



# MUNSEY

## UPDATE FOR MAY 10, 2026

Acts 17:22-31

### WEEKLY GROUPS AND STUDIES

#### WOMEN'S STUDY GROUP

Our Women's Study Group meets on Monday mornings from 9:30-11:00am in the Parlor, and all women are welcome! Contact Amanda Onks ([amanda@munsey.org](mailto:amanda@munsey.org)) with questions or to join.

#### WAYNE ANDERSON PRAYER GROUP

The Wayne Anderson Men's Prayer Group meets **Thursday mornings at 6:30am** in the Christian Life Center Meeting Room. We invite all men from all churches to join us for study, prayer, and fellowship. For more information, please email Bill Darden ([billdarden7@aol.com](mailto:billdarden7@aol.com)).

#### WEDNESDAY MORNING MEN'S GROUP

Our men's prayer group meets each Wednesday morning at 8:00am in the Conference Room. They take turns leading a devotion with the group and share life and prayer requests together. For more information, please contact Boyce Berry at [boyceberry40@gmail.com](mailto:boyceberry40@gmail.com).

#### WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS

We have programs for all ages from 6:00-7:00pm each Wednesday through **May 13!** We also have a 1:00pm option for the Pastor's Bible Study. See our Messenger and Family Ministries Newsletter in brochure racks and [munsey.org](http://munsey.org) for more info. We'd love to see you this Wednesday!

#### GRADUATE SUNDAY & UNITED METHODIST STUDENT DAY

**Sunday, May 17**, is a special day in the life of Munsey and when United Methodist Churches across the world join to affirm student ministries and education. We'll join in a **combined worship service at 11:00am in the Christian Life Center Gym** that morning to recognize our graduating high school and college students. We won't have 9:00am Sanctuary worship but will have communion available in the Chapel at 9:30am for those who would like to drop by before Sunday School. Open Door worship and Sunday School will meet as usual. We hope you'll plan to be there and surround our students in love and joy from the faith community that has poured into them!

#### COLLEGE GRADUATES CELEBRATION

We are excited to recognize and celebrate our college graduates during combined worship on **May 17** as we honor this important milestone in their lives. If you have a college student graduating this year, we would love the opportunity to acknowledge their accomplishment with our church family. Please submit their name to [beth.sullivan@munsey.org](mailto:beth.sullivan@munsey.org) by May 16 so they can be included in this special time of recognition. We look forward to celebrating their hard work, dedication, and achievement together as a congregation.

#### MAHJONG AT MUNSEY

All are welcome! Join us for a relaxed time of Mahjong in the Gathering Place, now on alternating Wednesdays (2:30-4:30pm) and Fridays (10:00am-12:00pm), with **May 15, 20, and 29** as opportunities this month. All skill levels are welcome, including beginners who would like to learn. Email [tricia.nguyen@yahoo.com](mailto:tricia.nguyen@yahoo.com) for more information.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

All ladies are welcome to join us **tomorrow at 12:00pm** at Ole's Guacamoles, and we look forward to lunch and fellowship together. Please let Amanda Onks know ([amanda@munsey.org](mailto:amanda@munsey.org)) if you plan to be there so we can save you a seat.

#### MUNSEY WEEK AT CAMP BAYS MOUNTAIN

Munsey Week at Camp Bays Mountain is **June 14-19**, with Pastor Chris as the Minister in Residence. Registration is filling up quickly for our week, so be sure and grab your camper's spot today! Contact Amanda ([amanda@munsey.org](mailto:amanda@munsey.org)) to register with a Munsey scholarship code.

#### MELTING POT – UPCOMING HEALTH AND WELLNESS RESOURCE FAIR

Our second Health and Wellness Resource Fair of 2026 for our downtown community will be held **Saturday, May 23, from 8:30am to 12:00 noon**. Medical services will be available, as well as resource tables, snacks, and giveaways. Haircuts will be offered and lunch will be provided. To make this event a success, we need general volunteers and would love to have Munsey members participating. Please visit this link <https://tinyurl.com/tkmcntkb> to sign up to help!

For additional information, please contact Anthony Jackson, director of local missions at [anthony.jackson@munsey.org](mailto:anthony.jackson@munsey.org). We appreciate each and every one who helps make this day a success!

