

CHURCH FINANCES as of May, 2022

April Income \$29,683.62
April Expenses \$24,531.45
Month Ending 5,152.17

May Income \$26,973.08
May Expenses \$25,627.43
Month Ending 1, 345.65

For the month of **May**, we are at a positive **\$1, 345.65**

Year to Date we are at a **positive \$1,098.78**



SALVATION ARMY DIRECT NUMBER - 724-331-7832. If you know of anyone in need of our services please do not hesitate to call.



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Rev. Bruce R. Judy, Pastor - 724-747-6098 (call or text)

Dianne Runser - Music Ministries

Ronald Slavin - Youth Ministries

Laura Willby - Contemporary Music Coordinator

June 19, 2022

Father's Day

Memory Verse - Ephesians 6:11

"Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devils schemes."

GATHERING & WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

MOMENTS OF INFORMALITY

THE MISSION AND MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

THE WORK OF THE CHURCH

MUSIC OF PREPARATION

"Father's Day Tribute"

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 22:19-23

L: But you, Lord, do not be far from me.

P: You are my strength; come quickly to help me.

L: Deliver me from the sword,

P: my precious life from the power of the dogs.

L: Rescue me from the mouth of the lions;

P: save me from the horns of the wild oxen.

L: I will declare your name to my people;

P: in the assembly I will praise you.

All: Amen.

***HYMN No. 710 (vs. 1 and 3) "Faith of Our Fathers"**

CHILDREN'S CHAT

CHILDREN'S OFFERING

The Children's Offering will be going to Vacation Bible School for the month of June.

RECOGNITION OF FATHERS

SPECIAL MUSIC "Be Thou My Vision"- Hannah Platt

WORD OF GOD Galatians 3:23-29

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERING

***OFFERTORY "Prayer"**

***DOXOLOGY No. 95**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKS**

***HYMN No. 2025 "As the Deer"**

JOYS AND CONCERNS

For our joys we say: "Praise the Lord"
For our concerns we say: "Lord hear our prayers"

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. AMEN

***GOSPEL READING John 8:26-39**

SERMON "What has God done for You?"

***HYMN No. 3101 "Love Lifted Me"**

***BENEDICTION**

***MUSIC OF PARTING "Recessional"**



Altar Flowers The flowers on the altar are in honor of all of the father's today, on Father's Day.

A small illustration of a floral arrangement with various flowers and greenery.

ASSISTING WITH TODAY'S SERVICE

Worship Host - 8:15 a.m. John Simpson 10:45 a.m. Sophia Platt
Music Leader - David Lyons

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK AT FUMC

Saturday Evening - 18
Sunday - 8:15 a.m. - 48 10:45 a.m. - 51
Facebook, YouTube, Zoom - 21

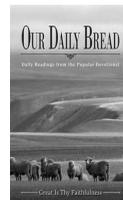
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wendell's Vision Ministry 2022

We have been busy with requests this Winter leading into Spring...Did you get your request form filled out and dropped off at the church office?? We are still waiting to receive your request (s) from that "To Do List" of yours. After all, Spring is officially here now!!! If you haven't remembered to pick a request form up, you can do so in the June Coons Ministry Outreach Center at the *Wendell's Vision Ministry Station* or go online to the church website and print it out. We are continuing to pray for you in anticipation of the request. Let's work together to fulfill your wishes. No request is too small; however, some may not be possible for various reasons. We can find out...but we need to hear from you first. Remember you must be a regular attendee of the Saturday or Sunday worship services of Irwin First United Methodist Church to qualify. Check out the church website for the latest photos of the "Before & After" recently posted. All of our volunteers are waiting to get the email or call about how they can be **assisting you**. If you want to join them in the quest to help others and continue this blessed ministry, be sure to fill out a volunteer form.

Coordinators, Patty & Jack Osterman

THE DAILY BREAD - The new issue of the devotional, "The Daily Bread" is now available for June, July and August. They can be found in the book rack in the June Coons' room. Please take enough for your family, friends and coworkers. The cost is free. Yes, free! Enjoy!



Grief Support Group

- If there is anyone willing, we opened up a Grief Support Group started June 1st running every other week. Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.
- If you are familiar with facilitating and/or would like to get involved with this group, please reach out to Pastor Bruce.



