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THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AT MOUNT TABOR

NEWSLETTER—OCTOBER 2021

UMC at Mount Tabor

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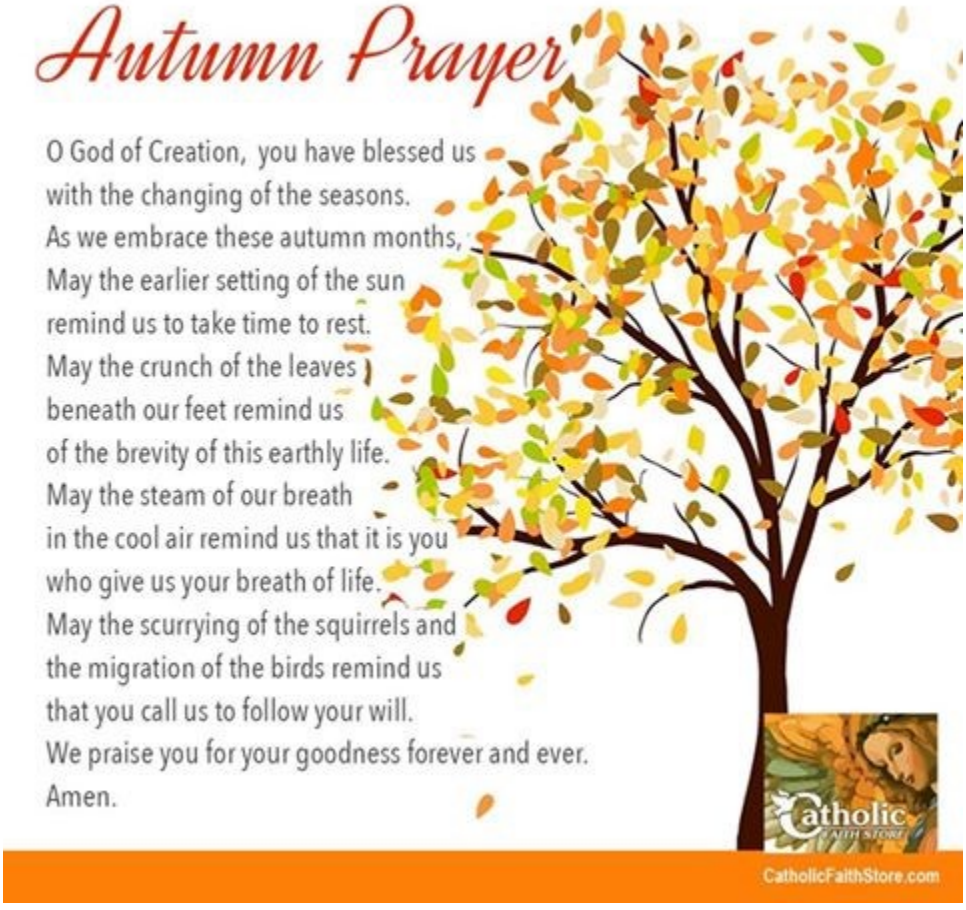
PLEASE SUPPORT THE INTERFAITH FOOD PANTRY WITH YOUR NON-PERISHABLE DONATION!

Our next Food Pantry Sunday is October 31st.

WORSHIP INFORMATION

We are back to in-person worshipping! Please join us each Sunday at 11:00am. We will continue to post on Face-book Live and YouTube for those who choose to worship from home. Stay safe, stay connected with the Church Family, in-person or virtually, and pray for the day we can all be together without concern.

WORSHIP WITH US!



October 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Office Hours 10a-3p Tabor's Treasures 10a-2p	**2** Tabor's Treasures 9a-1p
3 **Sunday School 10:15a** **Worship 11a**	**4** Office Hours 10a-3p	**5** Tabor's Treasures 10a-2p	**6** Office Hours 10a-3p Tabor's Treasures 10a-2p	**7** Tabor's Treasures 4p-8p	**8** Office Hours 10a-3p Tabor's Treasures 10-2p **Outdoor Movie Night 7p**	**9** Tabor's Treasures 9a-1p **Disciple Fastrack 4p**
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ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATIONS

There are open dates available for altar flower dedications. If you'd like to honor or memorialize a loved one, please consider sponsoring the altar flower. The cost is $30.00 and a dedication will be printed in the bulletin (and you can take the flowers home after the worship service!). Please contact the church office if you are interested.

