

Stewardship 2024 “I Can Do All Things ...” Today is the second Sunday of our 2023 Stewardship Campaign centered on the clearly understood, “I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.” This Sunday is devoted to FINANCIAL issues. You are asked to prayerfully consider what you can do to give your thanks for God’s power and love. Next Sunday, October 29 is our consecration Sunday luncheon when we celebrate our commitments.

Blood Drive: There will be a blood drive at Clinton United Methodist Church on **Thursday, October 26th** between 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Give Blood. Help save lives.

The Country Pantry: The Country Pantry will be collecting foods needed for the holidays; boxed stuffing, boxed potatoes, cranberry sauce, vegetables, canned yams, turkey, gravy, canned veggies or whatever you wish to donate. Monetary donations will be used for eggs, bread and cheese. Please mark the check as “holiday food”. Remember the 3rd Sunday is collection day at the church, **however**, feel free to donate anytime.

Hope House: has a special request for dinner plates and dry cereal. Please contact Ceil Gilbert (853-8289) if you have any questions.

The Fair Trade Shoppe: Get ready for Harvest Season! When the leaves start turning, so should your décor! Add some fun-themed accents to your table. Our festive leafy Double Vine Bread Warmer from Bangladesh will keep your baked goods oven fresh and ready to serve. Whitewashed terracotta stone is deeply incised with a nature-inspired design and sits within a handwoven kaisa grass basket with palm wrap. The ultimate in sustainable comfort, our remarkable Red Rethread Throw from India is made from recycled clothing, which is separated and spun by hand into new threads. The threads are then over-dyed and re-woven on jacquard looms to create a cozy, lightweight throw. These and many, many more uniquely handcrafted gift items from 38 countries can be found at our Fair Trade Shop, stone presbyterian church, 8 so. Park Row, Clinton.

Decorative Slates are available for a minimum of a \$10 donation in the Norton Room after worship and during the week from 9:30am to 11:30am on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Volunteers needed: St. Luke's & St. Elizabeth's Hospitals need spiritual care volunteers for patients and families under our care. If you have compassion for those who are sick or undergoing medical procedures, you will be a great asset for the hospital. As a volunteer, you can visit with patients and families, offering comfort through your presence, prayer and conversation. If you are interested in being part of a great team, please contact Rev. Becky Guthrie at 315-624-6218.



CALENDAR



Thursday – **10/26/23:**
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 Sunday – **10/29/23:**

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 All Day
 10:30 a.m.

Fair Trade Shoppe
Office Closed
Worship



Want to see what else is on the calendar? Go to our Web page – Stonepres.org & click on the “CALENDAR ICON”

Greeter & Host: Bev Miller

Prayer Chain: If you would like to add someone to our prayer list or would like to receive the prayer list for daily prayer, please go to our website www.stonepres.org and click on “Prayer Request”

Members/Friends of the Week:

Hal & Linda Rance
 Patty Kloidt
 Davod Kolb & Katrina Schell

Prayer Request:

Mike Brittan & Family
 Ralph Sherman
 Larry Beasley
 Grace & Frank Whittemore
 Erik Jones
 Emily Massi & Family
 Mary Chamberlain & Family
 Linda & Hal Rance
 The LaFont Family
 Patsy Glista & Family
 Trish Harris & Family
 Andrew Bering
 Louise Wrate
 Daniel Kolb and Family
 Sue Raitt



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 PUMPKIN PREACH?



FROM THE PULP-IT.

COFFEE AND JELLY BEANS