Celebration of Ministries November 19, 2023

Hanging of the Greens! Come join us on Sunday November 26th after church to decorate the sanctuary for the holiday season! All help is greatly appreciated. We will need a few men to help us put up the Christmas Tree.





Please join the **United Women of Faith for an Advent Potluck Event** for the whole church Dec. 3rd after the worship service in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a dish to share if you can. There will plenty of good food, good fellowship and

fun Advent and Christmas crafts for the whole family! Please join us to kick off the Christmas season.



Would you like to help new people become "active friends" of our congregation?

The Engagement Team (formerly "Social Media") is looking for some additional members eager to spread the word that

First UMC is a safe place for spiritual growth & questions, and make our visitors feel that this is their spiritual home. Talk to Jana Staton at Coffee Hour if you're interested, or contact at jstaton@montana.com, 406-721-5558.

Do you have extra Halloween candy laying around at home and don't know what to do with it? Pov Sack Lunch program would love to use it to sweeten the lunches. You can drop off your candy at the office or contact Lorraine Carlson at madamecarlson@gmail.com



Christmas Shoebox Ministry for the Blackfeet United Methodist Parish.



BUMP Shoebox Gift Ministry

Please bring wrapped shoeboxes to the church by Dec 1st! Fill a box with goodies and gifts for boys or girls and then label your box with the gender and the age of the recipient. See a list of gift ideas below. The gifts will be brought up to the Blackfeet UMC for children and families to enjoy for the holidays!

Child: Boy or Girl

0-2, 3-5, 6-9, 10-12, 13-17

Or **Adult**

Please pick the age and gender of the person and fill a shoebox (or gift bag) full of goodies for them. Gloves, hats, socks, personal hygiene items, art or home school supplies and toys are some suggestions.

Wrap the shoebox and put a label on it with the age and gender of the recipient.

Bring your shoebox (or gift bag) to the church by

December 1. We will be delivering them to Browning as good roads allow.

BUMP is also asking for cash donations to their Winter Wood Fund. You can mail your check with WOOD in the

memo line to BUMP, PO Box 3007, Browning, MT 59417.



Prayer List for November 19, 2023

• Prayers of healing for Cheryl B., who is recovering from a knee replacement.

• Continued prayers of healing for Marie M., who broke her other hip.

• Prayers for Pastor John as he travels to help his parents transition into a care facility.

- Prayers of healing and peace for Fred's father, who had a heart attack after his wife's passing.
- Prayers for successful chemo treatment for Cindy's sister's husband Dan's cancer, which has spread to his vital organs, and a successful triple bypass surgery for her sister's son Timmy. Prayers of strength for Cindy's sister as she assists her family.
- Prayers for Carolyn A. as she deals with medical issues.
- Prayers for Sarah's father who begins treatment for Leukemia this month.
- Prayers for successful treatment for Linda's niece Amy, who has breast cancer.
- Continued prayers for Justin who was diagnosed with sepsis and had to have emergency surgery to repair a hole in his heart. Prayers that he responds to treatment.



Lord in your Mercy...Hear our Prayers...

Please send your prayer requests in! E-mail Kathie Snodgrass at <u>kathiewearsgreen@yahoo.com</u> with your prayer requests. You can also email or call the office at 549-6118.