

Nursery Caregivers

Nursery School I: Carol Holtry/Barb Fisher
Nursery School II: Stacy Gregson/Laura Dayok
Sunday School: Laura Kaufman/TBA
Children's Church: Anette Strine

Next Sunday

Nursery School I: Barb Keefer/Kim Traini
Nursery School II: Laurie Kaufman/Chasity Johnson
Sunday School: No Sunday School

Children's Ministry Corner

- ✓ December 24 - Children's Christmas Eve Service

Youth Ministry Corner

- ✓ December 17 – Christmas Caroling
- ✓ December 20 – No YF
- ✓ December 27 – No YF
- ✓ January 3 – No YF
- ✓ January 10 – YF Resumes for 2018
- ✓ January 19 – Winter Jam

Privileged to Hold One Another in Prayer: (as of 12/12/2017)

Known to be Hospitalized:

Offer your prayers, rising as incense, before God for:

Buck and Janet Reed; Deb Fabrizio, Glenn Sites, Bill and Arlene Plasterer, Gerald and Charlotte Crider, Chris Bock, Peggy Bigler, Tim Rife, Rhonda Wolford; David Perkins, Leroy and Frances Jones, Beth Dickinson, Linda Dickinson,; Richard Wyrick (Laurel Run) Peggy Naugle, (Penn Hall); Barb Neff, (Shp H.C.Center) , Kit Miller (Episcopal Home); Twila Mowery, Helen Fulton, (Menno Haven); and *Military*

Service Personnel: Kami (Bock) & Joshua Moore (Missouri); Steven Wright; (Dover AFB); Chris and Megan Shaffer (Ft Bragg, N.C.)

Requests for intercessory prayer may be made by calling Lynne Landi at 977-7716.

Worship Notes:

Worship Service Nursery Care is available for children up to five years in the Evangel Center. To reach the nurseries, exit through the front-left door of the sanctuary. Infants and toddlers are welcome in our sanctuary worship. If, however, their discomfort or energy level poses an obstacle to others in worship, please utilize the Nursery ministries gifted to us by God in rooms marked Church Nursery I and Church Nursery II.

Photos: We ask that you not use flash photography during worship services and refrain from drinking coffee in the Sanctuary



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Pastor of Caring Ministries: Reverend Francis Norton

Pastor of Discipleship Ministries: Rev. Danny Lemons

Youth Minister: Bruce Levy

Children's Coordinator: Stacy Gregson and Susie Ryan

Administrative Assistant: Holly Fogelsanger

MESSIAH NEWS

December 17, 2017

Worship Service Now Stream-Cast on the Web our 9:00 a.m. worship is broadcast live over **93.9 FM and 1480 AM**. The broadcast is paid for by this congregation and the Fogelsanger-Bricker Funeral Home. **93.9 FM and 1480 AM** Radio, Carlisle, also simulcast our 9:00 a.m. worship service through its website at **www.WIOO** or click on the link at the bottom of Messiah's webs www.messiahshippensburg.com. Pastor Steve's sermons are available in a P. downloadable form on the church website.

Hearing Enhancement Aids, Large-print Bulletins, and Large-print Hymnals available; please see an usher.

The Altar Flowers are presented in celebration of the 96th birthday of Helen Coy on December 21st.

Our Stewardship of Presence and Giving

December 10, 2017

9:00 a.m. (216)

Total Received on Budget: \$XXXXXXX Designated: \$XXXXXXX

Total: \$XXXXXXX

Church News

Attention Youth, Tweeners& Gentle Shepherds - We will go caroling to Messiah's shut-ins today at 1:30 pm. We invite adults to join us. Please meet in Timothy House parking lot.

Diaper Drive - The YF is having another diaper drive to benefit the Shippensburg Produce Auction as they are in great need of diapers. Please collect diapers and deposit them (through the month of December) in the large box at the front of the church. Thank you.

Did You Join Messiah Church This Year? - If you joined Messiah Church in January, May, or November of this year, please come to the front of the church near the piano after the service today. We want to take your picture for the newsletter.

Transportation Needed - We are looking for someone who would enjoy providing rides for one of our members to worship service and home again to Episcopal Home, one-third of the time. Bev and Bonnie Horn, Merry Jean and Jim Beres have been doing this for years, and DeAnn Pugh joined the team two years ago. We all enjoy this opportunity - contact any of us for more details.

Safe Sanctuary Reminders

Parents are responsible for the supervision of their children before, during, and after the worship service.
Children need to be accompanied by an adult while they are in the hallways, stairways, bathroom, and elevator.
Parents will monitor older children/youth so that they are not unsupervised in the hallways, bathrooms, stairways, and elevator.

2017 Christmas Eve Services

4:00 p.m. Children's Service

Messiah Ministry Calendar

December 17, 2017

9:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service (S)
10:00 a.m. Social Time (FH) 10:15 a.m. Sunday School
6:00 p.m. AA (TH) 8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

Dec. 18, Mon. 8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)
6:00 p.m. Bell Choir (Bal)
7:00 p.m. Council (P)
8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

Dec. 19, Tues. 7:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting (FH)
8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
12:00 p.m. Life Skills (TH)

Dec. 20, Wed 8:00 a.m. Life Skills (TH)
8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

Dec. 21, Thurs. 6:30 p.m. AA (TH)
6:45 p.m. Spirit Choir (K)
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (YR)
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir (S)

Dec 22, Fri. 7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)
8:00 p.m. AA (P)

Dec. 23, Sat. 7:30 a.m. Saturday Men (Select/Conference Room)

NEXT SUNDAY

December 24, 2017

9:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service (S)
10:00 a.m. Social Time (FH)
4:00 p.m. Children's Christmas Eve Service (FH/Kit)
7:00 p.m. Candle Light Service (S)
8:30 p.m. AA (TH) 8:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (YR)

Cancellations due to inclement weather will be listed on CBS 21, ABC 27 and Mix 9!

Room Key: (B Chr Rm) Bell Choir Room, (Chr Rm) Chancel Choir Room, (Bal) Balcony, (CD) Children's Department, (CR) Conference Room, (FH) Fellowship Hall, (K) Kindergarten, (Kit) Kitchen, (N-II) Nursery II, (P) Parlor, (S) Sanctuary, (S Chr Rm) Spirit Choir Room, (TH) Timothy House, (YR) Youth Room.