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The Red Sox may have won the World Series, but YUMC had the best Yankee

Celebration on Oct. 13. About 60 friends and family enjoyed a home made Pot Roast Dinner, with Apple Pie Cupcakes for dessert. It was delicious! Many compliments for our Kitchen staff: Jim Jackson, Dee Popilozio, Vickie Gerace, Lisa, Natalie, Danny, and Emily Strout. I cannot thank these hard working folks enough for the success of this event; your efforts are GREATLY appreciated!



We were serenaded by the songs of the Connecticut Yankee Chorus. With a new director, the chorus sang 50's do-whop, barbershop, big band, popular music like "Hallelujah" and hymns, such as "It is Well with My Soul". We thank the chorus for once again providing an evening of music. It is always a pleasure to see these fine gentlemen.



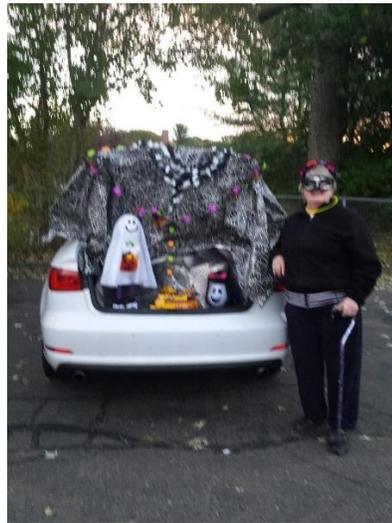
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Treats for
Sammy &
Max from
Michele, Jen
Short, Gail
Powell & Jim
Jackson.
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November has arrived! How time flies!

We had a great Trunk or Treat event on Halloween. We enjoyed pizza together then headed out to the parking lot. Six vehicles decorated with friendly to scary ghosts were visited by many first-time trick or treaters as well as classic characters as Cookie Monster, Pooh Bear and the Sanders Sisters from Hocus Pocus. Many words of appreciation were stated. *Thank you to those who participated: Pastor Anne, Gail, Jen, Ken, Dee, Jim, and Michele.*

As a reminder, if you need a set-up for a meeting, please submit a note to the office at least one week ahead. Please do not assume the sexton knows. This assistance is much appreciated.

Flu shots were available last Sunday, October 28 here at the church. Thank you Maria for making these arrangements to keep our congregation healthy this flu season.



On Sunday, October 14, we brought in goods to start stacking the shelves of Master's Manna with Fall items-hot cereal, oatmeal, soup, and a meal in a can (spam, Dinty Moore, Hash). We will again ask you to fill the shelves on ***Thanksgiving Sunday, November 18***. Holiday fixings are always appreciated such as instant mashed potatoes, stuffing, canned vegetables, cranberry sauce, and canned yams. Cereal, pasta, soup, peanut butter and jelly are staples that are always in need. We thank you in advance!

Regional Charge Conference

This year we will participate in a Regional Charge Conference. The date of the meeting is Wednesday, November 14, 7:00pm at the First Methodist Church in Meriden. We approved several reports at the last Church Council in preparation for this meeting. We have a rough budget, nominations for the 2019 year, and Trustees' report. Committee chairs should begin to prepare your end of the year summary reports. Please submit all reports to secretaryyumc@snet.net by DEC. 15. Thank you.

The United Methodist Women will meet on Monday, November 12th at 1:00 sharp. Our speaker will be Sgt. David Blythe of the Wallingford Community Police. He is Muriel Creed's son-in-law and it promises to be a very interesting meeting. Devotions will be presented by Ruth Granby and the hostesses are Shelby Weyant and Mary Anne Heidgerd. Please sign up so we know how many will be attending. All men and women of the church are welcome to this meeting. Barbara Nitchke, President.

First Wednesday Lunch

November 7 at 11:45am, for only \$5 you get to mingle, catch up and share some tasty food. We welcome all guests not just UMC members. The usual fare is appetizers, soup, main course, veggies, salad, dessert and beverage.

The Holiday Craft & Vendor Fair is on Saturday, December 8, 9am to 2pm. The Nurture Committee, with chair Michele Bloom, will host the event. The Committee still is seeking volunteers to assist with the various areas of the fair. Please sign-up in the Gathering Area and indicate availability and area of interest. We are in need of setup help on Friday as well and Clean-up crew Saturday at 2pm. Those with strong backs would be greatly appreciated to assist vendors either Saturday morning or at 2pm for closing.

We need everyone's help to spread the word. The sign is up already, the vendor tables and filling, pray for good weather. The success of the fair will greatly help the final payment towards Apportionments at the end of the budget year. We will have our next Fair Meeting Wednesday, November 7 at 6pm.

From Marion & Vickie:

We are once again asking for your help to fill baskets for the December fair.

