

# October, 2025

EVENTS	TEAM LEAD	NOTES
Shelter House/Cold Weather Shelter Support	Deb Frankovich	<p>As part of our ongoing and consistent community outreach, HUMC will be supporting this year's Loudoun County Cold Weather Shelter for homeless adults by supplying breakfast once a week on Wednesday morning to 60 individuals. Members or groups may want to partner to meet this growing need; the sign up sheet has two slots for volunteers. All of the instructions you need to join in this mission opportunity are included in the Sign Up Genius posted below. The first sign up opportunities will be for Tuesday, November 18, 2025. This will continue to the end of March. Please be prepared to deliver the meal before 5:00 pm on Tuesday for Wednesday morning breakfast.</p> <p>Cold Weather/Hypothermia Shelter 2025-2026 Sign Up Genius: <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054FAEA72BA31-58242015-humc">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054FAEA72BA31-58242015-humc</a></p> <p>For more information, please contact Deb Frankovich at <a href="mailto:Debfrankovich@gmail.com">Debfrankovich@gmail.com</a> or 703-919-2195.</p>
Veterans' Day Brunch	Roxanne Tipton Judy Fry	<p><b>MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!</b></p> <p>We will honor our veterans on November 9th with a brunch immediately following our church service. As in years past, this has been a very special fellowship event serving as a time to recognize and thank our veterans and their families. We hope many will be able to attend.</p>
Holiday Bazaar	Becky Haines	<p>The Holiday Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 22, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Volunteer opportunities will be available.</p>
Cards for College Students	Judy Fry Roxanne Tipton	<p>Missions will be sending cards to our college students to wish them a successful year. We want them to always know their church family is constantly thinking of them and keeping them in prayer.</p> <p>Please notify Robin in the church office with your college student's name, school, and address, so Missions can send them notes of encouragement for the school year.</p>
Purcellville Tag Sale	Becky Haines	<p>Saturday, October 11, 2025, from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. The HUMC booth will be behind Nostalgia on Main St. "Fyne Junque" will be featured with a small bake sale. Help is welcome for set up on Friday evening, October 10, during the sale on the 11th, and with cleanup on the afternoon of the 11th. For more information or to volunteer to help, contact Becky Haines via email <a href="mailto:becky.haines@gmail.com">becky.haines@gmail.com</a> or text 703-475-7897.</p>

Backpack Buddies	Becky Byrne Roxanne Tipton	Our year of providing weekend/holiday meals to BPB families at both Hamilton and Lincoln Elementary Schools has begun. Our first delivery was September 25 and we are providing for 7 families. A total of 17 Church volunteers are assisting with shopping and delivery. We can't thank everyone enough for their support of this program.
Loudoun Hunger Relief	Jeanie Wine	Ongoing October 26 is Food Collection Sunday. See HUMC newsletter/bulletin, the web site, or the LHR Facebook page for needed items. Donations can be dropped off in the social hall.
Pet Pantry	Robin Good Becky Haines	Ongoing Dry and wet dog and cat food donations are accepted and will be dropped off on alternating months to Loudoun Pet Pantry and Clarke County Animal Services. Donations can be dropped off with the Loudoun Hunger Relief donations in the social hall.
Little Pantry	Roxanne Tipton Judy Fry	Ongoing. Many thanks to Roxanne and Judy for continuing to coordinate this valuable missions program.
Pennies for Potatoes	Mary Preston	Ongoing Contribute to the Society of St. Andrew by dropping off spare change in the large water bottles by HUMC's doorways or donate directly to the Society of St. Andrew at <a href="http://endhunger.org">endhunger.org</a> .