meals after worship on October 6th, November 3rd, and December 1st
 - Trunk or Treat on Thursday, October 31st
 - Group field trip to a Matthew West concert on Sunday evening, November 10th
 - An intergenerational "Gingerbread Bash" on Saturday, November 16th
 - "All Hands" Decoration of the Church for Advent and Christmas on Sunday, November 24th
 - Group field trip to musical presentation of "Messiah," at Sulphur Grove UMC featuring members of this and other churches on Saturday, December 7th.
 - Christmas Eve Service on Tuesday evening, December 24th, time TBA.
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Let's continue to pray for and encourage each other as Jesus has taught us, and for our church as together we look to God to guide us in our service and witness to the Brookville community and beyond.

See you joyfully in church,
Pastor Wendy



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Welcome Pastoral Care Team!

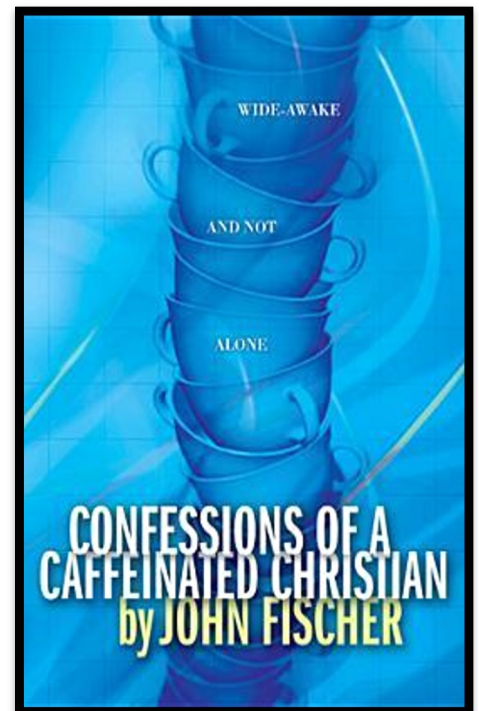
A Pastoral Care Team has been formed to visit homebound members, those experiencing extended hospital and therapy stays, and all members living in nursing facilities. The team will also reach out to discouraged or inactive members.

The goal of this team is to dovetail these new efforts with the membership care already taking place. Working together, we desire to provide all the pastoral and spiritual care that is needed for a healthy and growing congregation.

We request your prayers for this ministry. We will also need assistance from you in identifying those in need of a visit, prayer, Holy Communion, or wanting simply to be in touch. Finally, we want to extend an invitation to interested members to participate in this team ministry with us.

Wednesday Morning Study 10:00 a.m. at Brookville Community Church Confessions of a Caffeinated Christian by John Fischer

A look at our attempts to follow Jesus and live an authentic life of faith. Confessions of a Caffeinated Christian will inspire us to take our coffee and our conversations outside the walls of our churches to the corner café and drink deeply of full-strength faith. Let's move beyond "decaf" Christianity and inject our lives with the hot, powerful and energizing real thing. Invite your friends to join us on Wednesday mornings at 10 a.m., beginning October 2nd.



God Talk

Tuesday Evening Study 7:00 p.m. at Brookville Community Church God Talk

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COMMUNITY PRESCHOOL

An Outreach of CUMC

114 Hay Ave. PO Box 172

Brookville, OH 45309

937-833-6691

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Ask for Miss Tonya

or Miss Amy

communitypreschool71@gmail.com



PRESCHOOL NEWS:

Thanks to everyone who purchased items for the MarcheLe pretzels & popcorn fundraiser this past month! Delivery date is Wednesday, October 16th 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Thanks to all who shop at Krogers. Our Rewards check was \$100.63!

We have 60 students this year!

Prayer partner cards are displayed in the narthex for your pickup! Please take several! Please sign your cards anonymously... your prayer partner; your prayer friend, etc. No gifts please!

The Preschool Harvest Party is October 23rd at the Leiber Center from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Visitors are welcome; past congregation participation is being covered by students needing service hours at Brookville High School.