OUTDOOR COMMUNITY MOVIE NIGHTS!

Join us for Outdoor Community Movie Nights every 2nd Friday each month beginning Oct 9th at 7pm. Bring food donations for the Interfaith Food Pantry. Bring blankets and/or chairs. Dress accordingly.

Times will be adjusted for weather and daylight savings time throughout the year.

Volunteers welcome!

Snacks and water may be available and donations are also welcome.

As we remembered the 20th Anniversary of 9-11, Jeff Dickerson put up this wooden “Towers”.

The quote is from 2 Corinthians 13:11:

“Aim for restoration.

Comfort one another.

Live in peace.

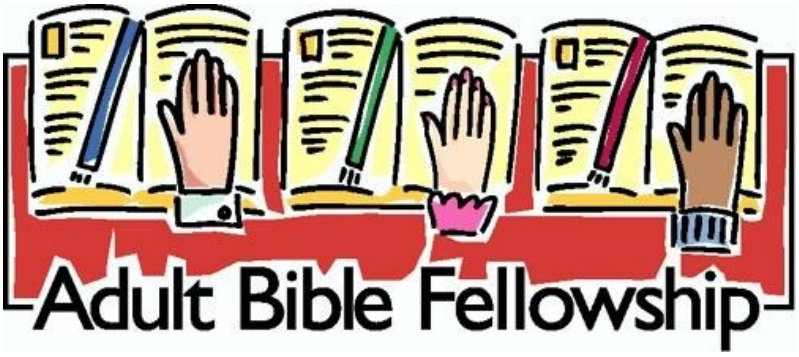
And the God of love and peace will be with you.”

May we never forget that tragic day.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Adult Bible Study will begin on Sunday, October 9th, at 10:15am!

This class will be led by Pastor Jeannette. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.



Tabor's Treasures

THRIFT SHOP

Tabor's Treasures now has their own phone line!!! Any questions you might have, please feel free to call the thrift shop directly! Now you can email, Facebook message, and CALL! Please add the number to your contacts:

973-627-0601

MADDALENAS
CheeseCake & Catering Inc.
EST. 1982

It's that time again!! The holidays are right around the corner!

The UMC at Mt. Tabor fundraising committee is taking orders for Maddalena's cheesecakes. If you bought them last year, you know how good they are! Cheesecakes arrive FROZEN and should remain frozen until needed. Simply defrost on the counter for 1 hour or overnight in the refrigerator. They can remain in your freezer for up to 6 months.

Orginal Gourmet 7", 2 lbs, Cheesecake!! $20

Vanilla Chocolate Chip Strawberry Marble Swirl Black Forest Swirl
Pumpkin Chocolate ($22)

Gluten Free Cheesecake!! $24

GF Vanilla GF Chocolate Chip GF Marble GF Pumpkin

Keto Cheesecake $23

Vanilla Almond Crusted

10" Apple Crumb Pie $24

To order:

Cash or Check Only

Call or email the church office: 973-627-4243; umcmounttabor@verizon.net OR
Call or email Janet Ryans: 973-625-3660; janetery@gmail.com OR
Drop off to Tabor Treasures (hours Tues. Wed. & Fri. 10-2; Thurs. 4-8; & Sat 9-1) OR
Drop order form (with payment) in the church collection plate

Orders are due in by **Oct. 18th**. **Cheesecakes will be delivered to the UMC at Mt. Tabor on Nov. 10th** - well before Thanksgiving and Christmas!!

(If you would like to sell the cheesecakes to friends or place of business, we can provide an order form for you.)

Thank you and ENJOY!!!

