



# THANKS

TO THOSE ON THE FRONTLINE OF COVID-19

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or by calling **765-453-9490**.

## Spike in Covid19

Please help to keep everyone safe by avoiding in person visits to the office when at all possible.

Make use of calling or emailing the office, rather than in person visits.

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## Current Prayer Requests

Please pray that the men, women, and children in our shelters will find eternal hope and joy in the glorious resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Every holiday brings some measure of sadness to those who have lost their home and family. Pray that the men and women in our shelters will turn to Jesus Christ, who loves them intensely, died to pay the price for their sins and rose from the grave offering forgiveness, hope, and a new life in Him.



**UP Learning Center** is a resource center for children who do not have internet access, electricity, are homeless, etc.. The UP Learning Center is a place where students can keep up with their studies when schools go to virtual learning. The center also provides IT support, tutors, meals, and extra curricular classes which help provide a safe environment for students so that their parents can work. Thank you for your support. 1701 S. Locke, 46902

## **DECEMBER** Birthdays

- Johnny Rhum, Dec. 9
- Cassie Miller, Dec. 10
- Journey Hile, Dec. 10
- Jim Crew, Dec. 14
- Chrystal Ziliotto, Dec. 19
- Timothy Gatewood, Dec., 24



## **DECEMBER** Anniversaries

- Cassie & Jamie Miller, Dec. 9
- Peggy & Conrad Robertson, Dec. 21

## IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

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|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| <i>Susan Block</i>        | <i>Bea McMurtrey</i>     |
| <i>Mendy Boyle</i>        | <i>Dan Sheridan</i>      |
| <i>Erin Cottrell</i>      | <i>Alec Wessendorf</i>   |
| <i>Mary Gang</i>          | <i>Walt Wessendorf</i>   |
| <i>Terri Maskel-Nixon</i> | <i>Joella Wessendorf</i> |



## Need Yard Help?

To schedule an UP crew, Call: **765-252-9954**

to rake leaves, clean first floor gutters, & do general yard clean up.

The cost is the best donation you can give. The crews work on Mon., Wed., & Thurs. from 4-6 pm.

Kokomo Urban Outreach  
1701 S. Locke, Kokomo, 46902



## Help Keep Hope Alive

Would you send a few extra Holiday cards to let home-bound seniors know someone cares? Sign up at **Samaritan Caregivers** then make or buy cards, sign and mail. Call: 765-453-7611 to get involved.



## COVID-19 UPDATES

Monthly Meeting has decided to suspend in-person meet-

ings as a preemptive measure to ensure the safety of our members, staff, and visitors during the current uptick in COVID-19 cases. Our services will be available live and on demand via our Facebook Page and available live on Sunday mornings by calling (701) 802-5466 and using the access code 7436271 followed by the pound key. Committee Meetings are accessible using this same phone number.



## American Red Cross

December Blood Drive Dates:

**Dec. 17, 12-6 pm &**

**Dec. 29, 1-7pm**

Fellowship Hall

Appointments are required and can be made by calling

**1-800-733-2767**

Or visiting the website

**[www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)**

All donations will be tested for Covid19 antibodies. The results of your antibody test can be viewed on your Red Cross online account.

## December

**Dec. 20:** 10:30am Online Worship Service  
Fourth Sunday of Advent

**Dec. 22:** 6:30pm Administrative Committee

**Dec. 24:** Christmas Eve  
5:30 pm Online Service  
Office Closed

**Dec. 25:** Christmas Day  
Office Closed

**Dec. 27:** 10:30 am Online Worship Service

**Dec. 29:** 1-7pm American Red Cross Blood Drive

**Dec. 31:** New Year's Eve  
Office Closed



Please let Carrie in the office know if you would like to volunteer at the **2/23/21** Red Cross blood drive. Volunteers are needed.



## Red Ribbon Christmas at the KRM

If you would like to help deliver Red Ribbon Christmas boxes, the Howard Co. delivery date is **December 19th**. Register, then arrive at 8:00 AM at the Christmas Warehouse location (see below).

Volunteer drivers must register online prior to the event and wear a mask, social distance, and provide a copy of their driver's license to be allowed to deliver gift boxes. Call the KRM at (765) 456-3838 to register.

The Christmas Warehouse will be at the PPG building in Kokomo, located at 1500 E. Murden St., Kokomo.



## Quaker Haven

There's always something to do at camp. From picking up sticks to building picnic tables, they can always use the help. Contact the camp office to volunteer: 574-834-4193

### Wish List:

Lightweight white 6 or 8 foot folding tables

Tennis rackets and balls

Basketballs, Volley balls, Soccer balls

New sauce pans for kitchen

Stainless frying pans for lodges

### Events:

Men's Groundhog Retreat  
Jan. 29-30

Winter Sneak  
Feb. 5-7

