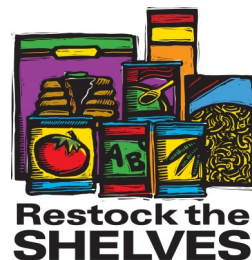


## UPS Back Pack Program

Don't forget that each month we are going to Restock the Shelves for the Union Primary School Back Pack Program with a specific kind of food. The food item for October is **Canned Soup**.



## Holston Home for Children

After David spelled his winning word in the Beacon School spelling bee, he buried his face in his hands and through tears and a smile from ear to ear, he said, "I have never won anything in my life." He learned more than just spelling that day. He learned that he had worth and potential. You can help us continue in our mission to provide hope and healing to children and families struggling with life's challenges. Please give generously today and help us change lives for tomorrow.

## Study Group at Parsonage

You are invited to join a small group at the Parsonage on Monday evenings from 6:30-8 pm. Come study and Practice **The Joy of Intercession**. Come learn the practice of trusting and following the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit leads us from temptation and delivers us into the joy of God's Presence. A Study Guide is provided. Bring your Bible and a friend. If you have interest or questions, please see Robert or call (423) 863-7622.

## Nominations Committee

The Committee on Nominations will meet on Tuesday at 6:30 pm. Please pray that God will reveal those whom He has called to Lead and Service. Pray those whom He calls are willing to follow!

## Charge Conference

2018 Appalachian District Charge Conference will be held on Sunday, October 21 at 3 pm at Trinity-Wise Fellowship Hall.

### Here is the Union Primary School Food List for 2018:

<b>Jan</b> —Pop Tarts	<b>Feb</b> —Nabs/Chips	<b>Mar</b> —Microwave Popcorn
<b>Apr</b> —Ramen Noodles	<b>May</b> —Chef Boyardee	<b>Jun</b> —Granola Bars/Raisins
<b>Jul</b> —Single Serve Fruit	<b>Aug</b> —Breakfast Cereal	<b>Sep</b> —Macaroni and Cheese
<b>Oct</b> —Canned Soup	<b>Nov</b> —Juice Boxes	<b>Dec</b> —Canned Meat

**Peanut Butter — May & November**

Please keep this list in a handy place and buy these items for the months they are listed. If an item is coming up soon and its on sale, that is a good time to buy some. Then just hang on to them and bring them to the church during the correct month.

## A look ahead.....

### Upcoming Events You Need to Put on Your Calendar!!

\*\*\*The Fall Yard Sale begins Monday **October 1st**.\*\*\*

If you have any items that you would like to donate to the church yard sale, please have them to the church this evening. The yard sale will be the entire week. Please invite others in the community to stop by and checkout the available items.

**October 2, 2018**— The Nominations Committee will be meeting at 6:30 pm. NOW Team has been changed to next week October 9th.

**October 4, 2018**— Pro-Art presents Prometheus Piano Trio at Cantrell Hall on UVA-Wise's campus at 7:30 pm. Everyone is welcome . Free Admission!!

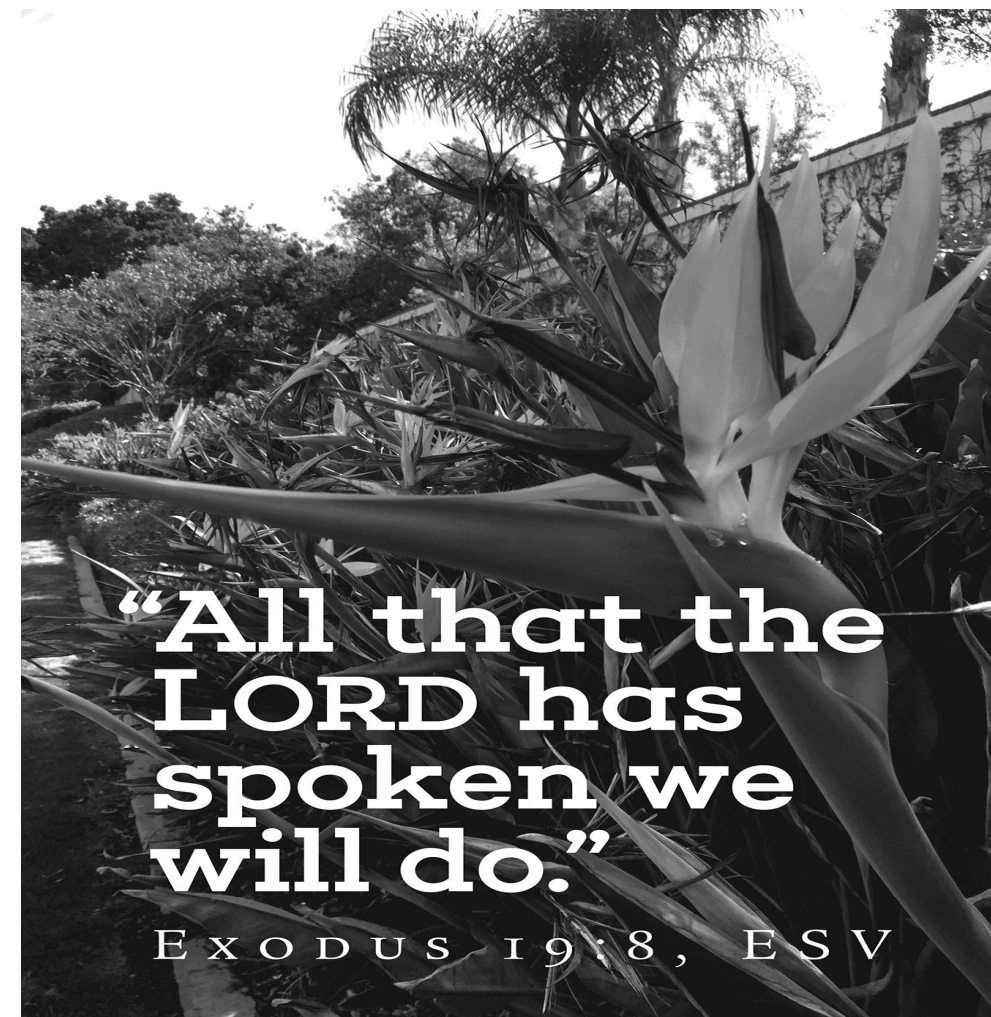
**October 5, 2018**— Pro-Arts presents David Volk & Norah Clydesdale at Cantrell Hall on UVA-Wise's campus at 5 pm. Free Admission.

