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UNION BAPTIST CHURCH







We're glad you're here.

We delight in having visitors for worship, education, and fellowship. Join us any time for our regular Sunday services, our Wednesday night Connect, or for some special event. On Sundays, visit our Welcome Center just inside the main entrance. Look for a friendly "greeter" to answer any questions or point you in the right direction.

If you are looking for a new church, or if you are new to trying church, we are glad you are at UBC. We will do our best to help you feel comfortable and enjoy your time with us.

This packet is full of information that can enhance your life. Throughout the year, we provide multiple ways for newcomers to get involved and feel connected to UBC. We seek to be a blessing to you, and we know that you will bless our church family as well.

If you have further questions, please contact our staff, our church office, or one of our loving volunteers. We are looking for ways to bless your life, and it's our privilege to serve you.

Serving Jesus,

Senior Pastor





LOYALTY · CALLING · TEACHABILITY · COMMITMENT · ABILITY · SERVICE



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CONNECTING NEIGHBORS TO JESUS AND SERVING HIM TOGETHER.

CONNECTING

This is the charge of <u>all</u> Christians and our church. We will intentionally and lovingly connect with those around us and lead them closer to Jesus.

NEIGHBORS

These are people that worship, work, and live around us that we want to engage in authentic loving relationships.

TO JESUS

We want to lead people to Jesus. We want everything we do to lead others to know and serve God better.

AND SERVING HIM TOGETHER

We serve God best within a community of believers. We can accomplish so much more together. We need one another. At UBC, we are seeking to live in unity, always mindful of God's purpose.





1. We value TRUTH

- We value Truth in the form of a Person whose name is Jesus.
- We believe the story of Jesus is revealed without error in God's Word.
- We strive to base our attitudes and actions on this Truth.

2. We value COMMUNITY

- We value the energy, experiences and wisdom of all generations.
 - We believe sharing Jesus is an essential part of growing people into a relationship with Him.
 - We strive to connect neighbors with each other and Jesus.

3. We value SERVICE

- · We value serving our community.
- We believe Jesus demonstrated how to serve others.
- · We strive to live more like Jesus.

4. We value Spiritual Growth (Life Changes)

- We value life change through relationship with Jesus.
- · We believe Jesus changes lives.
- We strive to help people grow daily in Christ.







CELEBRATE

Praise the Lord, O my soul; let all my inmost being, praise His holy name. - Psalm 103:1

Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done wonderful things. – Isaiah 25:1

WE CELEBRATE WORSHIP

Worship is our proper response to who God is, being thankful for all He has done, for all He is doing, and for all He has yet to do. We worship God individually in our daily lives, and we regularly gather with others to worship God together.

WE CELEBRATE CHANGED LIVES

As we surrender our lives to God, His Holy Spirit indwells us and begins a lifetime of change within us. As we study the teachings of the Bible, we are challenged to make life applications of the truths of God's Word. We celebrate the change God brings in each of our lives.

WE CELEBRATE GROWING IN CHRIST

In our quest to become more like Jesus, we learn individually and from others about the character of God, how to surrender to God, and how to serve God in the way we live. As we seek to please God in all we do, we are constantly growing closer to Him.

For more information contact: Mark Webb pastormark@unionbaptistchurch.org





CONNECT

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the moe you see the Day approaching. – Hebrews 10:24–25

Our goal is to connect with God and with others. We seek to sharpen each other, learn together, and encourage one another to live closer to Jesus and serve Him faithfully.

WE CONNECT IN WORSHIP

As we worship together, we lift our collective hearts up to God. Through worship, we are challenged to apply God's Word to our daily lives.

WE CONNECT IN SMALL GROUPS

We grow closer to each other through times of learning, fellowship, and the sharing of lives. We grow in Christ together and we uplift and uphold one another through prayer and support.

WE CONNECT IN SERVICE

We are blessed to get to know one another through service and ministry. We can learn a great deal about ourselves and each other as we serve God, our church, our community, and even the world.

