Where Are We

There is no address, no staff, no overhead, just volunteers who meet once a month at different host churches, to report on work in progress, and co-ordinate plans for future events.

We are supported by county churches and a bell ringing fundraiser at Christmastime.

All monies are applied to local ministries. Only those in need benefit from this ministry.



Alliance of Churches

"... they be one even as We are."

John 17:11

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We are a loose association of believers from across the denominational spectrum who realize "The Church" cannot reach its fullest potential until we work together as one body. To that end we strive for unity among all congregations by stimulating one another to love and good deeds.

We endorse any outreach that is meeting a public need while glorifying Christ.

We also sponsor worship and prayer events throughout the year, and promote Christian values of love and good will within the culture of the county.

We provide emergency aid, as we are able, to residents and transients, regarding food, shelter, clothing, and transportation.

Meet monthly First Wednesday 8:30am Different churches Check website

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Union County

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Churches working as one for God's Kingdom

Stimulating one another to love and good deeds.

"But now there are many members, but one body."

1 Corinthians 12:20



What We do

BLOOD DRIVES (sponsored) - Three times per year at the Main Street Center in Anna. Go to red-crossblood.org, or contact Kent Young 614-2974 to make an app't.

LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES (supported)

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

(sponsored) - For travelers and residents in need of food, shelter, utilities, or transportation.

SERVE LUNCH TO FAIR

WORKERS (sponsored) - Midweek during the Fair in shelter by Kiwanis.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY (endorsed)

A Christ centered recovery program dealing with life altering hurts, hangups, and habits. Every Saturday evening at 6pm. Presently held at 100 Turner Avenue in Anna.

PAY LICENSE TESTING FEE

(sponsored) - For graduates of Shawnee College School of Nursing who are in financial distress.

The Old Depot (endorsed) - Dispensing the love of Christ to all those who cross the threshold. I 24 E Davie, Anna—FRI & SUN 6:30pm.

Worship & Prayer

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

(sponsored) - First Thursday in May at 7pm. Weather permitting, at the Anna City Park in the band shell.

COMMUNITY WORSHIP AT THE

FAIR (sponsored) - The grandstand at 5:00pm, first Sunday of Fair week Pastors of local churches conduct the service.

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING WOR-

SHIP (sponsored) - Tuesday before Thanksgiving Day at 7pm, at Kornthal Church.

MORE WHAT WE DO

TUTORING (sponsored) - Twice weekly when school is in session. Contact Pete Houseman 833-7083.

UNLOAD FOOD TRUCKS AT SHAW-NEE DEVELOPMENT (endorsed) - 2nd MON & 3rd TUE each month.

Member Churches

United Methodist - Anna Campground Cumberland Pres - Anna Church of the Nazarene - Anna Faith Community Church of Anna - Anna First Baptist - Cobden First Baptist - Anna First Christian - Anna First Evan. Presbyterian - Anna First Presbyterian - Cobden Lockard Chapel Baptist - J'boro Mt Moriah Lutheran - Anna Mt Zion Cumberland Pres - Dongola Salem Lutheran - Jonesboro St Mary's Catholic- Anna St Joseph's Catholic - Cobden Ware United Methodist - Ware Jesus Es El Savior UMC—Cobden

Website

unioncountyillinoisallianceofchurches.org

Keep up with the Alliance, and access a library of resources (in the download tab). Of note, "State of the Church," from a commissioned study done in 2018.

WE RING THE BELL AT CHRISTMASTIME

On weekends between Thanksgiving and Christmas we ring a handbell near the entrances of Walmart, Kroger, and Union County Market. This is our primary fundraiser for the entire year. Please "feed the kettle," it all stays in the county.