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children and youth through
the World Thank Offering.

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World Thank Offering

Pastor Rodney will bless the World Thank Offering at the Sunday service on Nov. 16. Please join us for this special service. We will bring in the large World Thank Offering jar each Sunday in November. Please add your contribution to the jar each Sunday. One can provide their donations that they have been collecting in the small jars. Also, checks are also greatly appreciated. The goal would be to complete the drive on Sunday, Nov 23, just prior to Thanksgiving holidays. The NUMW Thank Offering is given to the general Conference. In 2024, the conference provided support to make the following successes possible: Moore Community House, Biloxi, Mississippi Financial gifts from United Women in Faith’s members supported 12 groups of low-income women to obtain national credentials in the skilled craft trades and participate in advanced leadership courses through Moore Community House’s Women in Construction program. Scott’s Run Settlement House, Pursglove, West Virginia, Scott’s Run Settlement House’s food pantry provided food for more than 10,478 individuals in rural West Virginia. Gum Moon Residence Hall, San Francisco, California was able to upgrade its website and digital presence, which resulted in securing funding from two new private foundations, for approximately \$50,000, for its family support programs.

Our annual Nut Sale is ending. Our nut sale will continue every Sunday morning after the worship service. We placed a new order, when we sell out we won’t be getting any more in. So stock up now! We will be selling pecans, cashews, walnuts, bridge mix, fruit and nuts, almonds, mixed nuts, and assorted chocolates. They come in one-pound packages and make great gifts for teachers, friends, and neighbors. All proceeds will be donated to missions.

Invitation to Serve

As part of our ongoing work toward developing Team Ministries, we are inviting members of the congregation to serve in two vital roles that reflect the heart of our community: Communion Stewards and Hospitality Hosts for fellowship time after worship. These roles are simple but deeply meaningful ways to express the body of Christ in action; serving one another with grace, warmth, and welcome. If you would like to be part of these ministries, please contact the church office or sign up in the Gallery after worship. Together, we continue to build a church where every act of service reflects God’s love.

Helping Local Families in Need with Thanksgiving Meals

For over 25 years we have been helping local families in need buy food so they can have a complete Thanksgiving dinner. There are so many families who are struggling, and we can help! The Outreach team coordinates this mission.

Retired Newtown Police Chief Martin Duffy has been our contact for these families since we first started collecting the food, and he continues to do this.

We have had donations from the United Methodist Men and the United Methodist Women organizations to buy Giant gift cards for these families. Chief Duffy will make sure the families receive the gift cards.

If anyone else in the congregation would like to help these families in need, please either buy a Giant food gift card or write a check to Newtown United Methodist Church with "Thanksgiving Meals" written on the check. You can mail the check to Newtown United Methodist Church, 35 Liberty Street, Newtown, PA 18940, ATTN: Treasurer, or you can drop off a check in the church office. **Please make sure all donations are in no later than Sunday, November 16.**