Aldersgate

THE PAPER

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, 2026

ALL CHURCH THANKSGIVING DINNER NEXT SUNDAY!

We are excited as we look forward to celebrating Thanksgiving with our Aldersgate family! Our all-church Thanksgiving Meal will be next Sunday, November 15th, We are asking those attending to bring two large side dishes or desserts to share. Serving and clean-up would be greatly appreciated if you wish to volunteer. Any questions, please contact Judi Kay Main at (618) 922-1055. Come join us to worship and give thanks in this Season for all of God's blessings.

ONE WORSHIP SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY!

We will worship together next Sunday, November 15th at 10:00 a.m. in our all-church service right before our Thanksgiving Dinner. Coffee will be served in the front lobby. Sunday School classes will not meet.

STUDENT BONFIRE NIGHT TONIGHT

Just a reminder, Jr. and Sr. High Students, it's Bonfire Night! Sunday, November 8th 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Grab your friends for a night of bonfire, hotdogs, s'mores, volleyball, and a crackling fire at the Lautenbacher's house. The bus loads at 5:30 to leave the church.

VETERAN'S DAY- WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRIES WILL MEET!

Even though Marion School is out for Veteran's Day, Wednesday November 11th, we will be meeting as usual for our Wednesday Night Meal and Ministries. Help us spread the word!

SERENDIPITY

Our next meeting is November 17th noon. Pastor Sarah and Pastor Gabe will bring a program about their experiences in Africa and Cuba. Ham and drinks will be provided. Feel free to bring sides, salads, or desserts to share. Please be sure to sign up on the Church Center or on the sheet at the back of the sanctuary, so we are prepared to welcome everyone.

NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRY: NOVEMBER 25TH

We will not have our regular Wednesday night ministry activities and meal on Wednesday, November 25th. Enjoy some time getting ready for your Thanksgiving celebrations!

NIGHT OF TESTIMONY AND WORSHIP: DEC. 2ND

Join us Wednesday, December 2nd for a night of shared testimonies and worship. All are invited. We will meet at 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary to be uplifted and filled! We will *not* be serving a meal that night.

A SPECIAL KID'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

Hey kids! We are celebrating the Christmas Season December 2nd at 6:00 pm. We will meet in the kid's zone to party, eat snacks, play games and see a movie. All kids Pre-K – 5th grades are invited.

IRON SHARPENS IRON

Join the next Iron Sharpens Iron Community Men's Breakfast on Saturday, November 14th

At 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Our guest speaker is Kerry Martin, Hall of Fame High School Football Coach, Teacher, Leadership Consultant, and Speaker. Ethos @ The Citadel, 504 Tower Square Plaza, Marion, IL

MEAL FOR THIS WEEK : NOVEMBER 11TH

Pasta, Bread, Gluten Free Pasta Dish, Salad Bar and Texas Sheet Cake

HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

Monday, November 9th

6:00 am: Prayer in the Sanctuary

8:30-10:30 am: Pickleball

5:30- 6:30 pm: Flexibility and Mobility

Tuesday, November 10th

9:00 am: Ladies Prayer and Bible Study

6:00 – 7:30 pm: ESL Class

6:00 pm: Charge Conference

Wednesday, November 11th

Church Offices Closed

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm: Wednesday Night Meal

6:00 pm: Bible Studies, Small Groups, Children's Programs

7:30 - 8:30 pm: Chain Breakers

Saturday, November 14th

8:00 am: Iron Sharpens Iron, Ethos @ The Citadel

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