



The Wellspring

SAVOY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

February 2026



Friday, Feb. 6, 5:30pm - Saturday, Feb. 7, 6:00am
Downtown Champaign

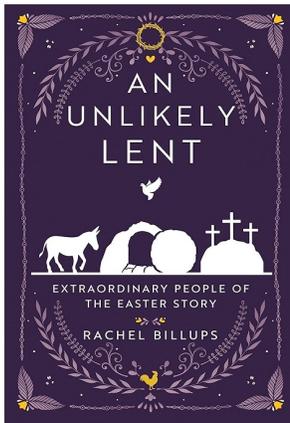
Thank you for ministering to our homeless brothers and sisters.
<https://p2p.onecause.com/own2026/team/isaac-savoy-umc-team>

Sponsor One Winter Night challenge!

Isaac and Jungil are joining Team Savoy UMC to raise funds for the One Winter Night challenge. To support Team Savoy UMC, please write checks to Savoy UMC and note "One Winter Night" on the memo line.



The war is on!! Men vs. Women! Bring your pennies and put them in your opponent's jar. All other coins, bills, etc. go in your jar. Proceeds will be used for the Easter Meal Baskets. Questions?? Ask Dave or Dawn Rear.



COMING SOON - LENTEN DEVOTIONAL - "AN UNLIKELY LENT"

The crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus are at the heart of the story of Easter. But the resurrection was not witnessed in isolation; it unfolded before a crowd. What might the stories of those women and men teach us today? How will they help us step into the story of Easter? Here, we can see what has been overlooked, not just in the grand moments but in the in-between: the silence, the side characters, and the questions. Gain new insight from the crowd on the themes of: Devotion, Opposition, Freedom, Courage, Companionship, Alliances.

By seeing the Easter story through their eyes, we may discover that the resurrection is not just a past event, but an invitation into something new, unexpected, and unlikely. Walk through this season with eyes wide open, ready to see where God is moving, even in the margins. Since the cross is not the end of the story, embrace every unlikely moment along the way.

Annual Pancake Breakfast

The Mission Team will be serving their Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, Feb 14 from 8-11am at the church. Proceeds will go toward our Easter Meal Baskets.

There are many ways you can volunteer. Check out the sign-ups sheets in the church entryway.

Be sure to invite your family, friends and neighbors to join us for some good food and fellowship!





FOOD PANTRY

It is time to sign up for Easter meal baskets! Call the church office to reserve a basket.



We will also have a sign-up sheet at the February 3 food distribution at church 3:30-5pm.

On January 6 there were 23 families who were blessed with food from your pantry. Thank you for your generosity to our community! For a list of dates check out the bulletin board in the hallway.

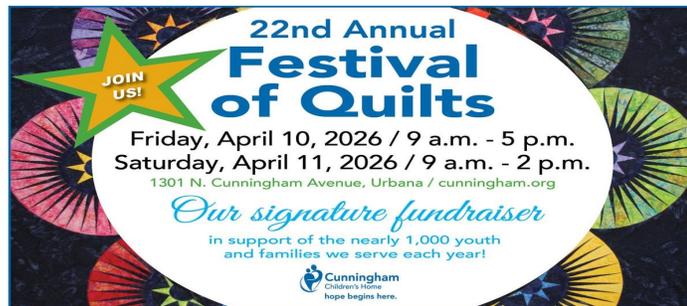


United Women in Faith

United Women in Faith will meet on Wednesday, February 11 at 9:00 am. Hostesses will be the officers. Our program will be the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial which has a voluntary one-time offering. If you want to donate please bring your offering to this meeting. We will be signing up for monthly hostesses so please bring your calendars. Any suggestions or ideas for programs this year are welcome. We're looking forward to being together again.



