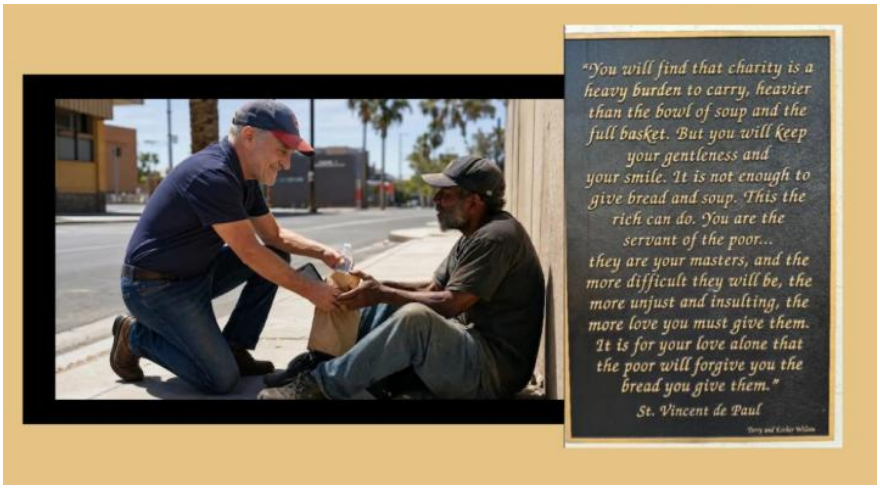
1st CONGREGATIONAL UCC CHARLEVOIX

Sunday, November 8, 2026



Welcome to our church family!"

Gathering Music – "Love in 5 Verses," *(v. 2, 3, & 4)*

Tolling of the Bell - our reminder to quiet ourselves inside *and* out for worship

Welcome

Opening Hymn - #615 "Community of Christ"

1st Scripture Readings – Deuteronomy 15:7-11 & Mark 14:3-9, *offered by Suzanne Balter*

Music for Reflection

2nd Scripture Readings – Galatians 6:9 &, *offered by Suzanne Balter*

Morning Message - "My Travels with the Burrito Man" – Highlights from Bell Rd w/Donn Start

Message Hymn - #575 "Lord Whose Love Through Humble Service"