Fall 2021 Sales Sheet

MADDALENAS CheeseCake & Catering Inc. EST. 1982

415 Route 31 North Ringoes N J 08551
www.maddalenascatering.com

Sales to Benefit:	UMC at Mt. Tabor
Sales Person Name	
Phone #	
Email	
Fundraiser Order #	
Orders due - Deadline	Oct. 18th
Delivery Date	Nov. 10th
Coordinator Name & Ph#	Janet Ryans 973-625-3660
email	janetery@gmail.com
Coordinator asst. Name &ph#	John Ryans 201-919-2279
email	johnwry@yahoo.com

Original Gourmet CheeseCake

GLUTEN FREE CheeseCake

1.5 lb

Pie

7" CheeseCake 2 Lb
10" Apple Pies 3.75 Lb

Thank you for supporting our fundraising campaign

Name	Phone	Email	Vanilla	Chocolate Chip	Strawberry	Marble Swirl	Black Forest Swirl	Pumpkin	Chocolate	GF Vanilla	GF Chocolate chip	GF Marble	GF Pumpkin	Keto -Vanilla Almond Crusted	Apple Crumb Pie	Qty	Total $	Paid
			$20						$22	$24				$23	$24			
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SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES!

Sunday School is back in session with in-person classes! This has been a long absence and we are so happy to welcome everyone back!

If you know of a child that would like to join, please fill out the registration on the next page and bring it with you to the next class!

WELCOME BACK!

ANNUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION 2021-2022

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH at MT. TABOR

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Student last name: _____

Student first name:_____

Mailing address:_____

Phone Number(s): Student (if applicable)--_____ _____

Adult contact name, relationship, and #--_____

_____

*****Please circle phone numbers that can receive text messages*****

E-Mail(s): Student (if applicable)--_____

Adult contact email:_____

*****Please be advised, updates/events will be sent by email. Emergency closings/other info will be sent by text and email.*****

Student grade:_____ Student age:_____ Student birthdate:_____

Allergies:_____

Other medical/behavior conditions we should be aware of:_____

_____

Anything else we should know about your child:_____

_____

Would you like to volunteer to be on a rotating schedule of classroom helpers (no teaching/prep work)? _____Yes _____No

Do we have permission to use your child's picture on our website and newsletter? _____Yes _____No

Mount Tabor Historical Society's Porch and Garden Tour 2021

A clean up work party was held to prepare for the Porch and Garden Tour. The Garden of Peace looked extra beautiful!

Thank you to everyone who came out to help prepare and be here for the Tour.

Mt Tabor ARTS Collaborative presents:

The NJ Premier of *Night of the Living Dead! The Musical!* Is a sidesplitting rock n' roll comedy sendup of the legendary 1968 zombie film. Facing a growing mob of strange, bloodthirsty creatures, three couples see refuge in the abandoned house...but will they survive the night? With an infectious original score, *Night of the Living Dead! The Musical!* Has been called this generation's Little Shop of Horrors.

October 8th and 9th at 7:00pm. Raindate October 10th. Trinity Park. Limited outdoor seating.
For Tickets: https://www.showtix4u.com/events/15021

GARDEN OF PEACE

Even though it is cold, it is a great time to visit the Garden of Peace. Please feel free to come, sit, reflect, remember, and pray.

The plantings have been completed. Accent lighting has been installed. Two benches have been added for you to relax during your meditation.

This is a great place to remember our loved ones who have passed, as well as a place you might consider for yourself one day. Consider being part of this memorial garden with the purchase of an engraved stone for a loved one or for yourself.

Interfaith Food Pantry Network

2 Executive Drive, Morris Plains, NJ 07950

(973) 538-8049 e-mail: interfaithfoodpantry@mcifp.org www.mcifp.org

THANKSGIVING PROGRAM

Please help us help our neighbors in need!

Thousands of Morris County families rely on the Interfaith Food Pantry to help them celebrate a holiday meal. Can you help?

WE NEED TURKEYS!!!

