#### **SEPTEMBER 30, 2018**

## Welcome to UALC! We're glad you're here.

We invite you to take this home as a prayer guide. Please stop by the Connect Center in the lobby if you have any questions or want to learn more about our church.

Additional information and announcements can be found in *The Cornerstone*, available from ushers, or online at ualc.org/announcements.

## Join Us As We Pray For:

#### **Our Heart**

**Read John 20:19-21:** God is a "missionary." God who is in the business of seeking and searching for those who are lost. And He has engaged the likes of us whom He has rescued to join Him in the task. By His grace and through His empowering, He sends us to the world in the same manner He sent His Son. What a privilege!

## Our People

In the hospital: Andy Bell, Larry Huddleston

Home from the hospital or in short-term care: Joe Loscocco

Our members with ongoing health needs: Gary Osborn, Linda Paparodis, Dave Perdue, PJ

Petersen, Alea Ramsey, Tom Seipel, Boyer Simcox, Fritz Smith, Don Sternisha, Burt Szalay, Lisa Vroom, Linda Witwer

**Weddings:** Matthew Hollub/Holly Walton (7/7), Christopher King/Kaitlin Baker (7/20), Alex Shriber/Catherine Scurria (8/11), Jeremy Sandusky/Valerie Schreiber (8/18), Suraj Prakash/Rachel Walton, (9/1), Garrett Griffin/Olivia Hickman (9/8)

## Our World

Mission Sunday, September 30: We thank You, Lord, that You have chosen to use us to further Your mission to reach the world for Christ. Help us to be faithful to love as You love and to proclaim Christ as Lord and Savior.

## Announcement Updates:

## Congregational Meeting - Today, 12:00-3:00 pm, Mill Run

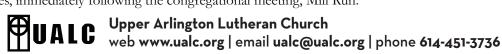
Join us at the congregational meeting to approve the 2019 budget, extension of pastoral calls, and the Hilltop property transfer. A light lunch will be served, and childcare is available.

## Wedding Coordinators Needed

The UALC wedding team is looking for coordinators to help walk alongside the couple as they navigate their plans, showing them Jesus all along the way. Contact Tori Short, tshort@ualc.org.

## Mission Sunday Information

Visit our mission partners in the lobby this morning for more information and come hear David and Jul Stone, long-time international partners, share how the love of God is communicated in very different cultures, immediately following the congregational meeting, Mill Run.



## Mission Sunday - Domestic and student missions supported by Upper Arlington Lutheran Church

#### 168 Film

A "mission to Hollywood" with the intent to help disciple filmmakers through training and competitions. Filmmakers in the worldwide competition have 168 hours to create an original short film based on a Bible verse. 168 Film challenges artists and audiences to explore Scripture's relevance for today.

#### Athletes in Action - Carl Schweisthal and Rick and Karen Rogers

Vision: We dream of a day when there are Christ followers on every team, in every sport, in every nation. Mission: Building spiritual movements everywhere through the platform of sports so that everyone knows someone who truly follows Jesus.

#### Charlotte Eagles - Josh Wood

Working with underprivileged youth, coaching and sharing the Gospel through the sport of soccer.

## Cru (Campus Crusade) Central Michigan and Saginaw Valley State-Jacob Wershing

Cru is an interdenominational Christian parachurch organization for college and university students.

#### H2O - Mike Malone at OSU, Rachel and Kyle Metz at Indiana University

Turning students into fully devoted disciples of Jesus Christ. Mike serves at OSU. Rachel and Kyle, after many years of growing and serving with H2O Church at The Ohio State University, are serving with a core team to plant an H2O Church at Indiana University.

### InterVarsity Christian Fellowship - Bob Trube, Howard Van Cleve

Graduate students and faculty working together for spiritual development, academic excellence and Christian witness. Bob leads an InterVarsity team working with graduate students and faculty at 14 campuses in and around Ohio. Howard reaches out to faculty at OSU.

## Young Life - Chris Ramsey, Julia Betley Wiseman, Olivia Horner

Young Life seeks to build relationships with students in Middle School, High School and College with the hope of sharing the Gospel and helping them grow in their faith. Chris focuses on youth in Bexley, Grandview, Upper Arlington and Whitehall Communities. Julia Betley Wiseman works with teen moms by entering their world, modeling the unconditional love of Christ, and encouraging them to become the women and mothers God created them to be. Olivia Serves the youth in the city of Pittsburgh.

## Frontiers - Maggie A

Working for Frontiers from the United States, Maggie coordinates a mentoring program for Third Culture Kids (TCK) that live all around the world by connecting them with mentors inside the United States. TCK are children of parents who serve and live long-term in other cultures.

## Helping Appalachian Rural People (H.A.R.P.) Mission

Based in southeastern Ohio, this evangelical Christian organization helps reestablish victims of natural disasters, poverty, and domestic violence/child abuse. Our mission is to transform the spiritual and physical lives of people in need. UALC's support of HARP includes mission trips focusing on construction, prayer visits and the distribution of Christmas gifts and stockings.

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#### Kairos Prison Ministry

An ecumenical Christian ministry building strong Christian communities in state and federal prisons. Lives are forever changed through the power of Christ.

### Kairos Torch Prison Ministry

Volunteers mentor youth in prison, so they can begin to make better life choices. Young lives are given new hope through the power of Jesus.

#### Kindway Prison Ministry

A prisoner re-entry ministry meeting an individual's needs with dignity while embracing Christian values. This discipleship program begins twelve months prior to the scheduled release date and continues well after as life is re-established in society.

#### Lower Lights Christian Health Center

Ministering the love of Christ as a full service medical home, focused on whole person wellness, available to all in Central Ohio who need it regardless of ability to pay.

#### The Navigators - Church Partners-Bill Mowry

Providing resources and personalized coaching to pastors, leaders and churches to help them grow intentional and relational disciple making cultures.

## The Refuge

A 13-month Christian residential rehab for drug and alcohol addiction for men and women ages 18 and older. There is absolutely no cost to participate.

## ReNew Partnerships - Chad Brennan

A Christian non-profit that advances the gospel by empowering Christian leaders to overcome racial/ethnic divisions in their lives and organizations. Bible-based assessment and training resources are provided for churches, colleges and ministries across the United States.

## Serving Our Neighbors (SON) Ministries

Overcoming poverty one child, one family at a time. Serving God by radically loving our local neighbors - children and families facing suburban poverty - who are originally from America and around the world with food, education and a connection to relationships and resources.

#### The Gideons

An association of Christian business and professional men and their wives who are members of Protestant/evangelical churches dedicated to saving the lost through personal witnessing and the distribution of God's Word in over 200 countries around the world, and specifically in Northwest Franklin County.

## God's Hygiene Help Center

Helping people in need and living in poverty to live more dignified and comfortable lives by providing hygiene products, cleaning supplies, school supplies and winter accessories in the name of Jesus Christ.

## How can you get involved? Please consider volunteering or making con-

tributions to our Mission Partners. Watch for

to donate hats, gloves, scarves, food and toys for Christmas stockings and Christmas stores.

details about the Season for Giving opportunities