

NEWS2USE

Lenten Services and Lunch Schedule for 2017 - Held at Morganfield First United Methodist Church. All services will begin at noon with a half hour of worship followed by a half hour of food and fellowship. The United Methodist Women's organization provides the meals for the Lenten gatherings. Donations for the luncheon are greatly appreciated and used to fund local community needs. Join us and be a part of this great ministry.

Wednesday, March 22 - Speaker Rev. Rodney Raymond, First Christian Church, Sturgis. Music by Janet Hodge

Wednesday, March 29 - Speaker Rev. Dwight Jackson, Grace Fellowship Church, Morgan-

field. Music by Greg Buckman

Wednesday, April 5 - Speaker Rev. Rick Bopp, Shiloh Christian Church, Morganfield. Music by Karen Wimpy

Wednesday, April 12 - Speaker Rev. Duke Williams, Carr's Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, Morganfield. Music by Abby Jones

Revival at Sturgis General Baptist Church-903 Johnson, March 20-24 @ 7 p.m., Bro. Chris Brantley from MO, all are invited.

Centershot Archery Sign Ups-March 25th, 2017, 4:00 PM, DeKoven Baptist Church (HWY 492 DeKoven, Ky.), All those who plan on participating must be at this meeting and bring your parent or guardian. We will be signing up kids & teens and an-

swering questions about the CenterShot Program. There is NO COST and program will start in mid May and run till mid July. All equipment supplied., Contact Troy Black for information 270-213-0161, Being hosted by Gods Backwoods Disciples Ministry & Dekoven Baptist Church

Relay For Life-Friday, May 12 at Union County High School's Baker Field. For details, call Karol McLeod 270-389-0370; or Gina Loxley, 270-333-4452

Annual Farm City Breakfast-Thursday, March 23 at the Union County Extension Office. Breakfast at 7, followed by the program. Jointly sponsored by the Morganfield Lions Club and the local Extension Service.

2nd Annual Spring Fling for Fight for Sight-@Morganfield City Park, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., April 1st, 50's & 60's music, Eagles Club, Goody bags, food, ball game, 50/50 pot, crafts, Award for top 15 cars, dash plaques will be given to first 25 people, \$15 fee, All proceeds will go to Morganfield Lions Club. Contact Billy O'Leary 270-952-6223

Breckinridge Place Community Easter Egg Hunt- Saturday, April 8th from 2-4 PM, 170 Sykes Boulevard, Morganfield, Multiple age divisions, Prizes for children and adults, Refreshments, Face painting and activities, Pictures with the Easter Bunny.

Line Dancing Classes- At American Legion in Morganfield. Classes held

on Sundays, 1-3 for beginners; and 5-8 for advanced. Cost is \$30. To enroll call 270-952-3631, or 952-3607.

Events at Union County Fairgrounds:

March 25-16-Kentucky Junior Rodeo

Aril 15-Mid America Arena Cross

Events at the Union County Library:

Time For Tots (For ages 6 months-5 years):

Join us for stories, music, crafts, and more!

At Sturgis from 10:30-11:30am, and again from 1-2pm every Thursday

At Uniontown from 10:30-11:30am every Friday and at Morganfield from 10:30-11:30am every Friday

*Due to limited space at Sturgis please call ahead to save a spot - 270.333.5547

Legos Morganfield Lego Quests - (K-5) - Every Thursday from 3:30-4:30 Uniontown Lego Quests - (K-5) - Every Friday from 3-4

Adults Coloring for Grow-

nups-Color your stress away at the library! Supplies will be provided but feel free to bring your own. Invite a friend along!

Every Thursday from 5:30-6:30 at Morganfield.

Senior Citizens Center-UCPL presents free activities including arts, crafts, and more at the Senior Citizens Center in Morganfield and Sturgis! Call the library at 270.389.1696 for information.

United Way announces campaign awards

NEWS RELEASE TO THE ADVOCATE

Morganfield - On Friday, March 17, the United Way of the Ohio Valley held an Awards and Recognition Reception at the Grace Fellowship Church Annex Building in Morganfield to recognize individuals and local companies who have led the way with their support of United Way and Union County.

"United Way is the strongest and largest charitable organization in the region supporting local health and human services in Union County. This organization is made up of local volunteers who come together to provide support to local service agencies," said Marsha Lovern, United Way of the Ohio Valley Board Member.

"I am extremely proud to say that we have raised \$65,500." Nicole Welden, Union County Campaign Chair. "Even though we missed our goal, this money raised will help many people in our community and give them a brighter future," she continued.

Some highlights of the event include:

» Methodist Hospital Union County was recognized with the President's Award for companies employing 100 or more people and having the highest average gift per employee of \$122.

