

# WYOMISSING UCC March 2023

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## SAVE THE DATES WORSHIP SCHEDULE

**APRIL 2** - Palm Sunday Worship  
@ 10:30 am

**APRIL 6**- Maundy Thursday  
Communion/Worship  
@ 7:00 pm

**APRIL 9** - Easter Sunday  
Easter Communion  
Service @ 10:30 am

**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE THAT CONTRIBUTED TO "SOUP-ER BOWL OF CARING" IN FEBRUARY, WHICH BENEFITS THE MIFFLIN AREA FOOD PANTRY. AS OF THIS NEWSLETTER, WE COLLECTED 82 CAN GOODS AND \$75.00!**



## The United Fellowship collecting used copies of "The Upper Room".

When you are finished with your copy, please return it to the church and put it in the box in the Narthex labeled "Upper Room". We will be sharing these with people in several different locations around the area.



# CONSISTORY CORNER



Thank you to everyone who brought food for our “souper” bowl social luncheon, it seemed like everyone enjoyed themselves. It was nice to gather once again in the social room. Thank you to everyone who helped the Mifflin Food Pantry this year by bringing in canned soup and money. We will be having Maundy Thursday service on April 6th. Missy will be putting together the “Lent Activity Pack” again this year so be sure to pick one up since we will not be having weekly Lenten services. The Lenten Pack is a great do-it-yourself kit. We are looking at having another social on March 19th. This one will be a brunch style covered dish social. We will have more details to follow.

The consistory is trying to come up with some fund raisers so if anyone has any ideas please let the consistory know. The consistory is doing their best to reduce and keep the cost of running the church at a minimum. Our bank account took a large hit last year when we had to fix the roof and have the mold remediation done and our portfolio is not performing like it has in the past. We have not hit our budget any time in the last three years and keep having to dip into our portfolio to make ends meet. Any suggestions or ideas in helping the Church with this matter will be greatly appreciated. The consistory meeting minutes and treasurer’s reports are both posted in the Narthex for everyone to see. We need to find a way to gain more income so we don’t deplete our savings. Until next month stay warm, be safe, count your blessings and praise God.

Daryl W Showalter, Consistory President



**If you were not able to pickup a “Lenten Activity Pack” and you would still like one, please email or call the church office to make arrangements. It’s not too late. (610) 777-3772 or [wymissingucc@verizon.net](mailto:wymissingucc@verizon.net)**

## SPRING AHEAD ON MARCH 12th!



*"Souper Bowl of Caring"*  
more pictures on page 5



## March Birthdays

- 3/1 Dennis Swartz
- 3/1 Jared Hill
- 3/2 Pamela Ulrich
- 3/2 Kimberly Hole
- 3/5 Timothy Reisch
- 3/5 Matthew Miller
- 3/6 Shirley Artz
- 3/7 Ken Hall
- 3/10 Diane Hall
- 3/11 Adam Ulrich
- 3/24 Steven Turner
- 3/25 Daniel Texter



## January Stewardship Report

Monthly Budgeted Income (\$132,800/yearly)	\$10,858.00
Monthly Budget Expenses (\$132,800/yearly)	\$10,858.00
ACTUAL Monthly Income January 2022	\$ 4,622.00
ACTUAL Monthly Expenses January 2022	\$ 7,285.90
ACTUAL Difference for January	\$ -2,663.90



## WYOMISSING UCC 'OPERATION GREEN' starting MARCH 1!



**Let's do our best to help the environment!**

Gather your old ink cartridges and drop them off at the church, there is a bin in the narthex and container at back door of church to safely drop off. The cartridges will be sent for recycling and the church will receive money back for each cartridge. The time is now to understand the importance and impact that recycling used ink cartridges can do. Not only is this helping to clean up the environment, this will also be helping to give back to the church.

### **UNITED FELLOWSHIP**

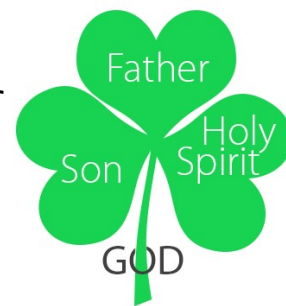
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Also, coming up this month is **Blanket Sunday, March 26**. There will be special envelopes in the bulletin this month. \$10 will buy one blanket for someone in need, any contribution would be appreciated. We will be collecting for the entire month of March.

Our meetings are the first Wednesday of the month at 10:00 am. Come join us. Everyone is welcome. After our meeting, we work on blankets, making gifts for Berks Heim, sorting Christmas gifts for Bethany and various other activities plus eat lunch together.

- Linda Turner, President



## PICTURES FROM THE "SOUPER BOWL OF CARING" SOCIAL!



It was a great time by all with an over abundance of soups, side dishes, desserts and smiles!



## *St. Patrick's Brunch Social*

*Join us as we celebrate St. Patrick's Day at Wyomissing UCC with a brunch after Worship on Sunday, March 19th.*

*Wear your green to church that day and come enjoy a great time with friends and food*

*If you are interested in bringing a covered dish, there is a signup sheet in the narthex or email/call the church office. It is not necessary to bring a covered dish to attend.*

*We hope to see you!*





# St. Patrick's Day Word Search



Search for the words hidden up, down, left and right.

C	K	X	K	W	L	D	C	S	H	F	U	D	D	N	T
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T	L	Z	A	Z	G	L	K	N	X	H	G	Y	X	U	Q
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CLOVER  
IRISH  
LUCK  
PATRICK

FAIRY  
JIG  
MARCH  
SEVENTEENTH

GREEN  
LEPRECHAUN  
MUSIC  
SHAMROCK



# KID'S CORNER



# March 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 "Operation Green" Focus Month Starts 	2	3	4
5 10:30 am Worship <b>COMMUNION</b>	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 10:30 am Worship/ <b>CONSISTORY MEETING AFTER WORSHIP</b>	13	14	15	16	17 	18
19 10:30 am Worship <b>ST. PATRICK'S BRUCH SOCIAL AFTER WORSHIP</b>	20 <b>Newsletter Articles or Information Due (April)</b>	21	22	23	24	25
26 10:30 am Worship <b>BLANKET SUNDAY</b>	27	28	29	30	31	