Offering

Offertory Music

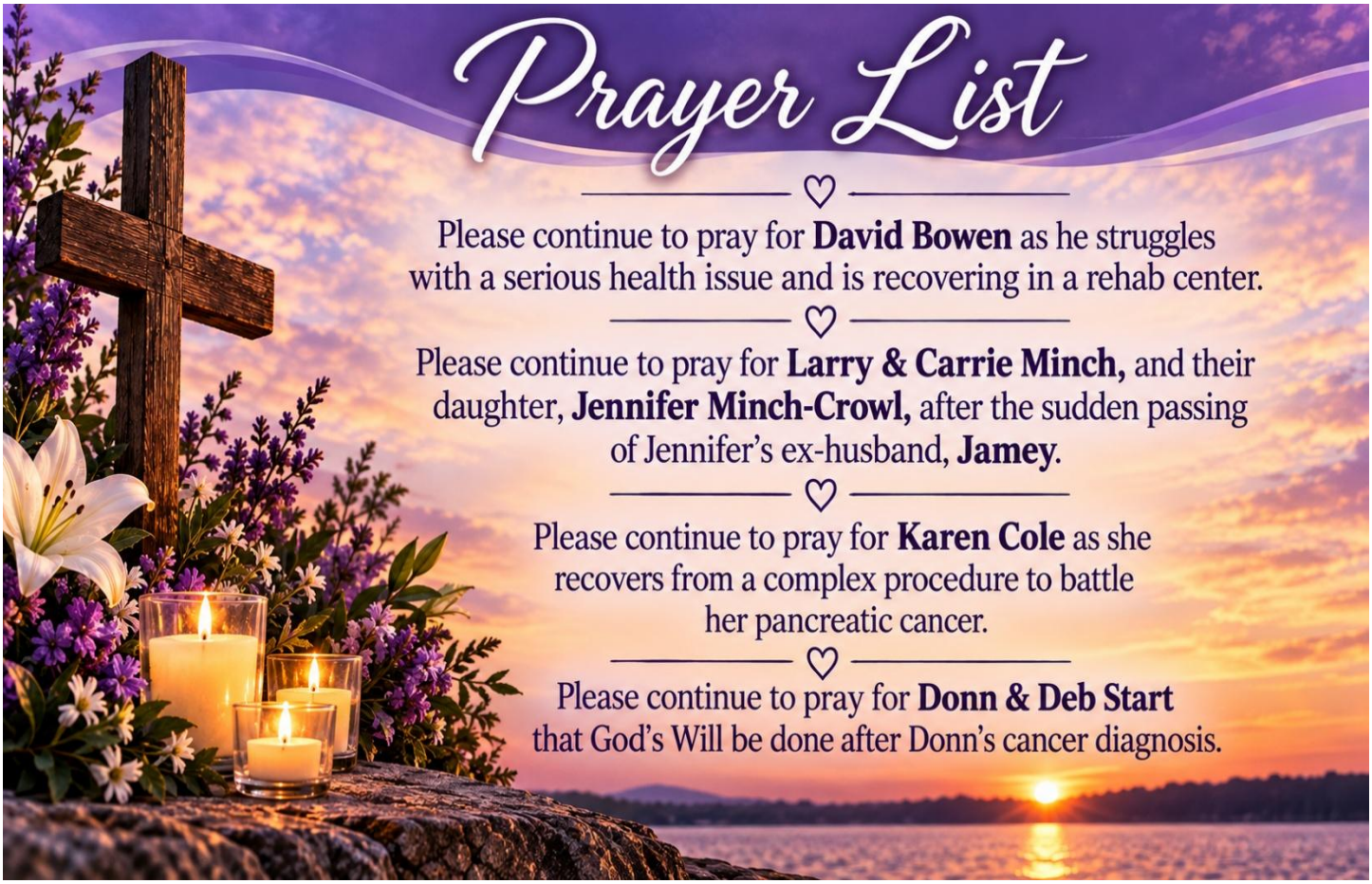
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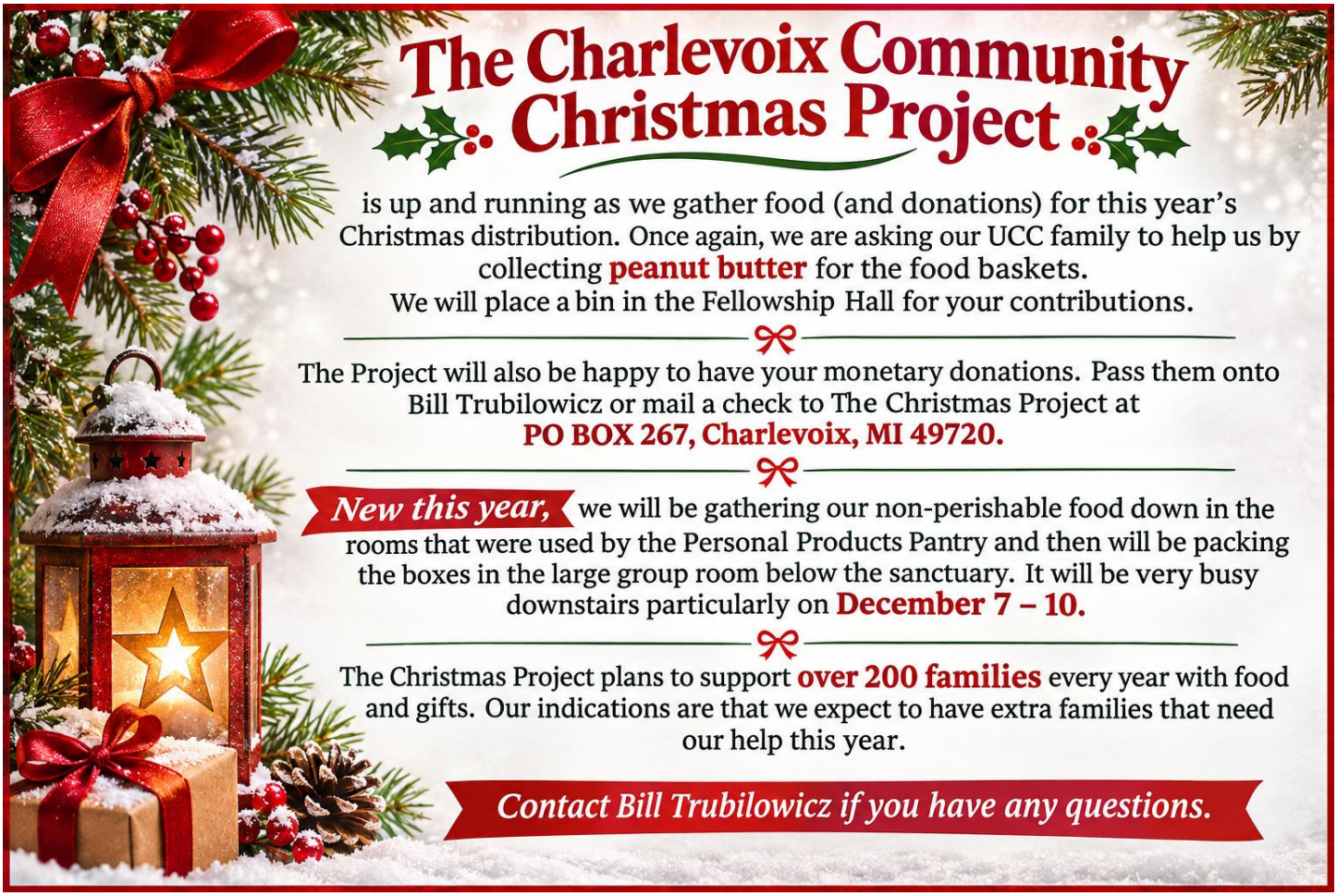
"Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Her above ye heavenly host,
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost, Amen