» Kentucky Utilities Company was recognized with the President's Award for companies employing less than 100 people and having the highest average gift per employee of \$310.

» Kentucky Utilities Company was also awarded the Campaign Chair Award and recognized with a 60% participation rate and total gift of \$17,319. The Campaign Chair Award is presented to employee groups demonstrating the greatest overall achievement and



Jeremy Curtis receives the Silver Award on behalf of Fifth Third Bank.



UC Campaign Chair for United Way, Nicole Welden announces the winners of awards at the ceremony.

impact on the campaign.

"We thank our many companies and gracious donors for their partnership and continued support of United Way and Union County. Today allows us to show our appreciation to those who give so much to our community," said Nicole Welden.

UNION COUNTY 2016 - 2017 Campaign Awards

PRESIDENT'S AWARD This is awarded annually to a local employee group which has attained the highest average gift per employee for the community.

*companies employing 100 or more people
METHODIST HOSPITAL UNION COUNTY

*companies employing less than 100 people

KENTUCKY UTILITIES

CAMPAIGN CHAIRMAN'S AWARD

This award is presented to employee group or groups demonstrating the greatest overall achievement and impact on the current campaign.

KENTUCKY UTILITIES

COMMUNITY SPIRIT AWARD

This award is presented to employee groups with sustained per capita giving at the \$50 level and above for two or more consecutive years.

FIFTH THIRD BANK
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY



PHOTOS BY COLBY GIRTEN

Employee group awards were given at the United Way Ceremony. Pictured, from left, are United Community Bank representative Laura Elder with the Gold Award and Fifth Third bank representative Jeremy Curtis, Kentucky Utilities representative Erin French, and Union County Board of Education representative Malinda Beauchamp all with the Silver Award.



Community Spirit Awards were given to, from left, Laura Elder with United Community Bank, Jeremy Curtis with Fifth Third Bank, and Erin French with Kentucky Utilities Company. Not pictured: Old National Bank, Rayloc, Union Co. First Inc.

OLD NATIONAL BANK
RAYLOC UNION FIRST, INC.
UNITED COMMUNITY BANK

GOLD AWARD

This award recognizes employee groups who experienced triple-digit increases in giving.

UNION COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

SILVER AWARD

This award recognizes employee groups who experienced double-digit increases in giving.

FIFTH THIRD BANK
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY
UNION COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION



Erin French of Kentucky Utilities Company was present at the ceremony to accept several awards from United Way including the President's Award, Campaign Chairman's Award, Community Spirit Award, and the Silver Award.

BRONZE AWARD This award recognizes employee groups who ran a first-time campaign.

BRECKINRIDGE SERVICES INC.

Non-traditional instruction could come to Union County schools

Would you like for students to work from home (NTI) on snow days?

Non-Traditional Instruction simply allows for the continuation of learning when students miss days of regular instruction. Students will

have the opportunity for skill reinforcement, remediation and enrichment through electronic or conventional paper lessons. The Kentucky Department of Education may grant up to 10 NTI days, on which students

will be expected to continue learning "off-site" (home, daycare, etc.). All materials will be provided by your child's teachers and students are expected to return completed work the next day school is in session.

Go to the link below to take a survey and let us know if you would like NTI days!

www.surveymonkey.com/r/3WDN5L8

Mark Clark
Sewer & Drain Service
270-822-9962 or 270-822-5747

290 Cowan Rd. Sturgis, KY
\$64,777
Patti Bugg 270-860-2272
RE/MAX Professional Realty Group
421 2nd St. Henderson, KY
Nice 3 bedroom home located in Sullivan Ky., on approximately 2/3 of an acre. Roof is 9 years old, Pella windows.

Lenten Services and Lunch Schedule for 2017
Morganfield First United Methodist Church will once again be hosting the Lenten Sermon and Luncheon Series. These services have been held annually for over a quarter of a century.
All services will begin at noon with a half hour of worship followed by a half hour of food and fellowship. The United Methodist Women's organization provides the meals for the Lenten gatherings. Donations for the luncheon are greatly appreciated and used to fund local community needs. Join us and be a part of this great ministry.

Schedule
Wednesday, March 22 - Speaker Rev. Rodney Raymond
First Christian Church, Sturgis
Music by Janet Hodge
Wednesday, March 29 - Speaker Rev. Dwight Jackson
Grace Fellowship Church, Morganfield
Music by Greg Buckman
Wednesday, April 5 - Speaker Rev. Rick Bopp
Shiloh Christian Church, Morganfield
Music by Karen Wimpy
Wednesday, April 12 - Speaker Rev. Duke Williams
Carr's Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, Morganfield
Music by Abby Jones