**October 8, 2018**— NOW Team will be hosting the UMM Meal.

**October 9, 2018**— NOW Team meeting.

**October 10, 2018**— The Fellowship Dinner Potluck at 6:30 pm. Bring a dish. Everyone is invited. Please bring the family and enjoy yourself.

## The Trinity Companion Sunday September 30, 2018



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**Greeters**—Jack Williams & Paul Clark  
**Announcements**—Diane Botts

**Prelude:** Awake My Soul by Mumford & Sons  
**Lighting of the Alter Candles:** Maverick Webb & Jackson Anderson

**\*Opening Hymn:** A Mighty Fortress is Our God No. 110

### Pastoral Welcome

**\*Affirmation of Faith:** Apostle's Creed No. 881  
**The Gloria Patri:** No. 70

### A Time for Sharing Joys, Concerns, and Thanksgivings

**Pastoral Prayer**  
**Lord's Prayer** No. 895

### The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offering

**Prayer of Blessing**  
**Ushers:** Christy Smith, Sandra Rich, Donna Mahan, & Ashley Turner  
**Offertory Music:** He Leadeth Me, Arranged by Greg Howlett  
**\*Doxology** As found at No. 95

**Children's Message:** Mary Beth Allen

**Choral Anthem:** His Eye is on The Sparrow

**\*Scripture Reading:** Exodus 19: 1-8 and 20: 18-20 Martha Spurlock

**Sermon Message:** The Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil: Faith in Man

**\*Closing Hymn:** What a Friend We Have in Jesus No. 526

### Pastoral Benediction

**Postlude:** Sent Forth By God's Blessing, UMH 664

\* Indicates that you may stand, as you are able  
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### October 2018

Sun	Mo	Tue	We	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

### October Events and Activities

- ◆ **Monday October 1, 2018**
  - ◆ Fall Yard Sale begins
- ◆ **Tuesday October 2, 2018**
  - ◆ Fall Yard Sale
  - ◆ 6:30 pm—Nominations Committee
- ◆ **Wednesday October 3, 2018**
  - ◆ Fall Yard Sale
  - ◆ 6:00—Prayer Team
  - ◆ 7:00—Choir Team
- ◆ **Thursday October 4, 2018**
  - ◆ Fall Yard Sale
- ◆ **Friday October 5, 2018**
  - ◆ Fall Yard Sale
- ◆ **Monday October 8, 2018**
  - ◆ 6:30 pm—United Methodist Men Meeting
- ◆ **Tuesday October 9, 2018**
  - ◆ 7:00 pm—NOW Team
- ◆ **Wednesday October 10, 2018**
  - ◆ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
  - ◆ 6:30 pm—Fellowship Dinner
  - ◆ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice
- ◆ **Thursday October 11, 2018**
  - ◆ 11:00 am—Susanna Wesley/Wesleyan Circle Meeting
- ◆ **Saturday October 13, 2018**
  - ◆ 7:00 am—UMM Pancake Breakfast
- ◆ **Monday October 14, 2018**
  - ◆ 7:00 pm—Administrative Board Meeting

He that hath a bountiful eye shall be  
blessed;  
for he giveth of his bread to the poor.  
—Psalms 22:9



"I HAVE NOT STOPPED GIVING THANKS FOR  
YOU, REMEMBERING YOU IN MY PRAYERS."  
EPHESIANS 1:16, NIV

### October

#### Van Drivers and Riders

7—Christy Smith & Donna Mahan  
14—Kenny & Martha Spurlock  
21—Christy Smith & Cathy Galyean  
28—Christy Smith & Diane Botts

#### Money Counters

7—Pat Bowden, Kim Parsons  
14—Kenny & Martha Spurlock  
21—Christy Smith, Diane Botts  
28—Bill Cole, Ashley Turner

#### Children's Message

7—Diane Botts  
14—Nancy Toney  
21—Christy Smith  
28—Andrew Holyfield

#### Greeters

Kathleen Gillespie  
Patty Robbins

#### Announcements

Bill Cole

#### Ushers

John Hagan, Phil Robbins, Spencer Quesenberry, Ruben Allman

#### For Those with Cancer:

Robin (Rita Nash's Daughter); Denise Qualls;  
David Burke (Bubba Burke's Dad); Karrie  
Compton (Randy & Phyllis Compton's  
daughter); Zack Carter; Steve Clark; Robert  
Holbrook; Kamyrn (Patsy Mutter's great  
granddaughter's sister); Wilma Mills; Meta  
Barnette

#### Facing/Recovering from Surgery/Hospital Stay

Larry Spears; Jeff Wright; Alberta Mitchell  
**Non-Specific Prayers for:**  
Jim Cooper; Toney family; Marion Kocher;  
Matt Carroll; Bob Horne; Beth & John Hagan

- Pray for our Pastor and the Leaders of our church.
- Pray for the Leaders of the United Methodist Church.
- Pray for those in the Church in need.

If you know that someone on the prayer list has passed away, please contact the church office.