Closing Hymn - #372 "I Then Shall Live"

Benediction

Postlude


Prayer List
Please continue to pray for **David Bowen** as he struggles with a serious health issue and is recovering in a rehab center.
Please continue to pray for **Larry & Carrie Minch,** and their daughter, **Jennifer Minch-Crowl,** after the sudden passing of Jennifer's ex-husband, **Jamey**.
Please continue to pray for **Karen Cole** as she recovers from a complex procedure to battle her pancreatic cancer.
Please continue to pray for **Donn & Deb Start** that God's Will be done after Donn's cancer diagnosis.


The Charlevoix Community Christmas Project
is up and running as we gather food (and donations) for this year's Christmas distribution. Once again, we are asking our UCC family to help us by collecting **peanut butter** for the food baskets.
We will place a bin in the Fellowship Hall for your contributions.
The Project will also be happy to have your monetary donations. Pass them onto Bill Trubilowicz or mail a check to The Christmas Project at
PO BOX 267, Charlevoix, MI 49720.
New this year, we will be gathering our non-perishable food down in the rooms that were used by the Personal Products Pantry and then will be packing the boxes in the large group room below the sanctuary. It will be very busy downstairs particularly on **December 7 – 10.**
The Christmas Project plans to support **over 200 families** every year with food and gifts. Our indications are that we expect to have extra families that need our help this year.
Contact Bill Trubilowicz if you have any questions.

Love in 5 Verses –
Words & Music by Toby Jones

We've come together – to sing and to praise
God our Creator – all of our days
Serving together – with strength from above
Working for justice – spreading God's love

Love is what calls us – Love is our way
Love is the reason – we gather today
All are God's children – the near and the far
We're here to love you – so come as you are

Jesus unites us – He is God's Word
In flesh from the Father – His voice we have heard
The scriptures can guide us – so we'll understand
God's Word embodied – in one humble man

We reach deep inside us – where the Spirit abides
God gently whispers – to our hearts and our minds
We partner with others – to the world we will go
With love and compassion – as love's seeds we sow

There are no boundaries – where God's love will flow
No one's excluded – from the grace that we know
Our purple doors open – to red and to blue
Come and see with us – what love can do