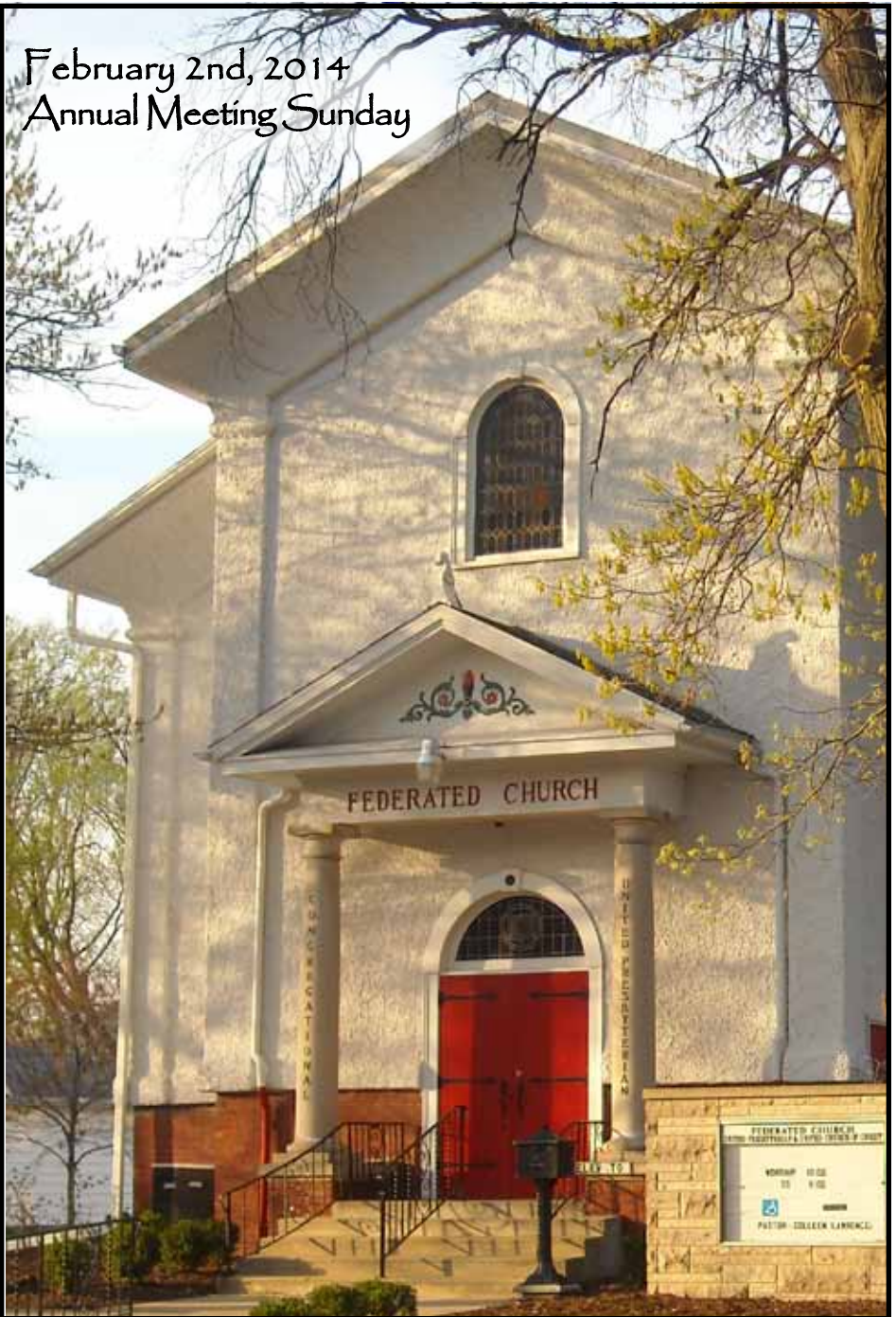


February 2nd, 2014
Annual Meeting Sunday



The Federated Church of Paxton
10:00 a.m. Worship Service



Welcome to our guests!

Please take a minute to sign our guest book located at the back of the sanctuary.

