

Church Family Prayer Concerns: Rosie & Justin (Friends of Jim & Helene Mershon), Mary Beth (Friend of Bill & Karen D’Anjolell), Rev. Debbie Rakos and her husband Rod, Charlie (son in-law of Carol Smith), Nancy Scurlock, Buschner Family (Friends of Joe & Judi Swerk), Diana, Doug, and Dave Lyle (Friends of Cliff & Gerry Hixson) Scott Baer (nephew of Cliff & Gerry Hixson), Devon Mattox (nephew of Carolyn Brown), Rich Selah, Tammy (niece of the Tomlinson family), Nancy Daney & Family, Daniel Wright (friend of Pat King), The Bollman Family (friends of the Fidlers).

Names added to the prayer list will remain for 3 weeks unless an extension is requested.

The Mission of the Month (Advance) for October is Feed the Children’s ministry in Uganda. Volunteers are working with churches there to feed about 80,000 children. They are also teaching the girls sewing and the boys carpentry skills.

Uganda lacks important resources such as sanitation, access to electricity, health, education, and nutrition. Families in Uganda are often large and highly likely to fall below the poverty line. Poor health also impacts a family’s ability to work, causing poverty to be passed down through generations.

Uganda has one of the youngest and most rapidly growing populations in the world, with 48% of the population under the age of 15. Currently Uganda is taking in refugees fleeing wars in its bordering neighbors of the Democratic Republic of the Congo and South Sudan.

If you would like to help feed the children of Uganda, please use one of the blue Advance offering envelopes in the pews and place it in the offering plate. You can also send a check to Newtown UMC, 35 Liberty Street, Newtown, PA 18940. Please mark your check “Advance for October.”



If you would like to make your church donation online, you just have to scan this code with your phone camera to be connected directly the church’s paypal account.

THIS WEEK AT NEWTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
35 Liberty Street, Newtown, PA 18940
215-968-2662

Sunday, October 19 10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Childcare available
Monday, October 20 9:30 a.m.	Circle of Concern
Tuesday, October 21 9:30 a.m.	Craft Group
Wednesday, October 22 10:00 a.m.	Bible Study
Sunday, October 26 10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Childcare available

Sunday Servants **October 19, 2025**

ALTAR FLOWERS:	Given by Joe & Judi Swerk in honor of their 57 th Wedding Anniversary!
USHERS:	Rich & Barb Selah
LAY READER:	Helene Mershon
GREETERS:	Joe & Judi Swerk
FELLOWSHIP HOUR:	Pat King & Nancy McCarthy
FINANCE STEWARD:	Jim & Helene Mershon

Oct 26th - Sunday Servants

USHERS:	Rich & Barb Selah
LAY READER:	Cami Hanemen
GREETERS:	Dave & Kathy Mershon
FELLOWSHIP HOUR:	
FINANCE STEWARD:	Jim & Helene Mershon

Our Annual Bazaar and Luncheon

Thursday, November 6th
Bazaar from 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.
Luncheon - 11:00 to 2:00 P.M.
Tickets will be available for \$15.00/per person.
Take out orders are available for the luncheon. Bazaar Luncheon tickets will be available to purchase between services on Oct. 19th, 26th & Nov. 2nd.



**Newtown United Methodist Church
TRUNK or TREAT**

Invites YOU to Trunk or Treat!

When: Friday, October 31st

Time: 5:30-7:30pm

Place: Church Parking Lot

Trunk or Treat? It's a fun, safe way for little ones to experience the joy of trick or treating. In the parking lot cars, vans, and trucks will be lined up and children can go trunk to trunk collecting candy. Pass the word! This is for Elementary school age children and younger. Please watch the gallery. We will be putting a sign up sheet for those willing to open their trunks. We are hoping for 12 to 14 trunks. **We will also have a donation box in the gallery for candy.**

COME join the fun!

Fall Bible Study: Revelation for Normal People

Join us this fall for a fresh and accessible look at one of the most misunderstood books of the Bible. Our study will follow Revelation for Normal People by Robyn J. Whitaker, offering insight into Revelation's powerful message of hope, resilience, and renewal. Whether you are new to Bible study or have explored Revelation before, all are welcome!

Wednesdays, now thru November 12th | 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM | Wesley Hall (On the third Wednesday of each month, we will meet in the Sanctuary due to Caring for Friends.) Participants are asked to order their own copy of the book in advance. Come ready for rich conversation and spiritual discovery! Revelation for Normal People Available Locally

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.

Rummage Sale Thank You!

We would like to say thank you to all who helped make the fall rummage sale a success. We made small changes to our process and appreciate the congregation working with us to make things a little new each time. The sale starts with the treasures that come from all of you. We also appreciate the effort that is made by all the volunteers who prepare for the sale, work on the actual sale days, and help with the packing of the boxes for Good Stuff Thrift Store. We couldn't do this without the support of the congregation. It is such a pleasure to work with an excellent group of people who understand the purpose of the rummage sale is to support our mission work for women and children. Start organizing your treasures for the Spring Rummage sale, May 1 and 2, 2026. We look forward to working with all of you again.

Sincerely,

Nora and Judi