



Vilonia United Methodist Church

Making Disciples and Connecting People with Jesus

Around the Table

Pastor's Update

January 10, 2024

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VUMC Family,

One of United Methodist key theological stances is infant baptism. We hold dear to the fact that God's abundant grace is around us before we are even able to utter a word. Before we knew who God was, God already loved us. In confirmation the past few weeks, we have been teaching the Tweens what it means to be a United Methodist Christian. Their hard work and thoughtful questions have culminated in this Sunday.

Confirmation Sunday is a turning point moment for a Christian because it is the Sunday where they make the choice for themselves to be a part of the church. In some traditions children joining the church are only members nominally, but as United Methodists these children will become full-fledged members of the United Methodist Church in Vilonia AR. I hope that you will join us as we celebrate with these tweens as they're coming of age in the church and also come to acknowledge your own baptismal covenant to support these children and to see that support culminate in the growth of the church. As a part of our worship service this Sunday we not only will be confirming the tweens but also, we will be remembering our baptismal vows as Christians.

Peace,
Pastor Chad

Join us Sunday, January 14
for Confirmation Sunday



WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

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Join Pastor Chad for an upcoming January Luncheon Book Study.

The study will be on Wednesdays at 12:00 noon beginning January 17th in Room 101.

You are welcome to join us if you were unable to sign-up.



Join us for **Souper Supper** *& Bingo*



January 21st @ 5 pm

Contact Megan Johnson to sign up for a soup, side, dessert, or drink.

SPECIAL CHARGE CONFERENCE

A special Charge Conference has been set for Sunday, January 14, at 11 am in Room 101. The meeting is being held to approve the Pastor's salary/compensation form. All are invited to attend. All Church Leadership Board members should attend and are voting members.

**January and February
Food of the month is**

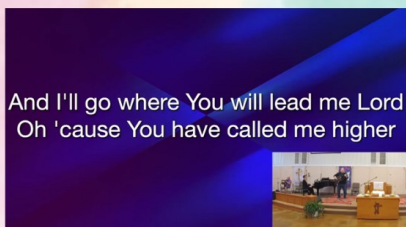
**CANNED
SOUP**

Let's help the Spirit of Vilonia Food
Pantry provide food for several families
by donating cans of soup this month.



Please let us know how you're doing and if you have a prayer request. Click this [Group Messaging Link](#) to share prayer requests and receive information.

**Missed Sunday
morning worship?**



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Vilonia UMC!**

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CALENDAR

- **Wednesday, January 10 @ 6 pm—Wednesdays at the Well Dinner**
 @ 6:30—7:30 pm—Classes for children, tweens, youth & adults
- **Confirmation Sunday, January 14 @ 9 am—Worship service (In-person and Online)**
 @ 10:15 am—Sunday School
 @ 11 am—Choir Practice
 @ 11 am—Charge Conference (Rm 101)
 @ 2:30 pm—Vilonia UWFaith Business Meeting (Rm 101)
- **Monday, January 15—Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Church Office Closed)**
- **Wednesday, January 17 @ 12 noon — Luncheon Book Study (Rm 101)**
 @ 6 pm—Wednesdays at the Well Dinner
 @ 6:30—7:30 pm—Classes for children, tweens, youth & adults
- **Sunday, January 21 @ 9 am—Worship service (In-person and Online)**
 @ 10:15 am—Sunday School
 @ 11 am—Choir Practice
 @ 11 am—Church Family Life—Meeting
 @ 5 pm—CFL Souper Supper and Bingo
- **Monday, January 22 @ 6:30 pm—Leadership Board Meeting (Rm 101) - All are welcome to attend.**
- **Wednesday, January 24 @ 12 noon—Luncheon Book Study (Rm 101)**
 @ 6 pm—Wednesdays at the Well Dinner
 @ 6:30—7:30 pm—Classes for children, tweens, youth & adults
- **Saturday, January 27 @ 9 am to 12 noon—Vilonia UMC Volunteer at Food Pantry**
- **Sunday, January 28 @ 9 am—Worship service (In-person and Online)**
 @ 10:15 am—Sunday School
 @ 11 am—Choir Practice
- **Wednesday, January 31 @ 12 noon—Luncheon Book Study (Rm 101)**
 @ 6 pm—Wednesdays at the Well Dinner
 @ 6:30—7:30 pm—Classes for children, tweens, youth & adults

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