Gardening: potting soil, gloves, tools, bulbs and seeds, watering can clay pots, kneeling pad.

Birds: bird seed, blocks of suet and seed, bird book, small bird feeders.

Movie Night: family DVD's pizza mixes, popcorn, peanuts, candy, snacks, hot chocolate.

Breakfast: pancake/waffle mix, muffin/bread mix, syrup, mitts/pot holders, mixing spoons, hot chocolate, oatmeal packets, jam/jelly coffee, teas, mugs.

Pampering: body lotion, body powder, shower wash, luffa, eye mask, face mask, pumice stone, nail file, exfoliating cream.

Nail Jars: nail files, nail polish, small polish remover.

Baby: toiletries, nasal aspirator, wipes, pacifier, washcloth, rattles, teething ring, small diaper packet, socks, hats, mittens.

Children's Art: pencils, paint, markers, crayons, puzzles, pads, stickers, clay, play-doh.

Pets: snacks, toys, bones, leashes, shampoo, gourmet cookies.

We could also use some empty baskets various sizes. If you would like to put together your own basket and bring it in, please do so we would greatly appreciate anything you wish to do. Any questions related to the baskets, please ask. Thank you!

Sunday School News



The children have been learning to be like Jesus. They talked about how they can share their blessings with others. Here is Caleb, Max and Sammy; Caleb & Nicholas show their work.

**The Team is also requesting Toilet Paper Rolls for a project for the Holiday Fair.
Thank you!**



Anyone interested in a men's group please see me Mike Gudrian.

Thank you Mike

The Care Team would like to thank Ellen Jacke for her years of dedicated service; we will look for her smile each Sunday, and keep her informed of progress. We would also like to welcome Patricia Longway, recently of the Bridgeport area, to our group; she is familiar with our "travelling communion" ministry, and other Methodist traditions (coffee hour cleanup, et. al.).

At our November meeting, after service on the 18th, we will pre-assemble Christmas bags, for mid-December delivery to our home-bound parishioners. Also - for those whose Holiday Card list is small, the Care Team offers a fine selection of cards (free for the taking) for Christmas, birthdays, thank you, as well as many "thinking of you" and "blank" cards, suitable for any occasion.

Chairman, Ray Classen

Cardinal in the Snow
Painting Fundraiser

\$35

Join us to paint and raise funds for
Yalesville United Methodist Church

- ALL PAINTING MATERIAL PROVIDED
- NO ART SKILLS REQUIRED
- PLEASE ARRIVE 15 MINUTES EARLY

WHERE: 8 New Place St. Yalesville,
WHEN: November 17, 2018, 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Go to this link to Buy Ticket Online
<https://pauseandpaint.com/events/cardinal/>

A Note from Barbara Hocking:



Barbara Hocking

When the snow flies, I'll no longer be driving. We have done very well with our bottle/can refunds. To date the Trustees have received \$150 in 2018. The Trustees are responsible to care for all church property. The recycling is easy. Any volunteers? Please speak to the Church Office.

A BIG THANK YOU to Barbara for the years of dedication to this fundraising program.



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DATES TO REMEMBER:

November

- 3 Mission Team Meeting
- 7 First Wednesday Luncheon 11:45am
Craft & Vendor Fair Meeting 6 pm
- 12 UMW meet at Hawkins Building at Masonicare 1pm
- 14 Regional Charge Conference at First Methodist Church, Meriden 7pm
- 17 Cardinal in the Snow Painting Party \$35 per person
Register online at pauseandpaint.com/events/cardinal
- 18 Thanksgiving Sunday items for Master's Manna
Care Team Meeting to prepare items for Holiday giving

December

- 8 Craft and Vendor Fair - 9am to 2 pm

November 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 10 Mission Team Meeting
4 <i>All Saints' Day</i> 9am Choir Rehearsal 10 Worship 12-5 Bloom Rental	5 7:00 Coalition for Better Wallingford	6 9:30 Quilting Ministry 7:44 Mfg. 12 STEP	7 11:45am First Wednesday Luncheon 7:44 Mfg.	8	9	10
11 9am Choir Rehearsal 10 Worship	12 1:00 UMW 7:00 Coalition for Better Wallingford	13 9:30 Quilting Ministry 7:44 Mfg. 12 STEP	14 7 Regional Charge Conference-First Methodist Church Meriden 7:44 Mfg.	15	16	17 3:30-5:30 Cardinal in the Snow Painting Party
18 <i>Thanksgiving Sunday</i> 9am Choir Rehearsal 10 Worship	19 *Pastor Anne begins Medical Leave 7:00 Coalition for Better Wallingford	20 9:30 Quilting Ministry 7:44 Mfg. 12 STEP	21 7:44 Mfg.	22 <i>Happy Thanksgiving and Many Blessings</i>	23	24
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