

## The Una Vision December 2023

### Vote

December 3rd, after Morning Worship we will Vote!

# YOUR VOTE MATTERS

This vote is ***TO GIVE OUR DEACONS PERMISSION TO START NEGOTIATING WHAT A MERGE WITH CHRIST FOR THE NATIONS WOULD LOOK LIKE*** for Una Baptist.

All negotiations will be brought before the Church Family at a later date and voted on at that time.

### Lottie Moon Offering and Post Office

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 tithes. 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



This month we are going on a Christmas Vacation and we will be learning:

God sent Jesus for a reason.  
We can trust God's timing.  
God gives us what's best.  
Jesus is why we celebrate!  
Jesus is God's gift to the world.



This month come on our Christmas Vacation with us as we learn:

John 1:1-17 The Word Became Flesh-God sent Jesus for a reason.  
Luke 1:5-25 The Birth of John Foretold-We can trust God's timing.  
Luke 1:26-55 The Birth of Jesus Foretold-God gives us what's best.  
Luke 2:1-20 Jesus is Born!-Jesus is why we celebrate!  
Luke 2:22-40 Simeon and Anna Meet Jesus-Jesus is God's gift to the world.



The past few months have been a great time in JAM. We are learning about Jesus, making crafts, learning songs, and playing games. Thank you to all our JAM and ESL leaders who continue to show up to make this outreach opportunity possible every Wednesday. Also thank you to all the members of the congregation who support JAM with your time, love and prayers. It takes us all to make JAM happen.

We will celebrate Christmas with a Wednesday night party on Dec 13.

JAM Family Christmas Party—Wednesday, December 13—6:00 - 7:15 in the gym  
Food, Music, Crafts, Fun

I wish you all a Merry Christmas!

Joy



Joy Wallace, Lynn Beller and the ESL Class wish everyone a  
Verry Merry Christmas!

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## USA Group

Merry Christmas! This is the month you do not want to miss the Una Senior Adult get together. December 12<sup>th</sup> at 11:00AM will be the Christmas Party of the Year. Bring your favorite "Brunch" dish to share. Yes, this year will be another game of



"Dirty Santa" so don't forget your gift. Be ready to enjoy the food and lots of laughing.

Hope to see you on  
**December 12<sup>th</sup>** at 11:00AM.

## 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!



## Crop and Craft & Food Pantry Needs



**Please watch Social Media**  
**for next date!**  
**Come enjoy the fun!**



**Food Pantry Needs:** Chunky Soups, Canned Fruit, Peas, Vienna Sausages, Chicken Noodle Soups, Mac & Cheese & Beefaroni.

## Thank You

Thank you to Connie and Jim Chitwood for all their help in heading up our Annual Thanksgiving Meal. We had a wonderful turnout and plenty of food. It's people like you who make our church so amazing. The decorations were beautiful, and all the food was delicious. We appreciate you keeping it warm or cold for us during Connection Groups.

Sincerely,  
Una Baptist Family

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

Dec 03—Chris Wurth and Ethan Gerald

Dec 10—Aaron Holladay and Emma Soztak

Dec 17—Rachelle Schuerman & Michelle Kioko

Dec 24—Joy Brewer and Jody Rowland

Dec 31—TBA



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Dec 10—Joy Brewer

Dec 17—Jody Rowland

Dec 24—Joy Wallace

It's fixing to be a new year! How about signing up to work in our Wee Worship or B.L.A.S.T. If you are interested please let Rachelle Schuerman or Joy Brewer know. In case you can't reach them you can always contact the office and someone will let them know.

## December Birthdays

Dec 04 Ethan Gerald

Dec 06 Jerry Smith

Dec 08 Connie Chitwood

Dec 09 Yvonne Robison

Lori Clark

Dec 10 Aurora Schuerman-New

Dec 12 Victor Buhler

Dec 17 Regena Terwilliger

Dec 25 Dorothy Usoh



## Room in the Inn

**RITI Saturdays: 12/16, 1/20, 2/17, & 3/23.** Sign up now :-)

Our Room in the Inn closet needs the following items:

**Travel size shampoo, travel size men's deodorant, travel size toothpaste, combs, new XL boxers and/or briefs, gloves and hats (especially warm knit stocking hats).**

Drop your donations at the office door. Thank you!

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From Us to You

*We wish you and your family  
a **Very Merry Christmas** and a **Happy New Year!***

  
THE  
ANGEL  
said unto them,  
Fear not: for,  
**BEHOLD,**  
*I bring you*  
**GOOD TIDINGS**  
*of great joy,*  
*which shall be to all people*  
**LUKE**  
**2:10**



## Food Pantry



December 31<sup>st</sup>  
January 28<sup>th</sup>

## Deacon of the Month



Aaron Holladay  
and wife, Carrie