

MUNSEY

UPDATE FOR OCTOBER 11, 2026

WOMEN'S STUDY GROUP

Our Women's Study Group meets each **Monday from 9:30-11:00am** in the Parlor. All women are welcome. Tomorrow we are discussing chapter 8 in *A Faith of Many Rooms: Inhabiting a More Spacious Christianity* by Debbie Thomas.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MEN'S GROUP

Our men's prayer group meets each **Wednesday morning at 8:00am** in the Conference Room. Members take turns leading a devotion with the group and share life and prayer requests together.

WEEKLY GROUPS AND STUDIES

ANDERSON-BERRY MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Anderson-Berry Men's Bible Study 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.

Please contact Amanda Onks (amanda@munsey.org or 423-461-8070, ext. 220) if you have questions or need more information about any of these weekly groups.



**OCTOBER 17
1:00-3:00PM
MUNSEY GYM**

Join us as we pack 30,000 meals in a wonderful mission opportunity that's fun for all ages! Visit www.munsey.org to volunteer or donate.



Your hands and heart can help provide a full stomach for those in need in developing nations! All ages are welcome to join us **October 17 at 1:00pm in the gym** as we pack 30,000 nutritious meals for communities around the world.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Join us on **Sunday, October 26, at 4:30pm at King Commons Park** for a Munsey tradition sponsored by our Church & Society Team! Bring your pets to be blessed during a short worship experience (on a leash or in a carrier). There will be singing, prayer, and a whole lot of fun with our beloved pets. We're excited to make this a community event at a public park and hope you'll share the date with others and invite them to join you. Physical donations will be accepted for the Washington County Animal Shelter, and information on needed items can be found at wcjanimalshelter.org/support-us/wish-lists/.



Church Council Meeting
(to vote on Charge Conference paperwork)
October 18 ~ Sanctuary
Immediately Following 11:00 Worship

**GET YOUR
FLU SHOT**

Free Vaccine Clinic
Wednesday, October 14 • 9:00am - 1:00pm
Christian Life Center Gym
Provided by East Tennessee State University

THIS WEEK | AT MUNSEY

MONDAY (10/12)

- ~ Women's Study Group (9:30am)
- ~ Prayer Time (11:15am)
- ~ Dementia Support Group (2:30pm)
- ~ MECCA (4:00pm)
- ~ Cub Scouts (6:15pm)
- ~ Boy Scouts (7:00pm)

TUESDAY 10/13

- ~ Orchestra Rehearsal (6:00pm)

WEDNESDAY (10/14)

- ~ Wednesday Morning Men's Group (8:00am)
- ~ ETSU Vaccine Clinic (9:00am)
- ~ Pastor's Bible Study (1:00pm)
- ~ Wednesday Night Programs (6:00pm)
- ~ Chancel Choir Rehearsal (7:00pm)
- ~ Young Adult Bible Study (7:15pm)

THURSDAY (10/15)

- ~ Anderson-Berry Men's Bible Study (6:30am)
- ~ High School Prayer Breakfast at W. Market Street Chick-Fil-A (6:30am)
- ~ Science Hill Football Dinner (5:00pm)
- ~ Civic Chorale (7:00pm)

FRIDAY (10/16)

- ~ Mahjong at Munsey (10:00am)

SATURDAY (10/17)

- ~ Shepherd's Breakfast (7:30am)
- ~ Rise Against Hunger (1:00pm)

SUNDAY (10/18)

- ~ Open Door Worship in the Melting Pot (9:00am)
- ~ Sanctuary Traditional Worship (9:00am)
- ~ Sunday School (10:00am)
- ~ Journey Worship in the Gym (11:00am)
- ~ Sanctuary Traditional Worship (11:00am)
- ~ Called Church Council (12:00pm)
- ~ Pumpkin Painting in the Playground (12:00pm)
- ~ Handbell Practice (6:00pm)

For details on meeting location and contact person for each event, please visit munsey.org/calendar.

YOUTH

IGNITE

Our next Ignite District Youth Event is **October 18 from 5:30pm – 7:30pm!!** We'll have a costume contest with prizes for the following categories: Funniest, Best Homemade, Best Group, and Best Overall. We'll provide pizza for dinner. Drop-off and pick-up is at the Wesley Foundation on the ETSU campus. Please **RSVP by October 15** to Mindy Moore (mindy.moore@munsey.org). Friends are always welcome!

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

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

CHILDREN

PUMPKIN PAINTING & PIZZA PARTY ON THE PLAYGROUND

Munsey Spark preschool and elementary families are invited to stick around after church on **October 18** for a fall hangout! We'll supply the pizza and paintbrushes—you bring the kids ready to play and get creative. In case of rain, the fun moves to the gym. Please let us know you're coming before October 15 at munsey.org/rsvp.

SPARK KIDS

We offer preschool and elementary Bible studies on the children's hallway following the Children's Message at 11:00am worship. First-time guests, please walk your child to the Spark check-in desk on the second floor to get started.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

We love seeing Munsey kids on Wednesday nights! Programs for infants through 5th graders are from 6:00 – 7 :00pm on the second floor children's hallway, with drop-off available at 5:45 so all can be in their groups and ready to start at 6:00.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

For more information on age level programs, please see our Family Ministries Newsletter found in the brochure racks outside our worship spaces, at the Connection Point, and at munsey.org.

Sundays @ Munsey

We have coffee in the Gathering Place! Come grab a cup and get to know others. We're glad you're here!



The love and sympathy of the church are extended to the family of Gail Burleson on her death on October 5.

HEARTS OPEN WIDE

Munsey provides many opportunities and ways to share the love of Jesus Christ. Some ministries require a gift of your time, and others require a gift of donations of things and money.

- **Melting Pot Shepherd's Breakfast**
October 17, and November 7, 14, 21, and 28
To learn more and sign up, visit munsey.org/meltingpot.
Time commitment: 2 hours each sign-up
- **Melting Pot Open Door Brunch**
November 1, 15, and 29
Visit munsey.org/meltingpot to learn more and sign up.
Time commitment: 2-3 hours each sign-up
- **Hands and Feet Sunday School**
The *Hands and Feet* class is a service-oriented group that participates in a service activity at church each Sunday. They meet at 10:00am in LL6, and each week has a different service focus.
Time commitment: one hour

LOOKING AHEAD

Mark these dates on your calendar!

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| – Community All Saints Concert
November 1 | – Youth ASP Mission Trip
June 13-19, 2027 |
| – Choir Chili Supper Fundraiser
November 1
And for 2027: | – Munsey Week at Camp Bays Mountain
June 21-25, 2027 |
| – Spark Camp
June 1-4, 2027 | Details can be found at munsey.org/calendar . |

PRAYER TIME

Our prayer ministry meets on **Mondays at 11:15am** in the Parlor. If you have a heart to pray for those in need, our church, and the world, please join us in prayer. For more information, contact Emily Ham (parishnurse@munsey.org).

Cluster Charge Conference
October 29 ~ Sanctuary
6:00pm

We have three Nest rooms available for families with babies and toddlers on Sundays. Please ask an usher if you need directions to one of them.

Christian Life Center Lobby
Parlor
Library

We are so grateful to have your family join us in worship today!



North Side Partnership

Thanks to your generous donations to Missions, Munsey will be hosting a Teacher-Staff Appreciation Luncheon on October 30!

CHURCH OFFERING WEEK OF OCTOBER 4, 2026

Gifts for 10-04-26: \$19,520
Weekly Need: \$32,285
Difference: (\$12,765)
SEPTEMBER YEAR TO DATE (\$153,724)

For online giving, scan the QR code or visit munsey.org/give.