Life Line Screening will be at Savoy United Methodist Church on Thursday, February 12 and are offering a special screening package price. Learn more and schedule your appointment by calling **1-800-324-9458**, **texting** the word **circle** to **216-279-1607** or visit Life Line Screening's website at **LLSA.SOCIAL/HABC**.

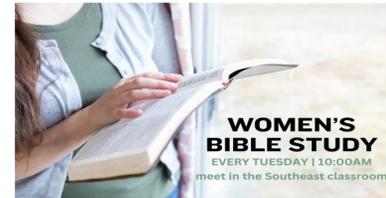


To all of you quilters and crafters – the 22nd Festival of Quilts at Cunningham Children's Home is coming soon – April 10-11. There is a quilt show and a quilt auction. Handmade crafts are featured in the gift shop. Not a crafter? Maybe you could support the bake sale. Popular items are cookies, pies, mini-pies, cinnamon rolls, quick bread mini loaves, but no nuts or nut products can be used. Questions? Ask a member of Methodist Women. Savoy's United Women in Faith are planning a bake sale on March 29 to support the Festival of Quilts. Tickets to the event will be available for purchase.

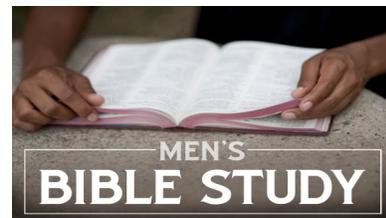


Tuesday Bible Study

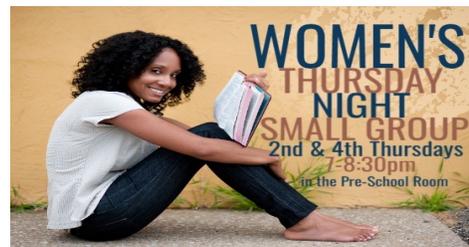
Every Tuesday at 9:30 am in the Crossroads Classroom. Anyone interested is welcome and encouraged to attend!



The group is taking a break and will not be meeting during February. Contact person is Rose Redmon.



Wednesdays at 7:30 am at the Original Pancake House.



Chick Chat



Thursday mornings at 9:00. Contact Cindy Cook with questions 217-841-0420.





SEND A CARD OR NOTE

If you'd like to send a card or note to Jessa Gaines or Jeff Redmon their addresses are -
Garfield Park Hospital / Attn: Jessa Gaines / 520 N Ridgeway Ave / Chicago IL 60624

Jeff Redmon / 2016 S George Huff Dr / Urbana IL 61801

SCOUT SUNDAY

Join us for worship on Sunday, Feb 8. Youth from Troops 101 and 2119 will be taking part in the service. Come and support our scout youth!



SCOUT SUNDAY — FEB 8 — 9:30 AM



EASTER MEALS

Plans are underway by the Mission Team for putting together Easter Meals again this year for those needing food assistance. Baskets will be

distributed on Saturday, March 28. If you'd like to volunteer or have questions contact Crystal Dillavou or the church office.

PRAYER TEAM

Our church has some very special Prayer Warriors who meet twice a month to pray for you, your family, your friends and for strangers.



The Prayer Team needs your help in keeping their list of your prayer requests current. If you have asked for prayers over the last year, they would appreciate an update on the status of your request - does the person need continued prayers, prayers have been answered, they can be removed from the list, etc. You may do so by making a note on a Connection Card on Sunday mornings, contacting a member of the Prayer Team (see below) or leaving a message with the church office. If a prayer request has been on the list for over 6 months and there is no response as to the status of that request it will be removed from the list. That does not, in any way, mean it cannot be added again... the prayer team just needs to know. Thank you!
Prayer Team Members: Cindy Cook, John Hancock, Don Maase, Amy Markstahler, Pastor Rhee.

CUNNINGHAM CHILDREN'S HOME TOUR

Join our Mission Team on a tour of Cunningham's buildings and grounds on Saturday, Feb 28. Anyone interested needs to meet at Cunningham in Urbana at 10:00 am.



