

ANNOUNCEMENTS 12/3/17

**I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH
WITH MY PRAYERS & PRESENCE
November 26, 2017**

The Mission of St. Andrew

To be a source of hope to the world
by sharing God's love,
growing in faith, and serving others
in the name of Jesus.

**Sunday School 45
Worship Services 154**

Scripture for December 10:
Mark 1:1-8



The flowers are placed in the church for the glory of God by the congregation.

The sanctuary & chapel lamps are lit by the congregation.

Nursery – for infants through Pre-K

Pew Cushions – Individual pew cushions are available from the ushers.

Children's Worship Bags are in the box at the back of the sanctuary for children to use during worship. Please return them to the box when leaving. Enjoy!

The Prayer Pillow being carried to the altar today represents the **466** pillows and throws made so far for those going through a struggle in their lives and for all members of St. Andrew United Methodist Church in need of prayer.



The Mission Outreach Team is collecting good used or new warm clothing for our neighbors in need from now until January! A collection box is in the overflow area and all types of warm clothing including shoes will be appreciated. Please see Lois Downey if you have any questions! Last year our church collected over 200 articles of warm clothing which were distributed in St. Albans.

CHRIST'S KITCHEN SPAGHETTI DINNER –
December 4 – 5:00-7:00 pm – 405 B St., St. Albans
- \$6 per person – 3 & under eat free – featuring a special visit from St. Nicholas – bring your camera – all proceeds benefit Christ's Kitchen – call 304-4913 for takeout orders.



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TEA – Reminder to all women and young ladies – come share the joy of the season with fine food and friends in Christ at the **United Methodist Women's Annual Christmas Tea today at 12:30 pm** in **Friendship Hall**.

Donations of baby diapers or small baby items are appreciated.

HOMEMADE FRUIT CAKES – The men are selling fruit cakes for the holiday season. You can find an order form on the table in the narthex and in the November newsletter. You can give your order to Harry Davis, Walter Wood, Gary Asbury, Oscar Hutchison, Jim Shook or the church office.

DECEMBER-JANUARY NEWSLETTER is on the table in the narthex. Please take one home to see all the special events for the month of December.

LET'S CELEBRATE DOROTHY VARNER'S 90TH BIRTHDAY – Sunday, December 10th – 2:00 – 4:00 pm – Friendship Hall – Please no gifts, your presence is her gift!

ADVENT DEVOTIONAL –

Together in Advent by Tim Wesemann
(for adults & youth) – one per family

Look to the Light by David Mead
(for children) – one per family

Booklets are available for your use during the Advent season. You can find the booklets on the table in the narthex.



THE FOLLOWING IS NEEDED FOR THE CHRISTMAS BASKETS BEFORE SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3:

Canned Peas	9 cans
Boxed Chicken Helper	49 boxes
Regular Flat Noodles	1 lb. bag
	47 bags
Cake Frosting	33 tubs
Vegetable Oil	51 bottles
Dish Soap	54 bottles

You can place your items in the basket in the overflow marked "Christmas Baskets".

CHRISTMAS CAROLING – Sunday, December 10 – All ages invited – Pizza in the overflow immediately following the 11:00 am worship – Caroling to various locations throughout St. Albans – hot chocolate, coffee and cookies served after returning.

COMMUNITY ADVENT WORSHIP – Wednesday,
 December 6 – 12:05 pm – St. Andrew United
 Methodist Church – Lunch to follow



Sunday, December 3 – 7:45 am
 United Methodist Men’s Breakfast
 Meeting

Sunday, December 3 – 12:30 pm
 United Methodist Women’s
 Christmas Tea

Wednesday, December 6 – 12:05 pm
 SAMA Advent Service @
 St. Andrew

Friday, December 8 – 6:00 pm
 Families Group Potluck Dinner

Sunday, December 10 – 12:30 pm
 Christmas Caroling

Thursday, December 14 – 6:00 pm
 Pack Christmas Baskets

Thursday, December 14 – 6:30 pm
 Preschool Christmas Program

Saturday, December 16 – 10:00 am
 Distribute Christmas Baskets

Sunday, December 24 – 11:00 am
 One Worship Service
 Christmas Cantata

Sunday, December 24 – 6:00 pm
 Christmas Eve Worship

Sunday, December 31 – 11:00 am
 One Worship Service



If you would like to place a poinsettia in the church
 in memory or honor of a friend or loved one, please
 fill out the form below and place it in the offering
 plate, bring it to the church office, or mail it to the
 church. The last day to place your order will be
Wednesday, December 13. We ask that you
 pay for your poinsettia at the time you place your
 order. Thank you!

 POINSETTIA ORDER

\$11.00 ___Red ___White ___Pink

\$20.00 ___Red ___White ___Pink

\$30.00 ___Red ___White ___Pink

YOUR NAME _____
 (Please Print)

IN HONOR OF _____

 (Please Print)

IN MEMORY OF _____

 (Please Print)

MEETING THIS WEEK:

Tuesday, Dec. 5 – 6:00 pm
Church Council – Room 111

NEW ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBER:

Dr. & Mrs. Gordon Johnson
Glade Apartments
Apt. G03
141 University Dr.
Chillicothe, OH 45601
1-740-772-8041

**HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING
TODAY**

7:45 a.m. United Methodist Men's
Breakfast Meeting
9:00 a.m. Communion - Chapel
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
9:45 a.m. Advent 101 - Parlor
11:00 a.m. Worship – Sanctuary
12:30 p.m. United Methodist Women's
Christmas Tea
6:30 p.m. F.I.R.E. – Prepare Take Out
Meals for Christ's Kitchen

MONDAY

5:30 p.m. Christ's Kitchen Spaghetti
Dinner – St. Mark's Episcopal Church
6:00 p.m. Karate – Friendship Hall
6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts – Cottrell Hall
7:00 p.m. NA Meeting – Annex

TUESDAY

5:45 p.m. St. Andrew Ringers – Sanc.
6:00 p.m. Church Council – Room 111
6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts – 1st Floor
6:30 p.m. Lions – Room 308
8:00 p.m. AA – Annex

WEDNESDAY

12:05 p.m. St. Albans Ministerial Assoc.
Advent Worship & Lunch @
St. Andrew
6:00 p.m. Alpha Christa Fellowship –
Parlor

THURSDAY

12:00 p.m. Phyllis Asher Fellowship @
Little Creek Park
6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir – Room 210
7:00 p.m. Book Club - Parlor
8:00 p.m. One in the Spirit

SUNDAY

9:00 a.m. Communion - Chapel
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
9:45 a.m. Advent
101 – Parlor
11:00 a.m. Worship – Sanctuary
12:30 p.m. Christmas Caroling
2:00 p.m. 90th Birthday Party for
Dorothy Varner – Friendship Hall



