



Daylight Savings Time ends at 2am
on Sunday, November 1.
Remember to set your clocks back
or you'll be early for church!



Office hours on Wednesday October 28 will
be 10am to 2pm and on Friday, October 30,
the office will be opening late.



GBUMC Fellowship Hall ☺

Bring a treat to share.

Come at 5:30 if you want to refresh your skills.

We call it a tournament, but it's really just for fun.

NEWS & Notes

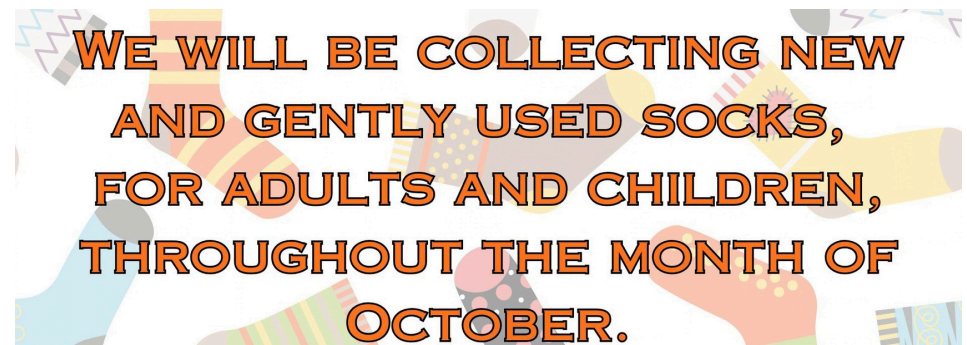
GRAND BLANC UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday, October 25, 2026



We hope you are planning to stay and enjoy this delicious fundraiser to support our Youth Mission Trip to serve with the Appalachia Service Project!

We send youth every other year to work on homes that need repair keeping the homeowners warmer, safer and drier!

Thank you for your continued support!



Socks will be donated to local organizations
in November.

Sponsored by your Church and Society Team!



Fundraiser at Culver's!!

Monday, October 26
5-8pm



To support our
Community Care Fund!

We hope to see you at Culver's!! Bring a friend or two!!

Card Ministry will meet on Wednesday, October 28 at 1pm
All are welcome to come and help with this impactful ministry!



Church & Society will meet in the church
library on Saturday, October 31 at 10am.
All are welcome!

Please help us keep accurate attendance records!
Fill out your Connect Card and place it in the offering basket.

Thank you!!

The following people have gift cards on the desk in the office
because their name was recently drawn:

Brenda Reints, Mariann Quaderer & Joanne Lepri,
Angela & Kevin Cook!!



*Our Prayer Shawl Group meets
every Wednesday at 10am.
All are welcome to join this
group to knit or crochet!*

SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS



Fall is here and we are excited about the startup of this year's **SOS** (support our students) program. Look for the list of current college students in the Narthex! We still have a couple of students that need a sponsor!! Choose a student, write your name by the student (this makes it easier to know who to contact if any information needs updating) and take the slip of paper with their information. Commit to supporting them during this current school year with mail, prayers, texts, etc. Thank you for your support of this important ministry!

HAPPY
HALLOWEEN

EVERY YEAR ON HALLOWEEN, SEVERAL OF US WHO DON'T GET ANY TRICK OR TREATERS AT OUR HOMES, COME UP TO THE CHURCH, PARK BY THE BRIDGE, DECORATE OUR TRUNKS AND HAND OUT CANDY. WE INVITE ANYONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE TO JOIN US!!

TRICK OR TREAT HOURS FOR THE CITY OF GRAND BLANC AND GRAND BLANC TOWNSHIP ARE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2026 FROM 6-8PM. IF YOU ARE JOINING US, PLEASE HAVE YOUR TRUNK READY BY 5:45PM. IF YOU ARE OUT AND ABOUT WITH YOUR LITTLE ONES, WE'D LOVE IT IF YOU WOULD STOP BY!

LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!



All

are
welcome!

GBUMC is hosting a **FREE**

COMMUNITY DINNER

Takeout available

The **FIRST Wednesday**
of each month, 5 - 6 pm

(freewill offering accepted but not expected)

November 4

Ham, Cheesy Potatoes, Vegetable, Rolls, Dessert & Drinks

Let's start a Young Adult Group!

We are looking at beginning some connections with the young adults in our congregation, and are looking for some folks who would be interested in creating and fostering that community. If you are interested, please indicate so on your connect card, or you can reach out to Angela Campbell. Thanks!

Lay Servant Ministries is an important lay leadership development program within the United Methodist connection. It equips and empowers lay servants to have opportunities to grow as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Disciples who then go and make other disciples. Feel free to contact the church office if you would like more information about this course.

LAY SERVANT MINISTRIES: THE BASIC COURSE

Wednesday, November 11

5:00-7:30 pm

&

Saturday, November 21

9:00 am-5:00 pm

**North Branch: First UMC,
4165 Huron Street,
North Branch, MI 48461**



- Participants must attend both sessions in full to receive credit.
- Bring a sack lunch.
- Purchase and bring to class the textbook, "Lay Servant Ministries Basic Course Participant's Book" (ISBN: 9780881776263).

Free to REGISTER

Send questions to:

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