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Adult Sunday School meets in the Crossroads classroom from 11am - 12pm on the first, third and fourth Sundays. They are currently doing a video/discussion series with Tim Tebow titled "This Is the Day". Following that they will be studying video/discussion series with JD Greear called "Easter".



COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND DATES

- * S/PPRC - First Tuesday of the month at 6pm
- * Trustees - First Wednesday of the month at 5:30pm
- * Worship Team - Second Sunday of the month at 10:45am.
- * Stewardship/Finance - Second Thursday of the month at 6pm
- * Ad Council - Third Thursday of the month at 6pm
- * Prayer Team - First and Third Tuesdays of the month at 11:30am
- * Mission Team - Tues prior to Ad Council mtg at 5:45pm



CHURCH CALENDAR - FEBRUARY

SUNDAY, FEB 1 - PENNY WARS

9:30am Worship
10:45am Adult Sunday School

MONDAY, FEB 2

10:00am Parkinson's Group

TUESDAY, FEB 3

9:30am Tues AM Bible Study
11:30am Prayer Team
2:30pm Prep for Food Pantry Distribution
3:30pm Food Pantry Distribution
6:00pm S/PPRC Mtg
7:00pm Al-Anon

WEDNESDAY, FEB 4

7:30am Men's Bible Study (Original Pancake House)
5:30pm Trustee Mtg
6:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal

THURSDAY, FEB 5

9:00am Chick Chat
7:00pm Scouts

FRIDAY, FEB 6

9:00am Cleaning Crew

SATURDAY, FEB 7

7:30am Journey Men
9:00am Quilters

SUNDAY, FEB 8 - SCOUT SUNDAY

9:30am Worship

MONDAY, FEB 9

10:00am Parkinson's Group
7:00pm Troop 101 Committee Mtg

TUESDAY, FEB 10

9:30am Tues AM Bible Study
7:00pm Al-Anon

WEDNESDAY, FEB 11

7:30am Men's Bible Study (Original Pancake House)
9:00am United Women in Faith
6:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal

THURSDAY, FEB 12 - LIFE LINE SCREENING

9:00am Chick Chat
6:00pm Stewardship/Finance Mtg
6:00pm Troop 2119
7:00pm Women's Thurs Night Small Group
7:00pm Scouts

FRIDAY, FEB 13

9:00am Cleaning Crew
pm Troop 2119 Overnight Lock-In

SATURDAY, FEB 14 - VALENTINE'S DAY

8-11am PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, FEB 15

9:30am Worship
10:45am Adult Sunday School

MONDAY, FEB 16 - PRESIDENT'S DAY

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

10:00am Parkinson's Group

TUESDAY, FEB 17

9:30am Tues AM Bible Study
11:30am Prayer Team
7:00pm Al-Anon

WEDNESDAY, FEB 18 - ASH WEDNESDAY

7:30am Men's Bible Study (Original Pancake House)
12:00pm Ash Wednesday service
6:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal

THURSDAY, FEB 19

9:00am Chick Chat
6:00pm Ad Council Mtg
7:00pm Scouts

FRIDAY, FEB 20

DEADLINE FOR MARCH NEWSLETTER

9:00am Cleaning Crew

SATURDAY, FEB 21

7:30am Journey Men
9:00am Quilters

SUNDAY, FEB 22

9:30am Worship
10:45am Adult Sunday School

MONDAY, FEB 23

10:00am Parkinson's Group

TUESDAY, FEB 24

9:30am Tues AM Bible Study
7:00pm Al-Anon

WEDNESDAY, FEB 25

7:30am Men's Bible Study (Original Pancake House)
6:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal

THURSDAY, FEB 26

9:00am Chick Chat
7:00pm Women's Thurs Night Small Group
7:00pm Scouts

FRIDAY, FEB 27

9:00am Cleaning Crew
pm Troop 101 Overnight Lock-In

