

The Una Vision November 2023

Partnership with Forest Hills Baptist & Transition Team Recommendation

On October 29, the Transition Team with 3 members from Forest Hills Baptist and 3 from Una Baptist shared an important Recommendation for Una Baptist Church going forward. Their many, many prayers and hard work, along with the advising of NBA Director Michael Kelley, has led them to share this recommendation as a culmination of their work.

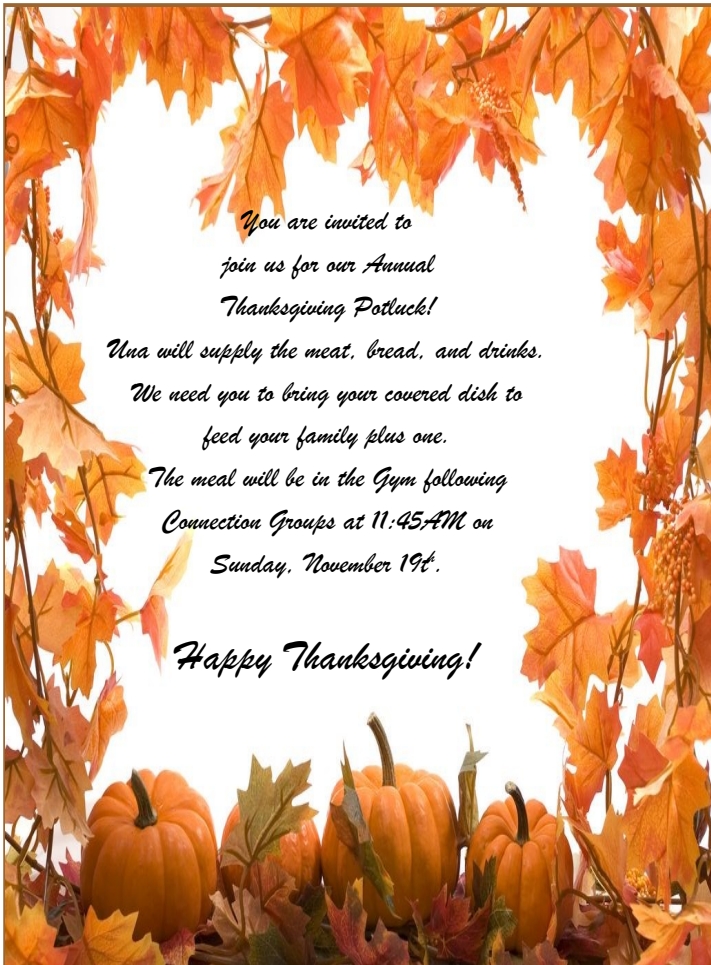
If you are not familiar with their 4 page Recommendation, you can pick up a printed copy at the entry of Una Baptist or request to have it emailed to you from the office. In short, as we have been praying for a new full-time Pastor at Una Baptist, and recognize our need to better reach our community for Christ, for more young families, their children, and more energetic volunteers, to help us become the Church God wants us to become, this recommendation is potentially God's answer to our prayers. So please review the recommendation and continue to pray so that God's will for Una Baptist will be clear.

On **November 12th** there will be an important time of discussion on this matter after Connection Groups in the Sanctuary. The plan is to allow 90 minutes to discuss and ask questions you may have after the recommendation's "answers." THIS IS A DISCUSSION ONLY! NO vote will be taken!!!



Pray and discuss among yourselves how you feel about the possibilities of this merger. Then, on **December 3rd** after Connection Groups we will come together to VOTE on allowing our Deacons to begin meeting with their leadership as we begin moving forward in getting more answers on what a merger our two churches would look like. The December 3rd's vote is not a vote to merge! If we agree to let the deacons move forward, a "merge vote" would be planned at a later date. Please pray for Una Baptist Church and 'Christ for the Nations' Church as we pursue God's Will and His Blessings.

Thanksgiving Potluck



*You are invited to
join us for our Annual
Thanksgiving Potluck!
Una will supply the meat, bread, and drinks.
We need you to bring your covered dish to
feed your family plus one.
The meal will be in the Gym following
Connection Groups at 11:45AM on
Sunday, November 19th.*

Happy Thanksgiving!