Socktober

Preschoolers are
participating in the
Shoes4theShoeless
sock drive in October.





www.shoes4theshoeless.org

SOCKTOBER CHALLENGE

**BROOKVILLE
COMMUNITY UMC**

VS

**COMMUNITY
PRESCHOOL**

**Donate NEW children's
socks (that will fit
children aged 5 and
older) to help support
the mission of...**



There isn't a much better feeling than putting on a brand new pair of socks for the first time. For many of the children S4TS serves, experiencing brand new socks of their own is a first when our organization arrives. S4TS gives out nearly 100,000 pairs of socks each year (at least 2 pairs of socks for each pair of shoes given out) to disadvantaged children throughout the Greater Miami Valley region!

DONATION BINS ARE LOCATED IN THE FRONT OF THE SANCTUARY!

Challenge ends October 31, 2024



Remember the shut-ins with cards, calls, visits, & prayers:



Terry & Yvonne Denlinger
629 Mound St.
Brookville, OH 45309

Cliff & Janet Loeb
130 Antwerp Ave.
Brookville, OH 45309

Margaret Porter
Villas of Brookhaven
One Country Lane Rm. C109
Brookville, OH 45309

Judy Liming
Villas of Brookhaven
One Country Lane Rm. 105
Brookville, OH 45309

Dorothy Johnson
7564 Wellbaum Rd.
Brookville, OH 45309

Christie Deulin
12044 S. Wolf Creek Pike
Brookville, OH 45309




**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP
BREAKFAST**

JOIN US!
**Men's Fellowship
Breakfast
Saturday,
Oct. 5th at
8:00 a.m.**

Brookville Community Church
114 Hay Avenue P.O. Box 172
Brookville, OH 45309

Rev. Dr. Wendy Deichmann
Office Manager: Vicki Harris
Email: bcumchurch@gmail.com
Phone: (937) 833-3262

Office Hours: Tues. & Thurs. Evenings
& Saturday Mornings

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FISH Food Pantry

220 Western Ave

The Brookville FISH Pantry is open
Tuesdays from 7-8 p.m.
Saturdays from 10-11 a.m.

Monetary donations can be made to "A Place to Go"
with "FISH" on the memo line and mailed to
PO Box 112, Brookville, OH 45309



Do you have a Kroger Plus card?

Did you know that you can support our Preschool just by shopping for groceries? Each time you shop and scan your Kroger card, money is donated to our preschool.

Brookville FISH Food Pantry How can you help?

DONATE

non-perishable boxed or canned goods!
These items can be put in the marked bin in the narthex!



The mission of The Foodbank is to relieve hunger in the community.

VOLUNTEERS needed!
If you are interested in volunteering, below is the link of volunteer opportunities:

www.thefoodbankdaytona.org/volunteer/

Financial FYI

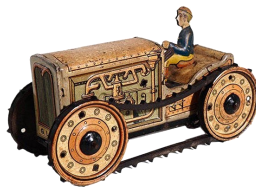
Thank you for your continued giving.
Don't forget our budget this fall. Thank you!



Remember - you can donate on-line at our website:
<https://brookvillecumc.org/> or with check or cash in an envelope in the offering plate each week.

*Offering envelopes are available by the box in the narthex.
John Y.

Upcoming EVENTS



October 6th Community Meal

GERMAN FALL FESTIVAL



**Cabbage Roll Casserole & brats provided.
Please bring a salad or dessert to share.**

**Bring your favorite German memorabilia
and a story to tell about it.**



**October 20th
5:00 p.m. at the church
Bring snacks, desserts,
and games to share!**



October 31st from 6:00 - 7:30 P.M.

Come be a part of a wonderful experience as we greet the little ones in our church parking lot for TRUNK N TREAT! Be inspired to share in the joy & fun, set up a decorated trunk by 5:45 p.m. Pre-wrapped candy will be needed. Please drop off candy in the Narthex.

Matthew West Concert Fieldtrip!

Christian music is a way to honor God, to lead people to Christ, and to strengthen our faith. For these reasons, we are planning a "field trip" to a Matthew West ("Keep on Praying") concert!

- **When: Sunday, November 10th, 7 p.m. (doors open at 6:15)**
- **Where: Madison Park Church of God, Anderson, Indiana**
- **Cost: General Admission is \$27**

If you're interested, please contact Pastor Jeff for more details or to sign up.