For more information contact: Kevin Janofski kjanofski@unionbaptistchurch.org





CARE

In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven. -- Matthew 5:16

Caring for others is our demonstration of loving Jesus. There are some things we can only learn through service. God teaches us humility through serving, to be part of something greater than ourselves, and to raise the needs of others above our own.

WE CARE BY SERVING INSIDE OUR CHURCH

There are so many ministries where we can use our talents to bless others (children, youth, teaching, music, hospitality, welcoming, and many more). By serving within the church, we enable others to grow closer to Christ, but we learn so much in the process of caring.

WE CARE BY SERVING OUTSIDE THE CHURCH

We seek to engage our community in various ways to exemplify the love of Jesus Christ. We serve our neighbors through loving acts of kindness, volunteering in areas of need, through personal evangelism, and in many other ways.

For more information contact: Stephanie Gaines thegainesthree@hotmail.com



PLEASE JOIN US FOR A MEAL ON WEDNESDAYS NIGHTS

Every Wednesday during the school year, we offer a meal from 5:30pm to 6:15pm in our fellowship hall. This provides a time for fellowship, as well as dinner for busy families before classes begin.

DINNER (FREE) 5:30-6:15PM

*We take a break on dinners during the summer

Classes 6:30-8:00 PM

Nursery (Birth - 4 years old) Main floor near staff offices

Children (5-5th Gr.)Initially meet in the basement, but eventually

the teaching time will be in the Children's area (2nd floor)

Youth (6th-12th Gr.) Youth room near basement entrance

Adults We often offer several classes. One in the sanctuary

and one in the basement classroom.

This is a great opportunity for people of all ages to grow in Christ.



designed to grow you in Christ while connecting you to other believers.

SUNDAY MORNING AT 9:30 AM

One of the best ways to connect at Union Baptist Church is through our Small Groups. These groups foster closer relationships as you dig deeper into God's Word.

Jeff Trowbridge & Carl Miller (Room 112 - basement) trowbridgejeff@gmail.com doccmill@gmail.com

Jeff Smith & David Craddock (Room 106 - basement) jsandltsmith@fuse.net bobbiedave297@gmail.com

Prime Timers' Class (Room 203 - Legacy Center near the main entrance) Tom Golatski tgolatzki@yahoo.com

College & Career Class (Room 212 - just past the coffee station)
Lisa Kidwell & Chris Lehnoff
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OTHER ADULT SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES

MEN'S COFFEE CLUB

(Monday at 9:30 am in the Legacy Center, near the main entrance)

MEN GATHERING TOGETHER TO SHARE LIFE AND ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER, WHILE GROWING IN CHRIST.

Gerry Gamble

WOMEN'S MINISTRY STUDIES (SEASONAL STUDIES & FREQUENT FELLOWSHIPS)

WOMEN GETTING TOGETHER TO FELLOWSHIP, LEARN, AND TO COLLECTIVELY MAKE A DIFFERENCE THROUGH MISSION PROJECTS.

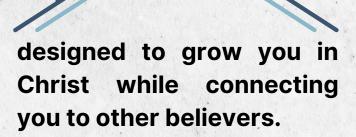
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WOMEN ON MISSION (WMU)

WOMEN ON MISSION IS DESIGNED TO EQUIP ADULT WOMEN IN BECOMING ACTIVE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST AS THEY LIVE ON MISSION FOR JESUS. THEY OFTEN LEAD US TO BE INVOLVED IN MISSIONS.

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HOME GROUPS

We believe we serve God best when we are connected with others to learn, gain accountability, and serve together. Our home groups are open to Christians and those who are learning about Jesus and His message.

WHAT IS A HOME GROUP?

A home group is 10-20 people gathering in homes on a regular basis to share life, food, fellowship, Bible Study, and prayer. It is designed to relationally connect people while fostering growth in Jesus.

WHAT HAPPENS IN A HOME GROUP?

Expect a warm time of fellowship, food, Bible Study, and prayer. It is a time of connecting with God and with others. These groups share life, encourage and support one another, while growing closer to Jesus.