WE CAN START ACCEPTING TURKEYS, LARGE CHICKENS AND HAMS ON OCTOBER 25th

In addition to the main course, we provide all the trimmings needed to make a holiday dinner. Below is a list of the foods currently needed to prepare the Thanksgiving bags.

THANKSGIVING FOOD NEEDS LIST*

- turkey, turkey breast, ham or large chicken
- instant mashed potatoes
- stuffing
- turkey gravy (no glass jars please)
- cranberry sauce
- canned yams or sweet potatoes
- canned vegetables (corn, peas, green beans)
- apple, cranberry, grape (100% juice – 64oz)
- muffin or roll mix
- brownie mix or cake mix and icing
- coffee, tea, hot cocoa mix
- Jello and pudding mixes

We also take fresh potatoes, yams, onions, apples & oranges (but please keep them separate and let us know you brought them so they can be stored properly!)

Our next Food Pantry Sunday is October 31st!

UMC at Mount Tabor, 5 Simpson Avenue, Mount Tabor
10:00am – 12:00noon

Interfaith Food Pantry
Serving Morris County

"neighbors helping neighbors"

EVERYDAY PANTRY NEEDS

ALL are needed

FRUITS & VEGETABLES – Look for fruit canned in its own juice or with "no sugar added". Look for vegetables with low sodium or "no salt added".	Canned Fruit 100% Juice 32 oz. Canned Vegetables Spaghetti / Tomato Sauce, Tomato Products (crushed, whole, diced, paste, puree) Fresh Produce from your garden (uncooked)
GRAINS – Donate whole grains as often as you can	Cereal – low sugar, high fiber Oatmeal Pasta/ Whole wheat Pasta Rice /Brown Rice – 1 or 2 lb. sizes
DAIRY – Donate shelf-stable low-fat (1%) or non-fat dairy products	Parmalat (shelf stable 32 oz. size) Dry Milk (1-qt. package) Evaporated Milk Calcium-fortified Milk alternatives such as soy, rice or almond milks
PROTEIN – Look for "no salt added", "low -sodium" and "canned in water"	Canned Beans (Pork and Beans, Pinto, Red, White, not green beans) Dried Beans Tuna Fish, Salmon and other canned fish Pea-nut Butter, 18 oz. Canned Meats and Meals (ravioli, spaghetti & meatballs, hash, stew canned chicken etc.)
SIDE DISHES –	Mac 'n Cheese Instant Potatoes Stuffing Rice-A-Roni Hamburger Helper
SOUPS	Hearty, Low-Sodium, Regular
BABY ITEMS	Enfamil Infant Formula (NOT Newborn) Baby Food – Stage 1 Fruits and Stage 3 Vegetables & Meats Diapers 5 & 6 Pull Ups 4T & 5T Ba-by Wipes
SPECIALTY ITEMS	Gluten Free Products Boost or Ensure, regular Boost Glucose Control or Glucerna Adult Depends (no tabs) Tea (100 count boxes) Resealable sandwich bags and quart sized Plastic Bags

2 Executive Drive ▪ Morris Plains, NJ 07950 ▪ 973-538-8049 ▪ Fax: 973-998-5086

E-mail: interfaithfoodpantry@mcifp.org ▪ www.mcifp.org

IFP is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. Our Federal tax-exempt # is 22-3618468.

Tabor's Treasures

tidbits

Tabor's Treasures is now accepting donations of fall and winter clothing. If you have sweaters, hats/gloves/scarves, jackets/coats, and other toasty warm clothing you'd like to donate, please email or call the thrift shop to set up a drop off time. The shop's email is taborstreasuresumc@gmail.com or you can now call the brand new phone number at 973-627-0601.

We experienced some closings recently due to storm damage and illness. We are back on our regular schedule. We appreciated everyone's patience and good wishes.

Come in to see our fall decorating items. We also have Halloween items available.

Come see what's new!!

MOUNT TABOR ARTS COLLABORATIVE PRESENTS

THE 2021 GHOST WALK

This is a walking tour of Mount Tabor with ghost stories. Based on true events and wild imaginations, you will be told haunted stories as you are guided through Mount Tabor in the evening. On the scariest month of the year, come discover the secrets hidden within...if you dare.

Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Go to: https://www.showtix4u.com/events/15021 to purchase tickets.

DISCIPLE FAST TRACK BIBLE STUDY

will resume again beginning on October 14th, at 7:00pm, via Zoom.

This class will continue on Thursday evenings.

We will begin with 1 Corinthians for 6 weeks and then move into an Advent Series. If you didn't experience the last class, you're in for a great experience. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Please see Pastor Rosario or call the Church Office for more information.

MO UPDATE

Ways we are in mission during this time of 'distancing'—

Food Drives will be held each Food Pantry Sunday (last Sunday of each month) 10am-12noon. Contactless drop off!

Tabor's Treasures continues to serve the community with their regular hours.

Tabor's Treasures THRIFT SHOP

If you are looking to donate to Tabor's Treasures, please email Dawn Zinckgraf at taborstreasuresumc@gmail.com or call 973-627-0601

to set up an appointment.

Walk-in drop offs are not being accepted at this time.

Thank you!

WORSHIP OPTIONS

We are holding in-person worship! It is wonderful to be back in the sanctuary and seeing everyone in person! We will continue to post to Facebook Live at 11:00am on Sundays for everyone who chooses to worship from home. The service will be posted to YouTube after the service has finished.

YOUTUBE

You may subscribe to the Church's YouTube channel at this link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6EJO5CzIhFfOs6lp6gaJYQ

Sunday worship services will be uploaded to YouTube on this channel after the service is over.

This will make it easier for you to find it each week!

UMCmarket

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$5 for our Congregation

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Our coffers have reached new lows this past year.

Your generous nature means a lot to us.

Join UMCmarket today and shop any one of over 2,000 stores.

We'll get a donation (average 3%) PLUS a $5 Welcome Back Gift

(and it's free to you and to us)

The body is not one part, but many parts. -1 Corinthians 12:14 (NIV)

Offering During The Pandemic

COVID-19 has made many aspects of life difficult, including finances. If you are able, please continue giving to the church. Perhaps you can even give a little more to help offset those who are unable to do so at this time.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty yourself, please contact Pastor Rosario. And remember, we are praying for you.

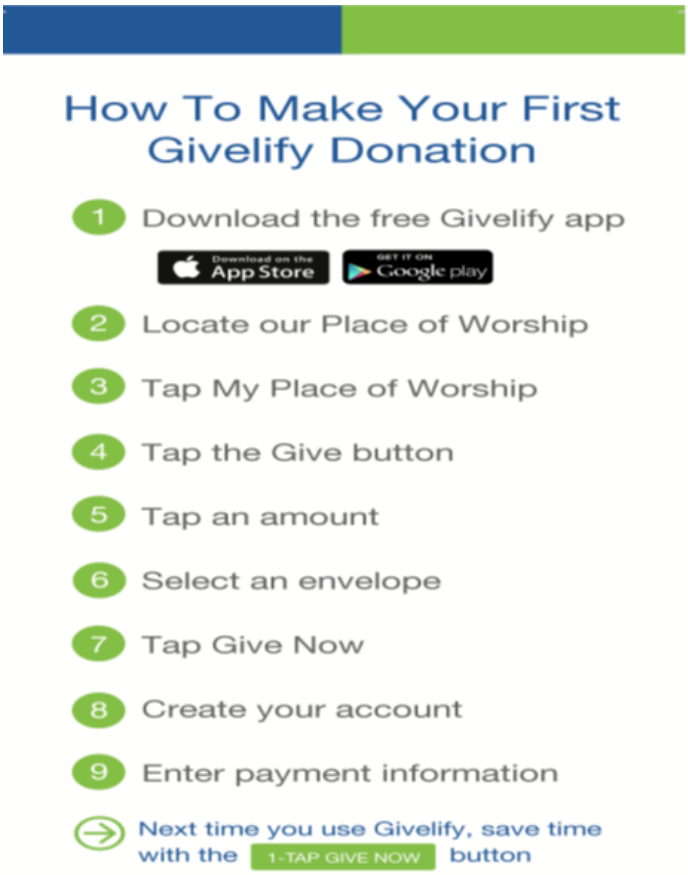
<u>4 ways to give:</u>

—Send your check to the church office. Thank you to all those who have sent offering already!