Gingerbread BASH

Follow that Star

Brookville Community parents!

This year, we're throwing a Christmas celebration that your family simply can't miss! It's called "Gingerbread Bash," and it's happening on November 16th at Brookville Community Church 114 Hay Ave. Brookville, OH 45309. You might be wondering, "What exactly is a Gingerbread Bash?" Well, it's a gingerbread nativity-building party that's perfect for the whole family. Along with creating and decorating your own gingerbread nativity, you'll enjoy games, singing, hearing the Christmas story straight from the Bible, and discovering how Jesus is the true STAR of our lives. It's an incredible way for all to celebrate our Savior's birth! More details to come but mark your calendars now and invite friends!

In Him, Brookville Community Church



November 3rd
Harvest Soup Fellowship Meal
Following Worship Service
Bring you favorite soup, salad
and/or dessert to share.

Join us for a church field trip!
The Messiah Musical
Saturday, December 7th at 6:00 p.m.
at Sulphur Grove in Huber Heights

Are you interested in the
HISTORY of our church?
Would you like to become
our Church Historian?

Or would you be interested in working with
Pastor Wendy regarding gathering
information on the history of the church? If
so, please contact Vicki and let her know.



September's blood drive was a success!
We registered 61 donors and collected 55 units of whole blood.
We beat the goal of 42 units. The next blood drive will be Wednesday, October 9th.
Workers are needed. Please contact Cathy Alber if you can help at 937-750-6148 or sign up
at church in the narthex. Brownies, cookies, and homemade bread are needed and
volunteers are needed and appreciated. Brookville Community Church will be sponsoring
the blood drive and Jean Johnson will be providing a 1/2 hour massage as the door prize.



Formerly Community Blood Center

Donate blood to help fight cancer

Cancer patients fight with all their might...don't let them battle alone. **25% of all cancer patients need blood or platelets at some point during treatment.**

BROOKVILLE COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE



Golden Gate Park, Leiber Center

OCTOBER 9, 2024




12:30 TO 6:30

SPONSORED BY: UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

DOOR PRIZE COMPLIMENTS OF:

JEAN JOHNSON, L.M.T.

Register to donate blood **Sept. 30 – Nov. 2** to help the many in need of transfusions during treatments and **get the special edition "Fight Cancer" t-shirt as a thank you** for your life saving donation.

 Donor Time App  937-461-3220  www.donortime.com



OCTOBER

Birthdays

3 JEFF LOEB

18 EMILY VAUGHN

6 ZACHERY PETERS

18 MEGAN VAUGHN

7 ALYSON LANDIS

23 DOUG BOWERS

8 JUDY LIMING

24 YVONNE DENLINGER

9 SHERYL MOHR

26 DON THOKEY

11 PAUL MILLER

28 TED LANDIS JR.

12 BEV MILLER

30 ROSANNA CHAMBERS

2 CORINTHIANS 9:10

NOW HE WHO SUPPLIES SEED TO THE SOWER AND BREAD FOR FOOD WILL ALSO SUPPLY AND INCREASE YOUR STORE OF SEED AND WILL ENLARGE THE HARVEST OF YOUR RIGHTEOUSNESS.

October

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 All Month Socktober	2 3:30 Cleaners	3 9:30 am Piecemakers	4	5 8:00 Men's Breakfast
6 9:15 S.S. 10:30 Worship 11:30 Community Meal	7	8 7:00 Preschool Board Mtg.	9 12:30 - 6:30 Blood Drive 3:30 Cleaners	10 9:30 am Piecemakers	11 	12
13 9:15 S.S. 10:30 Worship	14 Columbus Day	15 	16 3:30 Cleaners 3:30 Fund- raiser Sorting 6:30 Fund- raiser Parent Pickup	17 9:30 am Piecemakers	18	19
20 9:15 S.S. 10:30 Worship 5:00 pm Game Night 1st day of Fall	21 6:00 Ministry Team Mtg. 7:00 Comm. Board Mtg.	22	23 3:30 Cleaners 6:00 Preschool Harvest Party at the Leiber Center	24 9:30 am Piecemakers	25 	26
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