

Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church
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Church Office Hours: Monday—Friday 9am-3pm



ADVANCE NEWS 2025



NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

01—Reagan Olejasz
02—Diane Crowl
08—Candace McCarthy
14—Paul Shearer
19—Sam Driehorst
20—William Hout
23—Roger Cain
23—Ted Owens
26—Ben Exley, IV
28—Nila Stobbs
29—Ed Dearth
30—Lou Hart

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

01—Jay Carenbauer
01—E. Phillips Polack
04—Chase Burdick
05—Quinten Dillon
05—Robert Maxwell
06—Karen DiOrio
09—Carol Stryker
10—Joelle Oliver
11—Alison Hannan
18—Barbara Hempelman
19—Samantha Dodd
20—Bill Crowl
21—Frank Provance
23—Sandra George
24—Madison Shearer
28—Shirley Driehorst
28—Anne Lamb
28—Mary Pasco
29—Tom John
31—Diane Crowther

LET THE MUSIC LIVE AT VANCE!



Musical Extravagaza

NOVEMBER 20, 2025

5pm Spaghetti Dinner w/Strings & WLSC Students performing

6:15pm Concert: with solos, ensembles, handbells,
and choral anthems

Reception to follow

Wheeling Wind Concert Band

under the direction of Pat Garrett

**DECEMBER 07, 2025
3pm**

Reception to follow

VMPC: A Traditional Church with Spirit...



Community Dinner 11/13, 5pm (Meatloaf)
Community Dinner 11/20, 5pm (Spaghetti)
Community Dinner 12/11, 5pm (Ham)

Congregational Christmas Dinner 12/14
(Ham & Turkey Provided, Pot Luck Encouraged)



December Services

12/03 Midweek Advent Service, 12noon, Merriman Chapel
12/10 Midweek Advent Service, 12noon, Merriman Chapel
12/17 Midweek Advent Service, 12noon, Merriman Chapel
Lunch served after the Service, in the Narthex

12/24 Christmas Eve Services:
7pm with Candlelight
11pm with Communion



Join us for Messy Church!
Monday, December 1, 6-7:30pm

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
1343 National Road, Wheeling

CONGRATULATIONS MICHELLE JOHN



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THANK
YOU
SCOUTING
AMERICA

TROOP 6
TROOP 6000



FOOD
DRIVE

RIESBECKS,
ELM GROVE

NOVEMBER 8TH



75
BAGS

(AND A MONETARY
DONATION)

FOR

VANCE
CHURCH
FOOD
PANTRY!



19th Annual Neighbors Helping Neighbors Food Drive
October 1st—November 30th
Non-perishable food collection

Monetary donations also accepted and will be used to purchase non-perishable items. Checks can be made payable to Riesbeck's.

Contact Lisa Werner at 304-234-9221 or werner@wesbanco.com to schedule a pick-up of collected items. Food will be distributed to local agencies.

**Appalachian Christmas Project
Wrapping Party 11/23, 11:15am**

Boxes due to Vance Church 11/22



**House of the Carpenter
Christmas Sponsorship**

***All gifts must be delivered to Vance
Church, unwrapped, by 11/23/2025***





Keeping in Touch

Please remember the following members who are in need of special care. They are all going through unique journeys and need your prayers, cards/calls, and visits.

If you would like to inquire about a specific person's needs, please contact an Elder or Deacon or the Pastor.

If *any* information listed is incorrect, or you would like to add someone, please notify the church office *immediately*.
304-232-0980

Member	Room/Phone #	Address
Shirley & Sam Driehorst	304-242-6833	14 Fairfax Dr. Wheeling, WV 26003
Danna Tyska	740-738-0074	626 Grant St. Martins Ferry, OH 43935
Bob & Jo Ann McColloch	304-242-1082	11 Echo Terrace Wheeling, WV 26003
Jeremy McCamic	304-277-4644	1228 National Road Apt 320 Wheeling, WV 26003
Ted Owens	304-231-4994	206 E Cardinal Avenue Wheeling, WV 26003
Bill & Virginia Crawl	304-242-1015	57 Stamm Circle Wheeling, WV 26003
Geri Sloane	304-280-6696	Attic Angel Community 8301 Old Sauk Rd Apt 270 Middleton, WI 53562

The Church Office will be closed

Thursday, November 27th
Friday, November 28th
For Thanksgiving

Thursday, December 25th
For Christmas

Sanctuary Christmas Decorating

November 16th,
Following Worship Service



**Worship
Sundays at
10am
Communion
Service
First Sunday of
the Month**



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Hand Sanitizer



Masks



Gloves



All are available at the Welcome Center in the Narthex during worship.