—Set up automatic, recurring gifts through your bank.

—Donate electronically via GIVELIFY (instructions below).

—Donate electronically through the Conference website gnjumc.org (click on the heading at the top of the page entitled 'give to your church').



October

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

October 3rd	Colin Nestor
October 5th	Susan Zinckgraf
October 6th	Katherine Davis
October 17th	Janet Ryans, Amy Grant, Denise Luca, John Ryans
October 19th	Shawn Lemanowicz
October 22nd	Jamaal Parker
October 25th	Sherrie Douglas
October 27th	Ken Lemanowicz
October 31st	Jennifer Francis

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

October 4th	Sharon & Jeff Dickerson
October 7th	Dawn & Mike Zinckgraf
October 18th	Kevin & Katherine Davis

We apologize if you were not included on our list. If we have not listed your birthday, please contact the church office so we can include you in future editions.

Members and Friends In The Military

Erin Parker, *US Air Force,* former church member and son of Kathy & Chris Parker
Michael O'Neil
Drew Greenlees, *US Navy, serving in Iraq,* Graduate of PHHS, grew up in Glacier Hills
Mike Sgambati, *US Air Force, living in New Mexico,* Husband of Melissa Meyers
Alex Degrosky, friend of the Scala Family
Steven Masker, US Army, back in the US- friend of the Dickerson Family
Melissa Pier, US Marines
Danny Antolos, friend of Ruth Blazure
Ridar Gunderson, *US Marines*

Tabor's Treasures
THRIFT SHOP

Hours:
Tuesday 10a-2p
Wednesday 10a-2p
Thursday 4p-8p
Friday 10a-2p
Saturday 9a-1p

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BITS & PIECES

Do you have something to announce? The deadline for the **weekly bulletin** is Wednesday at 10:00am. The deadline for the **monthly Tidings** newsletter will be the 20th of each month. Please feel free to contribute!!

PRAYER CHAIN

Our church has an active prayer chain whose members regularly receive requests for prayers for specific needs. Although most often it concerns health, the need may be in other areas as well. To place a request for prayers, please call the church office at 973-627-4243 or email the office at umcmounttabor@verizon.net.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

David Ober, Jr
Jan Atkinson
Patricia Caldari
Donna Wojcik
Carolyn Wescott
Nancy Gerardi
All the Families who lost loved ones to COVID-19
Blake Davis
Pastor Rosario
Dawn Zinckgraf
The Dickerson Family

Today's Chuckle

"Become friends with people who aren't your age. Hang out with people whose first language isn't the same as yours. Get to know someone who doesn't come from your social class. This is how you see the world. This is how you grow."

THE UPPER ROOM

Due to the pandemic, the Upper Room magazine is available online. If you haven't been to in-person worship to pick one up, you may read it online.

Please see the link below for the latest issue:

https://upperroom.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=1b5f1dafae8900da3ef72c04d&id=95254ae632&e=3f436b09ca

WELCOME

The United Methodist Church at Mount Tabor is a community of faith-filled friends who seek to grow closer to God through the ministry of Jesus Christ and by the guidance of the Holy Spirit. We celebrate the history of Mount Tabor, and look with hope toward the future. Everyone is welcome here; everyone is cherished here; for everyone is a child of God. All are welcome to participate with us in our journey of faith, regardless of background, theological stance, or personal characteristics. We rejoice in God creating us to be a diverse family; and we strive to follow the Spirit's leading as one, while maintaining and upholding our individuality. Because of the current official stance of The United Methodist Church, we feel it is important to state a welcome to those of all sexual orientations and gender identities—You are welcome here.

God loves you just the way you are; and so do we.

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