Sharing of Joys, News, Concerns

Opening Prayer

* Call to Worship *(responsively)*

One: Today is our Annual Meeting, a day of remembering the past, celebrating the present and having hope for the future.

All: We come as young & old, male & female. We come liking the old hymns, and some of us, a bit livelier songs. Some of us come more reverent and some a bit more gladsome. Some of us come as joggers and some more sedentary. Some of us come as Super Bowl fans, and some of us don't rightly care. We even come as Presbyterian and United Church of Christ. Yet we come, serving ONE LORD AND SAVIOR!

One: Perhaps the reason we are all here for worship & meeting is this: despite all our differences & variety, we have in common a longing to find a way in life and to be found by a powerful, loving Father who seeks us & who desires our faith & praise & loyalty. We even come to celebrate our differences, as some of us are able & willing to serve on council, and some serve as prayer warriors, some supplying labor, and some financial aid.

All: Yes, we come!

Lectionary Scripture Micah 6:1-8;

Hymn *"We Would See Jesus" (vs 1 & 2)* Insert

Offering

Doxology

Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

Hymn *"We Would See Jesus" (vs 3-5)* Insert

*All who are able, PLEASE STAND

Reflection

ANNUAL MEETING

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Hymn *"Let Us Break Bread Together"*

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Invitation

Communion Prayer

Sharing of the Gifts

Prayer

***Closing Hymn** *"Jesus Loves Me"*

***Benediction**

May God grant spiritual muscle to your commitment,

Movement to your faith,

And gentleness to your deeds.

In a risen Redeemer, find new power & new life. Amen.

***Postlude**

***Lord, We ask thanksgiving, comfort, healing
and faith for these friends and family members***

Georgia Turner, Marcella Woodworth, Sue Moore, Kitty Anderson,
Brent Lawrence, Robin Niewold, Priscilla Andreae, Jeff & Barb Legener

Continued Health of Cancer Treatment Patients

Janet Goudy, Alan Turner, Ivan Andreae

Homebound or in Nursing Homes

Sue Moore, Donald Rhodes, Jani Fraim, Marcella Woodworth

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For the month of February, please bring *peanut butter, toilet paper, soap  
& kleenex* for the Food Pantry.

***As always, all non-perishable food items are welcomed.***

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **Today, February 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting Sunday**

Adult Sunday School, 8:45am  
Confirmation, 9:00am  
Youth Sunday School, 9:30am  
Worship & Annual Meeting, 10:00am

## **Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>**

Church Office Hours, 2:30-6:30pm  
Bible Study at Maxine A's, 6:30pm

## **Wednesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>**

PAMA Meeting, Noon at Monical's  
Choir Practice, 6:30pm

## **Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup>**

UCC Clergy Meeting, 10-2pm at  
Federated (*No Office Hours*)

## **Sunday, February 9<sup>th</sup>**

Adult Sunday School, 8:45am  
Confirmation, 9:00am  
Youth Sunday School, 9:30am  
Worship & Installation of Officers, 10am

## **Tuesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>**

Church Office Hours, 2:30-6:30pm  
Bible Study at Maxine A's, 6:30pm

## **Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>**

Choir Practice, 6:30pm

## **Thursday, February 13<sup>th</sup>**

Church Office Hours, 8am-12pm

## February

*Birthdays & Anniversaries*

3<sup>rd</sup> - Russ & Nancy Taylor Ann.

6<sup>th</sup> - Eric Funk

9<sup>th</sup> - Laura Adkins

10<sup>th</sup> - Maxine Anderson

25<sup>th</sup> - Robin Niewold

## IGA RECEIPTS

We have \$167,000  
collected in IGA receipts!

Keep them coming!

Remember to put your receipts  
in the basket on  
the table in the sanctuary.

Thank you!

## **Communion Elder List for Sunday Worship**

**February 2<sup>nd</sup>** - Greg Anderson

**March 2<sup>nd</sup>**/Transfiguration of  
Jesus - Doug & Deana Niewold

**March 5<sup>th</sup>**/Ash Wednesday -  
Vicki Cole

**April 17<sup>th</sup>**/Maundy Thursday  
Doug & Deana Niewold

**April 20<sup>th</sup>**/Easter - Jackie Roy

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Organist - Priscilla Andreae