

Prayer Needs & Notes – September 29, 2024

Immediate:

Virginia Underwood as she prepares to move closer to family

Jeff Bowden – health

Kathy Spalding – health

Pat Dettmer – health

Our Missionaries:

Daryl & Leshia Beltz

Jim & Yuri Cerminaro; pray for Yuri's health

Dean & Debbie Lundberg

On-Going:

Pastor Craig Nelson – cancer

Bob Laude – recovery from stroke

Laura Laude – health

Don Peterson – health

Janet VanEpps – health, in Mississippi for the winter

Daryl Beltz – continued recovery

Penny Yost – stroke recovery (cousin of Sheila & Donna Shull)

Larry & Gail Moss – health

Emily Cummings – cancer (Katie Peterson's niece)

Tammie & Pat Tewart

Sandy Steckel – health concerns

Leah Mitchell – severe Parkinson's

Dar Carpenter – health

Mike & Connie Jensen – cancer

Sherrie Sanders – health

Nursing Home Residents:

MediLodge: Harold Figgins, Ny Dettmer

Oakview: Lynn Olmstead

Village Manor: Dennis Grams, Dorothy Boon - health

Nursing Home Addresses:

Oakview, 1001 Diana St, Ludington

MediLodge, 1000 E Tinkham Ave, Ludington

Village Manor, 1100 E Tinkham Ave, Ludington

September 24th Financial Update:

YTD Income	\$ 103,714.93
YTD Expenses	\$ 97,582.25
Difference	\$ 6,132.68

Noisy Coin Sunday

This Sunday is a fifth Sunday, so it's a Noisy Coin collection time for our 2024 Adopt-A-Family mission for Christmas. This one snuck up on us! There will be a collection bucket for coins, currency, and checks in the Narthex this Sunday and on October 6th. **Our goal is to collect \$2,000 for our projected 6 or so families to purchase food, clothing, and gifts. The offering so far: \$997.00.** More information on how to get involved in this important outreach soon.

Tuesday Bible Study

Our study of 2 Timothy will continue on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Come any week to participate in great discussions and insights into scripture.

100 Years as The Community Church of Ludington Congregational and Presbyterian History

- The Congregational Church was organized in July 1870. Initially, the church held worship services in The Big Store in Ludington.
- Lots on 100 N. Harrison for both the Congregational and Presbyterian churches were donated by Pere Marquette Lumber Co.
- The original Congregational Church building, at our current location, was destroyed on Saturday, June 11, 1881, in the largest and most devastating fire to strike Ludington. Most of the downtown was destroyed in this fire.
- The Presbyterian Church dates from 1874, originally organized with 20 members. The first service was held in a hall on the northeast corner of Harrison and East Ludington Avenue.
- Our current sanctuary is part of the rebuilt Congregational Church, constructed in 1882. In the meantime, the Presbyterian church offered their sanctuary to their neighbors, the Congregational church.
- After merger, the remodeled Presbyterian Church, located in our parking lot to the east, served as the "Church House" for classes and social activities.