THANK YOU

To the Trustees who gave of their time and talents to do some much needed maintenance at the parsonage. They also replaced the old shed with a new one that comfortably holds all the outdoor equipment (mowers, rake, wet/dry vac, etc.). I would list all of your names, but I'm sure to forget someone; besides you know who you are! "Well In Jesus' Love, we thank you, Pastor Bruce and Bonnie.

Fundraising Committee in the making!

We are looking for potential candidates who would be eager to join us and help form a fundraising committee. If you are interested in being apart of the team and brainstorming ideas to support our Church and **our desperate need for a new roof replacement**, please reach out to the Church office 724-863-6858, Pastor Bruce Judy or Ron Slavin 724-691-7113



BLESSING BOX - We stock our Blessing Box with toiletry items for those who are in need of them in our community. The need at this time is very great and we hope you can help. If you have donations of new items such as tooth paste and tooth brushes, shampoo and conditioner, bath soap, deodorant or any personal hygiene items, please bring them to the church when you come for Saturday or Sunday services. Please be sure that all items are new and in their original packaging. If you have any questions about the Blessing Box, please contact Pastor Bruce or Ron. Additional Blessings Boxes are located in Irwin at the First Assembly of God Church on Oak Street (canned goods) and at the Cheesecake Café on Main Street (books.)

Anybody Welcome

The Sanctuary is open and available for prayer and meditation.

Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Please sign in and out on the volunteer sheet found on the office half door.



Find out about all the many camps our conference offers! You may also go online for information and register online now! **Camp Allegheny** - www.campallegheny.org; **Jumonville** - www.jumonville.org; **Wesley Woods** - www.wesleywoods.com. There are camps for children, youth and adults. Our church pays 30% of the cost to church members and persons attending our church. Plus there are scholarships available through the camps. Contact Debbie Weaver (724-863-4236) with any questions you may have.



Remember our **CLEAN CLOSETS FOR CAMPERS** project. There are blue bins outside our church. They accept clothing, belts, purses, curtains, etc. Mission Partners will pick up our items and send the church a check used for camperships. Thank you for your help! If you have questions, contact Debbie Weaver 724-863-4236.

Safe Sanctuary Training

When: June 20th at 6:00 p.m.

Where: Here at Irwin First Church

Contact the church office to get added to the sign up sheet

724 863 6858 or email to be added to the list at alysa.bazala@irwinfirstumc.org



Members

If anyone is on a limited and or fixed income and is in need of help with gas getting to and from work, please reach out to Pastor Bruce or the church office so we can help with giving a gas gift card. Church office number 724-863-6858.

Volunteers needed for the Safety Team

Contact Ron Slavin for information.
Cell-724-691-7113.



Vacation Bible School

2022 Vacation Bible School "Rocky Railway" will take place from July 18 - 22 from 6:30pm - 8:30pm! We look forward to seeing your children from ages 3 - 6th grade. Climb aboard for mountains of fun at Rocky Railway! On this faith-filled adventure, kids discover that trusting Jesus pulls them through life's ups and downs. VBS is a great way to bring children closer to God and learn more about their faith. For more information, visit <https://www.irwinfirstumc.org/vbs-2022https://forms.office.com/r/GphvvGiJSc> Thank you all for your continued support of the FUMC Vacation Bible School. If you have any questions or to volunteer you may contact Becky Platt at VBS@irwinfirstumc.org
We hope to see you there!

News from the Stitch In Faith Prayer Quilt Ministry and Hands to Work, Hearts to God Prayer Shawl Ministry!

Yes we have noticed our supply of Prayer Quilts and Prayer Shawls have dwindled. And we have been diligently preparing, quilting, sewing, tying prayer knots, crocheting and praying over each one we have sewn and crocheted. We thank all the ladies who have given of their time, talents, fabric and yarn to create beautiful prayer quilts and prayer shawls to share with those who may need these lovingly made items with God's Love wrapped in each one.

On Saturday/Sunday, June 25th + 26th there will be dedications of the Prayer Quilts and Prayer Shawls and Blankets. We also need your help in making sure individuals needing a Prayer Quilt or Prayer Shawl receive one. If you know of someone who may need one, please take one to them or let one of the Pastors or ladies know (Ministry stitchers are: Mary Reed, Bernie Johnston, Georganne Morgan, Pat Osterman, Debbie Yarlet, Amy Baronie, and/or Cindi Painter). Each Prayer Quilt and Prayer Shawl comes with a Prayer Card- printed on the front will be the size. Inside is a prayer, back includes the possible meaning of the colors. **New** for each item is an attached laundry care card- the best way to machine wash should be cold water, gentle with mild soap. Machine drying should be gentle and low heat.

