



Vilonia United Methodist Church

Making Disciples and Connecting People with Jesus

Around the Table

Pastor's Update

January 3, 2024

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VUMC Family,

Beginnings, a new year means opportunities. This January, I have decided to start a Bible in a Year reading group. I did this for many reasons but one of the most important to me was that I have felt the need to read the Bible as if it were the first time again. For my coursework at Hendrix and then Garrett I read the Bible daily, but that was to find something to preach or to study, but I haven't spent much time lately reading the Bible to let it impact me. Maybe you want to join me or maybe the year-long project of reading the Bible isn't your style.

What I would like to encourage though, is that as you enter into this new year, find something that will better your relationship with God that maybe you haven't done before, or like me, haven't done in a long time. I say this not to increase how busy you are, but to offer a place of rest in God. Where is God calling you into sabbath with the Divine.

Peace,
Chad

*A Year in the
Bible with
Pastor Chad*

Email Pastor Chad for the
Reading List .

Each week there will be a
short reflection on the
Scriptures posted to
Facebook and Youtube



Join us Sunday, January 14
for Confirmation Sunday



**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.



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.

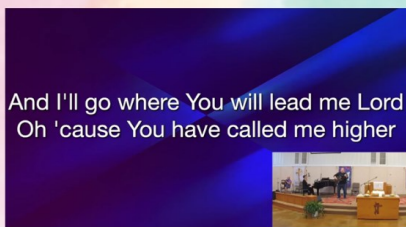
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Join Pastor Chad for an upcoming January Luncheon Book Study. The study will be on Wednesdays at 12:00 noon beginning January 10th in Room 101. You are welcome to join us if you were unable to sign-up.



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 3—No Wednesdays at the Well Dinner or Classes
- Sunday, January 7 @ 9 am—Worship service (In-person and Online)
@ 10:15 am—Sunday School
@ 11 am—Choir Practice
- Wednesday, January 10 @ 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
- 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
@ 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
@ 5 pm—CFL Souper Supper and Bingo
- 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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