Announcements: 10-19-25 Manning

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, 10/24 6:00pm – The Source Worship Service and Bible Study

Sunday, 10/26 10:30am – Sunday Worship Service



If kindness finds you today... don't keep it. Pass it on. The more we share it, the more it grows.

FINANCES	Attendance (10-5-25)
Estimated Monthly Bills for October	\$ 8,900.00
Offering on October 5	\$ 2,607.00
Offering on October 12	\$ 1.465.00
Offering on October 19	\$
Offering on October 26	\$
2025 Apportionments: \$19,522.00. Amount paid to date: \$10,200.00	

Upcoming events and opportunities to help:

We are doing the city-wide Main Street trick or treating as usual. Donations of bags of candy to fill the treat bags would be appreciated. If you would like to help pass out treat bags on **October 31 at 4pm**, please contact Pastor Lori. It does not take very long.

Hanging of the Greens: There is a sign-up sheet for people who would like to read for Hanging of the Greens on November 30 the first Sunday of Advent.

Decorating for Hanging of the Greens: We will need to get the church ready for Hanging of the greens after church the Sunday before which would be November 23.

Nativity Displays: We are looking for nativities that we can display at our Advent Nativity Open House. Also, we will need to set up our Nativity display probably on the 23rd so we can open the church to the public in the afternoon from noon to four.

Also, we will have a sign-up sheet for people to bring cookies, or goodies and or apple cider for those Sundays—November 30, December 7, 14 and 21.

Thanks for your support!

<u>Soundboard Calendar:</u> There is soundboard sign-up calendar in the Fellowship Hall for workers to choose days they like to work the soundboard.

Opportunities to serve: We are once again putting out the call for help. Because of circumstances beyond our control, we are short of liturgists, communion servers, soundboard helpers, and board members. Most of these opportunities to serve require very little extra time or effort. Coaching is available. Board members only meet every

other month now for about an hour and a half. Most of this involves contributing to the discussion regarding decision making in the church and signing official paperwork for the Methodist church. If you are willing to help, please call the office at 655-3928 or call or contact Pastor Lori. (landline 653-3017 and cell 712-292-3374). She may also be emailed at jandlshannon198061@yahoo.com

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<u>Homeless Sleeping Mats:</u> Please do not donate any more plastic bags until further notice. **Our next loom meetings will be November 5 and November 19.** Thank you for your support! Hope to see you there!

IKM-Manning Food Pantry:

- The Baptist Church served 19 clients in September.
- * The Rotary Club will be sponsoring "Pack the Pantry" on October 15th starting at 8:30 am at Fareway in Carroll. We are very appreciative of this event each year as it helps to stock the shelves for many months! The cost to have a team or sponsor a team is \$250.00, or there is an opportunity to make a donation if desired. The National Honor Society is helping with the event by trying to recruit teams/sponsors. They will be available that day to help shop, load and unload food items. Thanks so much to both the Rotary Club and the National Honor Society for this worthwhile event.
- ❖ For those who volunteer on Tuesday evenings with client distributions: Clarification has been made with New Opportunities as follows: Clients are able to utilize both the Manning Food Pantry and New Opportunity Pantry; however they do need to have a TEFAP form completed at both sites and sign their yellow sheet each time they present for distribution.
- ❖ We are asking that each of the churches start putting a notice in their bulletins each month of the needed items at the pantry. We are critically low on many items. Even with events like Pack the Pantry, the shelves are depleted very quickly when serving 18-20 families each month.
- Food Items Needed: Hamburger Helper, juice, chicken noodle soup, tomato soup, creamed soup, mandarin oranges, chili beans, canned vegetables (corn, beans, peas, carrots), boxed cheese, tomato sauce, diced tomatoes, cereal, laundry soap, size 2 diapers
- Pantry schedule as follows: October Presbyterian Church, November Methodist
 Church, December Catholic Church, January Lutheran Church

The Birthday Song:

Birthday greetings today. May God Bless you, we pray. Live for Jesus dear_____ May He guide you always.