Lottie Moon Offering and Post Office



Can you believe in a month another year has almost gone by? Starting the first Sunday of December we will be collecting for Lottie Moon. People need God and this offering will help spread the Word out into the world. Please take this time to be in prayer about what God is leading you to give to this offering above and beyond your regular tithe. On December 3rd there will be Lottie Moon offering envelopes and a guide to help with the International Week of Prayer in the pew. If you do not use the envelope, please make sure you mark your gift to Lottie Moon.

Again, this year we will provide the Lottie Moon Christmas Post Office. This post office is for you to send your church family and friends Christmas Cards. All we ask is that you give what postage you would normally spend to Lottie Moon. There will be a can for your "postage" or you can drop it in the offering plate. Please be sure to mark it "Lottie Moon".



Also, you will find a list of our Homebound members in the front foyer. Please remember them this Holiday Season and let them know their Una Family loves them.

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Una Kids



Even while our Preschoolers are at a delicate age, they begin to learn important truths every Sunday at UnaKids. In November, they learn about Joshua who lived a very long time ago in the Old Testament. They will also learn 4 valuable truths in a brief time (because they enjoy structured play time as well)...

- 1) They start with the spies in the promised land, learning 'Obstacles are no problem for God.'
- 2) Then they learn when Joshua was put in charge, 'Courage comes from knowing God's words.'
- 3) They learn that Rahab helped the Israelites, 'God can use someone like me.' and
- 4) They learn at the fall of Jericho, they learn 'With God, there is Victory!'



Children, welcome to the Promised Land Grand Prix! Buckle up and check your engines as we will be racing through the life of Joshua and the Israelites to see if they stay 'On the Right Track' toward the land that God promised them! Along the way we will learn:

- Wk 1: Obstacles are no problem for God. Wk 2: Courage comes from knowing God's words.
Wk 3: God can you someone like me. Wk 4: With God, there is victory!

Join us and bring your friends as we start our engines and join the race of life 'On The Right Track.' Memory Verse: Hebrews 10:23



JAM is great every Wednesday. We learn about Jesus, make crafts, play games, and make friends. One of our favorite activities is singing with our music man.

We are getting ready for Christmas over the next several weeks. Please keep praying for our JAM students and for more families to join us.



English as a Second Language (ESL) classes continue at Una Baptist on Wednesday Nights. Lynn Bellar has 2 students in her beginners class, and Joy Wallace has 3 in her intermediate class. They attend as often as they can and work hard at learning English. Please pray that as we continue to get to know them, we find ways to help them even beyond English. Please pray with us for their needs to be met and their English goals to be reached. Thank you!

JESUS LOVES THE LITTLE CHILDREN



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USA Group



Fried Chicken is on the menu and being supplied for Tuesday, November 14th at 11AM. Bring your very side, dessert or drinks

and come join us for this tasty meal. We will be playing games with prizes so you surely do not want to miss that. See you November 14th! It's going to be a good time for sure.



Wee Worship / B.L.A.S.T.

Nov 05—Chris Wurth and Ethan Gerald
 Nov 12—Aaron Holladay and Emma Soztak
 Nov 19—Rachelle Schuerman & Michelle Kioko
 Nov 26—Joy Brewer and Jody Rowland



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Student Ministry

Join us at the **FOUNDRY** in the Basement! Grades 7-12

Sunday Morning Connection Group

Bible Study with Aaron Holladay & Cereal Bar

10:45AM—11:45AM

Wednesday Evenings - 6:00PM—7:15PM

Please watch Group Me
 and Social Media
 for updates on upcoming events!



November Birthdays

Nov 01—Gloria Parham
 Nov 06—Oliver Brewer
 Nov 09—Marie Ragsdale
 Nov 10—Jim Fox
 Nov 11—Connie Lane
 Nov 14—Ina Faye Cantrell
 Nov 20—Charlene Tolbert
 Kaylyn Schuerman
 Nov 22—Victor Black
 Nov 23—Stacy Dowdy
 Nov 27—Twig Terwilliger
 Nov 28—David Meeks
 Nov 29—Wiss Laure Jean Philippe
 Gina Jean-Philippe



Crop and Craft



Please watch Social Media

for next date!

Come enjoy the fun!



Church Work Day



Keep watching for a date! Our Transition Team is gearing up to put us to work around the building. There will be all kinds of projects inside and out, big and small, and we could really use the help!

Daylight Savings Ends in November



Long summer days are coming to an end. This is an early reminder that Daylight Savings will end November 5th and you will need to set your clocks back one hour.

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Fall Festival



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Food Pantry

November 26th
December 31st



Deacon of the Month

Aaron Holladay
and wife, Carrie