HOW LONG DOES EACH HOME GROUP MEETING LAST?

Each Home Group picks the length of time they meet. However, most groups meet for two to three hours to allow time for the various activities of the gathering.

HOW DO I JOIN A HOME GROUP?

Are you interested in joining a Home Group? It's easy. Email one of the contacts or the church office and let them know you're interested. We want to get you connected.



designed to grow you in Christ while connecting you to other believers.

CURRENT HOME GROUPS

EVERY OTHER FRIDAY EVENING

Kevin and Aerial Janofski & Tom and Stephanie Gaines kjanofski@unionbaptistchurch.org super_hero009@yahoo.com

2ND & 4TH SUNDAY EVENINGS

Mark and Kristy Webb & Mark and Denae Ashley pastormark@unionbaptistchurch.org markash5@gmail.com

Children will be a part of the group time and we provide for their needs.



Wednesday 6:3

6:30pm-8:00pm

Sunday

9:30am-12:00pm

Classes for all Ages

NURSERY (BIRTH - 2 YEARS OLD)

(Located on the main floor near staff offices (Wed. & Sun.)

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

(Located on the 2nd floor above the staff offices

LEADER: LISA CHERRY

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The Children's Ministry at Union Baptist Church exists to provide a loving, nurturing and safe environment in which we teach children the importance of a personal relationship with our Savior, Jesus Christ. This is done for infants through 5th Grade by putting them in age-appropriate groups, and through a variety of learning and fellowship opportunities. The ultimate goal is leading them to knowledge and salvation in Jesus Christ, while teaching and training them to love others.

God provides clear instruction for people of all ages to know Him, grow in Him, and to serve Him. In Deuteronomy 6, God reveals a life-encompassing plan for His people.

"Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one.
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart
and with all your soul and with all your might.
And these words that I command you today shall
be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children,
and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you
walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise."

We believe that parents have the primary role of teaching biblical truths to their children. However, the church is God's chosen vehicle to equip all ages with the knowledge of Jesus, how we can be saved, and how to serve Him.

We want to assist each child in taking another step toward knowing and serving Jesus. We utilize amazing volunteers and staff to nurture children as they grow in their faith. Children at UBC will learn that church is a welcoming and fun place where they can make friends, learn about Jesus, while growing as a person.



SUNDAY

Small Group Bible Study

Worship

WEDNESDAY

Youth Group

9:30pm-10:30am

Meets in the Youth room, basement - Room 101

10:45am

Sanctuary

6:30pm-8:00pm

Meets in the Youth room, basement - Room 101



LEADER: KEVIN JANOFSKI

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Along with the rest of UBC, our purpose is to connect neighbors to Jesus and serve Him together.

To make this happen, we strive for our gatherings and ministries to center on relationships, Bible engagement, fun, and service.

We are serious about connecting and building relationships because:

- 1) Jesus' own ministry was all about relationships. This is how He made disciples and how He calls His followers to do likewise.
- 2) It seems like almost every week a new study comes out that says humans are more isolated and lonely than ever.

Enter the UBC Youth Ministry

Some of our annual events include Summer Camp, Disciple Now, WinterJam, Summer Pool Party, 6th Grade Transition, Friendsgiving, Christmas Caroling to the homebound, Ugly Sweater Contest (we get REALLY into that one) and lots of other activities. All of our meetings and events seek to inspire and equip youth to live on mission for Jesus in their everyday lives.

Our incredible group of volunteers love our youth and we are excited to be serving more than ever.







A PLACE FOR EVERYONE

Bible Studies Worship Team Evangelism Deaf Ministry Audio & Visual Production Children's Ministry Adult Choir Coffee Barista Youth Ministry Deacon **Decorating Senior Adult Ministry** Greeter . **Home Based Groups Kitchen & Hospitality Team Men's Ministry Outreach Team Security Team Sunday Small Groups Women's Ministry**













Staff Offices – Rooms #202, 203, 204, 208, 308



UPPER LEVEL

