

**Church Family Prayer Concerns:** 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), Woody Bethman, Rich Selah, Tammy (niece of the Tomlinson family), Nancy Daney & Family, Daniel Wright (friend of Pat King), The Bollman Family (friends of the Fidlers), Tom Jennings (son-in law of Kay Lawrence).

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

**The Mission of the Month (Advance) for September** is The Independence Fund, providing programs and services to disabled military veterans who served in combat. Their mobility program empowers amputees to regain their mobility and independence by using Trackchairs, designed to navigate snow, mud, and dirt. These veterans are able to reenter the outdoors and engage in the activities they enjoy.

CEO Sarah Verardo, a member of Weddington Methodist Church in North Carolina, saw firsthand what a difference Trackchairs could make. Her husband Michael was severely injured when he stepped on an IED while serving in Afghanistan in 2010, losing one of his legs, most of his one arm, and suffering other injuries. He underwent over 100 surgeries. He recently passed away from his injuries at age 40.

The Independence Fund also provides suicide prevention counseling and many other services needed by disabled veterans.

If you would like to help The Independence Fund, please use one of the blue Advance offering envelopes in the pews and put 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 September."



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**

<b>Sunday, September 21</b> 10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Childcare available Carry up stuff for the Rummage Sale
<b>Tuesday, September 23</b> 9:00 a.m.	Craft Group
<b>Wednesday, September 24</b> 9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Set-up for the rummage sale Bible Study
<b>Friday, September 26</b> 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Rummage Sale
<b>Saturday, September 27</b> 9:00 a.m.-noon	Rummage Sale
<b>Sunday, September 28</b> 10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Childcare available

<b>Sunday Servants</b>	<b>September 21, 2025</b>
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<b>ALTAR FLOWERS:</b>	For Martha Hibbs Vile given in loving memory by her son Sam
<b>USHERS:</b>	Cheryl Burd & Kevin Burd
<b>LAY READER:</b>	Gerry Hixson
<b>GREETERS:</b>	Pam Rook & Kay Lawrence
<b>FELLOWSHIP HOUR:</b>	Chris Bethman
<b>FINANCE STEWARD:</b>	Cheryl Burd & Linda Walsh

<b>Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> - Sunday Servants</b>	
<b>USHERS:</b>	Cheryl Burd & Kevin Burd
<b>LAY READER:</b>	Denise Dugan
<b>GREETERS:</b>	Dan & Debbie Boltner
<b>FELLOWSHIP HOUR:</b>	
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### **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**, beginning September 17 | 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

**The Newtown Bookshop can order Revelation for Normal People** for our upcoming study. Orders typically arrive in two days. This may be a convenient option for those who prefer to purchase 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.

### **Our Fall rummage sale will be held on Friday, September 26 from 9am-3pm and Saturday, September 27 from 9am-12pm.**

We are now accepting gently used items for our rummage sale. On September 21 and 22, you may put your items in the kitchen or the opportunity room. If you need any help unloading your items from your car, please reach out to Randy or Nora Schenk. If you are able, please join us on Sunday, September 21 immediately after church to set up the tables in Wesley Hall and bring up the items from the basement rummage rooms. Once the items are all upstairs, we will begin sorting, arranging, and pricing. We will be working on Monday-Wednesday from 9am until 4pm. On Wednesday, we will serve lunch to all the workers. A small crew on Thursday will address final details. We will need people to help on the days of our sale to serve as cashiers and to assist buyers. We need many hands to make this a successful sale. Please sign up on the sheets in the gallery to help. Contact Judi Swerk or Nora Schenk for any questions.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

All clothing should be clean and free from stains, tears, missing buttons, and broken zippers.

All electric items and electronics must be in working order.

Only flat screen TVs (no older than 10 years) will be accepted.

#### **WE WILL NOT ACCEPT:**

China Cabinets, Hutches, and Entertainment Centers

Exercise Equipment of any kind, and VHS tapes

Mattresses. Box Springs, Bunk Beds and King-Sized Head & Foot Boards

Baby equipment older than 5 years past the manufacture date

Baby car seats and cribs, Upholstered furniture that is stained, ripped, torn, or worn.

Computers, monitors, printers, fax machines and typewriters.