#### ZOOM IN JUNE! MONDAY NIGHT 5-WEEK ONLINE STUDY OF EPHESIANS

Join us via Zoom at **7:00pm each Monday night in June** for a five-week, verse-by-verse study of Ephesians. This brief, yet powerful book, often called the most influential document ever written, presents a Gospel of union with Christ and is deeply relational in its approach to life with God. The sessions will be lead by lay servants, Miriam and Eric Smith. Email Eric Smith at [ericsmith33@comcast.net](mailto:ericsmith33@comcast.net) for meeting details.

**REBUILD EMBREEVILLE STAFF & LAITY WORK DAY**

We are deeply grateful to our staff and laity who gave their time and energy on May 5 to serve at the workday in Embreeville. Your willingness to come together and work on staining decks is a wonderful reflection of servant-hearted dedication and teamwork. Because of your efforts, two Embreeville families now have newly stained decks, and your service made a meaningful difference. We have at least three more homes where we plan to complete this same work and will need additional volunteers. If you are interested in helping on a future date, please contact Trish ([1956tlpatt@gmail.com](mailto:1956tlpatt@gmail.com)) or Cheryl Maner ([cherylfmaner@gmail.com](mailto:cherylfmaner@gmail.com)). Thank you for sharing your hands, hearts, and commitment to making this ministry such a success.



**CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

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**SPARK KIDS**

Munsey is excited to offer preschool and elementary Bible studies on the second floor immediately following the Children's Message at 11:00 worship! First-time guests, please accompany your child to the Spark check-in desk on the second floor to get started.

**SPARK CAMP**

Spark Camp is **June 22-26**, and we hope to have lots of children attend! Adults and youth can sign up to volunteer at [munsey.org/spark-camp](http://munsey.org/spark-camp). We'd love to have you on the team!

**MUSIC AND WORSHIP ARTS**

We've had a great time in Music and Worship Arts on Sunday afternoons! Our last session of the semester is **today**, with regular drop-off time for kids, and **we invite parents and all in our congregation to come to the gym at 5:15pm** for a short worship service, led by our worship arts kids!



**YOUTH**

**WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES**

- **Sunday School:** Sundays on the Youth Floor from 10:00-10:45am, with fellowship and snacks from 9:45-10:00am
- **Life Groups:** Wednesday nights on the Youth Floor from 6:00-7:00pm
- **Prayer Breakfast:** Thursday mornings from 6:30-7:00am at the W. Market St. Chick-fil-A for high schoolers

**LIFE GROUPS**

Our last Life Group Meeting will be **May 13**. Weather permitting, all Life Groups will meet on the youth floor and walk down to Dairy Queen to celebrate the end of the school year and our seniors. Youth will need money for this adventure.

**SPARK CAMP**

*Spark Camp* (previously VBS) needs our help! The youth will be helping guide small groups of kids, lunch and games this year. We need help from **8:30am-12:00pm and 12:00pm-2:30pm**. If you or your youth can help for all of it or part of it, please let Mindy Moore ([mindy.moore@munsey.org](mailto:mindy.moore@munsey.org)) know.

For more information, please see our Family Ministries Newsletter, found in the brochure racks outside our worship spaces, at the Connection Point, and at [munsey.org](http://munsey.org).

*Sundays @ Munsey*

We are glad you are here! We have coffee in the Gathering Place & hope you'll stop by to grab a cup & get to know others.



**NORTH SIDE PARTNERSHIP**

For the month of May, we are collecting Related Arts supplies. Donations can be placed in the bins around the corner from the Connection Point.



**CHURCH OFFERING WEEK OF MAY 3, 2026**

Gifts from 5-3-26: \$14,197  
 Weekly Need: \$32,278  
 Difference: (-\$18,081)



**APRIL YEAR TO DATE \$20,205**  
 For online giving, scan the QR code or go to [munsey.org/give](http://munsey.org/give).

**WE HAVE THREE NEST ROOMS AVAILABLE TO FAMILIES WITH BABIES & TODDLERS ON SUNDAYS. PLEASE ASK AN USHER IF YOU NEED DIRECTIONS TO ONE OF THEM.**

- \*CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER LOBBY
- \*PARLOR
- \*LIBRARY

**WE'RE SO GRATEFUL TO HAVE YOUR FAMILY JOIN US IN WORSHIP TODAY!**

