





A NOTE FROM LYNN:

Hey Gang!

Can you believe it...it's 2026!!!! There are a BUNCH of things in store for you in January & February so I hope I get to see you often! I hope that your faith journey is going strong-I hope the activities this month will make them stronger! Between UMYF, Bible Study, Sunday School and Worship, we've got Cosmic Bowling, the Super Bowl, Footsoldiers, Dinner & Breakfast clubs as well as 30 Hour Famine! SOOO - I hope you will join me for a wild journey in faith and fun! That's what it's all about-Enjoying our blessings in faith by fellowship, fun and following His Word- I especially hope to strengthen your own personal faith walk-that is my hope and prayer! I hope you will know that you have a specific place in the ministry of our youth group! So take time to check out your own faith... with God, one on one & see where you can connect to further along your journey in Christ with the Youth Group!! HAVE A BLESSET

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FEBRUARY

BIBLE STUDY— Each Wednesday night we meet from 6:15-7pm in the Youth Room in the LEC for a weekly Bible Study. 7th-12th grade are all invited! We have been studying the scriptures and they how speak to us today and it is AWESOME! Come and join in the journey!

U.M.Y.F. - It stands for United Methodist Youth Fellowship & it's Sunday night -each Sunday evening beginning with Snack Supper at 5:15 for \$1. A fun time that gathers everyone all up in God's for some time for food, games & devotion to strengthen our faith!

SUPER BOWL PARTY – Come check out the BIG GAME with us! We will have all the awesome football chow you love...you know- hot wings, chips & dips, meatballs, cocktail weenies... & ice cream! It will be a great night you can check out the game....shoot some hoops and enjoy some fellowship! We will hang out until halftime show is over! Invite a BUNCH of Friends! FOOTSOLDIERS – It's A Football Tradition—We need help taking up

Soup-er Bowl donations after each Sunday Service on February 8th-Holler at Lynn if you can help!

NEXT STEP — All the Seniors in the house come together & enjoy a homemade meal at Lynn's House.... Don't forget our traditional "ice cream buffet" too! It's a great time for some devotion & fellowship with our high school seniors & college & young adult folks! ...see you @ 7!

DINNER CLUB— Each month we have been getting together to "dine out" as a treat just to enjoy the fellowship & conversation with each other over a delicious meal. Jan. Dinner will be at Cocina Mexicana Wolfchase-Feb. we will be dining at Cracker Barrel! It's Dutch Treat! We meet at the restaurant at 6:00pm.

A.S.P. MEETING – If you are in the 9th –12th grade and want to participate in this year's Appalachia Service Project – our home repair mission trip in the Appalachian mountains....You need to mark your calendars for February 25th at 7:15 in the Youth Room. We will discuss calendar dates for fundraisers & workdays & also monetary commitments.

COSMIC BOWLING! - Come and bring your friends for a fun night to just fellowship together—late night! More info closer to event as to time, cost, and reserving spot! Meet at the Lanes! BREAKFAST CLUB— A tradition at Bartlett UMC during the school year is to wake up at the crack of dawn—go to church—eat a DELICIOUS and HOT breakfast prepared just for you with a devotion and some fellowship—get a treat for the day and then head out to school with your very own chauffeur! In February we will have Fat Tuesday Breakfast Club with King Cake...pizza ...ice cream... Always fun before Lent begins! Old Fellowship Hall at 5:45AM! .. Always fun!

VALENTINE'S PARTY—Sunday FEB. 15th we will have our very own room mom—Shari Russenberger hosting a Valentine's party just for you and your friends during UMYF time! You won't want to miss the ALWAYS AMAZING festivities, food and fun!

UPCOMING EVENTS—March is going to be a HAPPENING month with Lakeshore retreat March 13-15th and Spring Crafts Fair March 27th and 28th. Mark your calendars! More info about Famine and Lakeshore retreat sending out later!

PARENT'S MTG—Parents meet in the LEC Parlor at 7:00 on January 25th! Come and get all the information you will need for upcoming youth events! Please make time to attend!

