

Sunday, April 27, 2025

Welcome Representative: Kim McLaren

Usher: Dick Owens

"Transitions" in Real Life

Joshua 24

Prelude Revelation Song

Rescue

Indescribable

Welcome Martin Smith

Songs Cornerstone

Every Good Gift

At Calvary #297 vs. 1, 3, 4

Prayer

Message Pastor Gary Salm

Communion

Announcements

Closing Song Heaven Came Down #331 vs. 1 - 3

Postlude

Invitation to Communion

Our celebration of communion is open to all believers. Communion Stewards will pass the elements to you.

If you would like more information about Christian Union Church, please complete the Newcomer/Visitor Information card (blue card located in the pew) and place it in the oak offering box on the table in the foyer.

Please give Prayer Requests (yellow slips located in the pew) to Pastor Gary. The prayer list is updated monthly with each newsletter. Please let us know if prayers have been answered.

Please remember to sign the attendance sheet inside the black pew pad and pass it down the pew.

At Christian Union Church we recognize that giving to God in tithes and offerings is an act of worship. A private act of worship according to Jesus. We have a box in the foyer to collect those offerings and we also receive them in the mail. God loves a cheerful giver. We pray: Gracious God, as we come before you this morning, we give you thanks for all the many ways that you have blessed us. As we present this offering, it is only a portion of all that we have received from our God. We dedicate these gifts to your purpose and ask your blessing upon them.

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Fri. 8:30 to Noon www.christianunionchurch.com Facebook: @metamorachristianunion

Announcement Highlights

<u>VBS Volunteer meeting</u> – is Monday, April 28 at 6:30 in the Family Room. If you are interested in volunteering for VBS (June 23 thru June 27), please plan to attend. Also, please sign up via SignUpGenius using the QR code to the right.

<u>2025 Graduates'</u>- information is being gathered. Will you please help us by letting the church office know about anyone completing Jr. High, Middle School, High School, College, or a Graduate Degree? We need to know WHO is graduating, the name of the SCHOOL, and their DEGREE or diploma. We are also asking for pictures. If possible, send this information electronically (via email or text) to the church office by Friday, May 9. We will celebrate and recognize graduates on Sunday, May 18, 2025.

Christian Union Church's Bible point

Psalm 124:1-5

If the Lord had not been on our side— let Israel say— if the Lord had not been on our side when people attacked us, they would have swallowed us alive when their anger flared against us; the flood would have engulfed us, the torrent would have swept over us, the raging waters would have swept us away.



Christian Union Church

BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, May 20 | 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Please eat before donating and bring a photo ID.

Fellowship Hall

925 W Walnut St - Metamora, IL

Group Code: 61307

Last Date to Donate Elsewhere: 3/25/25

To book appointment, call ImpactLife at 800-747-5401, email ImpactLife at hello@impactlife.org, or scan the QR code to schedule online.



Highlights of This Week at Christian Union Church

For the complete list of events, please see UPCOMING EVENTS on the website.

Sunday, 04/27	9:30 am	Coffee and donuts - Front Foyer
	10:00 am	Worship service and KidZone
Monday, 04/28	6:30 pm	VBS Volunteer meeting – Family Room
Tuesday, 04/29	6:30 pm	Women's Bible Study – Family Room
Wednesday, 04/30	11:00 am	Staff meeting
	4:30 pm	Band/Music Rehearsal
	6:00 pm	JH & HS Elevate – Fellowship Hall