

Weekly Events

Sunday, October 4th

Children's Sunday School

Discovery Dunes

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Adult Sunday School Class

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Fellowship Hall

Monday, October 5th

Fellowship Hall

Pickleball

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Tuesday, October 6th

Fellowship Hall

Awakenings Coffee Shop

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

Pickleball

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Fellowship Hall

Vision Team Meeting

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

South Wing Library

Wednesday, October 7th

South Wing Library

SPRC Meeting

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Blessed Misfits

South Wing & Zoom

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Jim Anderman

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Thursday, October 8th

Fellowship Hall

Awakenings Coffee Shop

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

Worship Team Practice

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Sanctuary

Pickleball

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Fellowship Hall

Friday, October 9th

Fellowship Hall

Celebrate Recovery

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM



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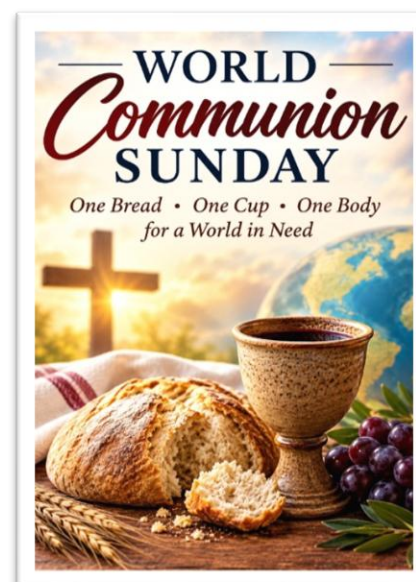
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In Church & Live Stream Services

Contemporary Service - 9:00 AM—10:00 AM

Traditional Service - 10:30 AM—11:30 AM

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Mission Opportunity

Next Sunday, October 11th, *Palmyra First* will again help prepare and serve the evening meal at *Lebanon Rescue Mission*. The tasks are easy and the rewards heartwarming. We meet at 2:00 PM and should be finished by 6:00 PM. If you will share in this expression of love for those in need, please sign up in Fellowship Hall (look for the orange papers). We are also asked to provide a list of basic pantry items to support the Mission. Requested items are also listed in Fellowship Hall.

It Wouldn't Be "Pastable" Without You!

A giant thank you to all who made our Spaghetti Dinner a great success! Whether you cooked, baked, served, attended, came for "takeout," or helped clean up.....you are truly appreciated! Together we raised \$1,600 for *Rise Against Hunger*!!!! Special kudos to Chef Dave and his crew!

Rise Against Hunger Blessing Cups

Our Missions Team has begun distributing "Blessing Cups" and asking that you add a few coins to it each time you count your own blessings in the month of October. Every dollar collected will benefit *Rise Against Hunger* on **November 7th**, when we will pack more than 15,000 meals to be distributed worldwide to those with food insecurity. Watch for the sign-up sheets to be part of that exciting morning!

Bosco's Friends Helping Friends

It's not too early to think about Christmas shopping! The *Mission Team* at *Palmyra First* is selling coupons for the Bosco's shopping event, *Friends Helping Friends*. Coupons will be available at the Welcome Desk in the church Narthex. The coupons are for up to 25% off any purchase, all day at *Bosco's* on **October 21st**. They will be available for a donation of \$5 each, and the proceeds benefit *Rise Against Hunger*. The coupon is good at any participating Bosco's store from **8:00 AM – 11:00 PM** on **October 21st**. This is good for in-store use only, not online.

HUB News

Thanks to everyone who helped with our HUB packing event in September. Our next HUB packing event is on October 27th at 6:30 PM in the fellowship hall.

For the month of October, we are in need of insect repellent (pump spray- 6-14 oz. or 10-20 wipes).

Trick or Treat Night

This year, Lebanon County will be trick-or-treating on Thursday, October 29th. Once again, *Palmyra First Church* will participate in the event.

You can help us with this simple act of hospitality by being at the church from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM to pass out the treats (coming in costume is optional!) and enjoying some time with like-minded people. You can also help by supplying some of the candy we will pass out. Each year, this has been a fun time for everyone and a chance to meet the neighbors.

Dinner and a Movie Coming Soon!

We are having a dinner and a movie once again on **October 25th, 2026**, in the sanctuary and fellowship hall at *Palmyra First*.

Dinner: 4:30 PM

Movie: 5:30 PM

"Soul On Fire"

Soul On Fire is based on a remarkable true story. In 1987, after a devastating fire, nine-year-old John O'Leary suffered burns over nearly his entire body and had less than a 1% chance of surviving. With lots of help, he not only survived but spent years learning how to truly live. His father told him, "You can't always choose the life you walk, but you can choose how to walk it". This is an inspirational movie about faith, perseverance, community, and God's redeeming love. It shows that we all have choices: not to let our past mistakes define us and to make an impact on someone else's life.

Men's Breakfast

We will be having another men's breakfast **Saturday, October 24th**, in the *Fellowship Hall* at *Palmyra First* church. After the breakfast, we will be doing yard work. Breakfast will be served at **8:00 AM**. Contact Tim Yingst if you are interested in attending or helping with yard work.