We Thank You for all your prayers for these two ministries!
May God Bless You!

THIS WEEK AT IRWIN FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Feel free to contact Pastor Bruce at any time if you are in need of pastoral care.

His contact information is as follows: 724-747-6098 (call or text) -
preacherptl@gmail.com

Joyce will be on vacation June 22-24 if anyone needs anything from her please get a hold of her prior to those dates. She will be back in the office Monday June 27, 2022.

Sunday, June 19 - Father's Day

8:15 a.m. - Worship Service

10:45 a.m. - Worship Service

Monday, June 20

6:00 p.m. - Safe Sanctuary Training

Have a Great Week!

Tuesday, June 21 - Bob Evans

9:00 a.m. - Quilting

7:30 p.m. - NA

Wednesday, June 22

9:30 a.m. - Salvation Army

10:00 a.m. - Zoom Prayer Group Meeting

Zoom Meeting ID#: 311 4389 930, Password: 3U22u3

7:00 p.m. - AA

Thursday, June 23 - Bob Evans

6:00 p.m. - Basketball Camp

6:30 p.m. - NA

7:00 p.m. - Senior Board Meeting

Friday, June 24 - Office Closed

6:00 p.m. Community Dinner

Have a Great Weekend!

Saturday, June 25

6:00 p.m. - Contemporary Service

Sunday, June 26

8:15 a.m. - Worship Service

10:45 a.m. - Worship Service

HOSPITAL CALLS AND VISITS - If you or someone you know is in the hospital or would like a visit from Pastor Bruce, please call the office or you may call/message Pastor Bruce directly at 724-747-6098. *Remember, Pastor Bruce cannot provide care to our congregation if he does not know there is a need.*



IN PERSONAL CARE AND REHABILITATION FACILITIES

Elaine M. - William Penn Care Center Wanda H. - Walden View; Mary Greene & James R., Sr. - St. Anne's Home, Greensburg; Altozoe S. - Hempfield Manor.

CONTINUOUS PRAYER

Jamie, Peg and Lamont, Pat C., Diane B., Marlene W, Al M, Jennifer H, Lilly, Ronnie L., Gary E., Molly A, Stephanie L., Bonnie T., Mary and Dan G., Maria B., Ed B., Jonathan and Felicia W., Bob and Judie M., Dorothy A., Patti W., Josh A., Vicki L., Donna W., Vi N., Sandy L., Linda K., Larry R., Jule K., Mark L., Brent L., Kurt W. & Family, Cheryl and John M., Tim and Diane N., Rick H., Marlin A. and Nancy P., Joe S., Joe L., Virginia, Jennifer N., Curt E., Valerie M., Patty H., Jeff M., Donna H., John B., Dean and Dorothy, Rose N., Sara C., Fred and Barb S., Mischa and Suzanne S., Diane B., John G., Noah C., Craig C., Red, Dawn, Amy P., Chuck K., Pat M., Jane I., Ashley, Stu S., Shawn S., Christa L., Rhonda, Beverly and Tom D., Laura, Stephanie S., Dave W., Kim V., Dorothy A., Paul and Iva Lou B., Jackie S., Lesley K., Debbie N., Cliff R., Penny and Jerry M., Ron M., Father John Moineau, Shirley B., Brandon G. and **Missionaries:** Bob & Natalie F. and Family (India), John and Diane K. (Mexico) and Connie Wieck.

THIS MONTH'S PRAYER LIST

We will change the prayer list the first Sunday of each month. Please contact the church office with names for the list.

Bobbie S., Heather and Matt D., Kathy H., Kathy U., Julie S, Tom and Peggy R, Diane and Jim H, Bob and Connie C, Bob W, Niel and Alma, our world, Military and First Responders, our Country and Leaders, job situations and those traveling.

MILITARY PERSONNEL

Tanner G., Tim N., Brandon D., Colby S., Angelo W., Nicholas P., David J., Amanda M., James G., Emery M., Makayla L., Mark Russak, Sara D., Jeremy L., Carl B., Dylan A., Thomas C. and Edward J. III.

Praise the Lord!