

## Calendar Notes

## November 5 - 12, 2017

Monday 13th Human Trafficking Meeting (Strayers') 6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study (201) 7:00 p.m. Wednesday 15th 9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study (FHE/201) Corner Life 5:30 p.m. NO Intercessory Prayer and Praise Leadership Council (201) Thursday 16th 6:30 p.m. Sunday 19th Classes 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m.

Statistical Notes as of November 5, 2017

Attendance: Worship 198

Giving:

Worship \$ 7,748.00 Capital Campaign \$ 20.00

Year to Date:

General Fund Budget \$357,200.66 General Fund Giving \$347,898.92

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November 12, 2017 9:00 a.m. Classes 10:15 am Worship

Opening and Welcome

Sing to the Lord of Harvest #565

Invitation to Give

Songs of Worship \*

Prayers of the Community

Scripture: Psalm 124

Prayers for the Persecuted Church

Silent Hymn (#359) Take My Life and Let It Be

Message: Thanksliving (Part 2)

Phil. 1:12-30

Song or Response

Prayer and Closing

Postlude

\* (Children Pre-K - grade 5 to Cherub & Jr. Church)

After the service, the front of the room is open for prayer and prayer leaders are available to pray with you.

**Welcome Guests** To better connect with you we encourage you to complete a guest registration card located in the pew pockets. You may drop it in the offering plate OR bring it to welcome center in the lobby so that we can greet you and give you a welcome packet.

This year Pre-Kindergarten through 5th grade will be joining us for the first part of the service and then will be released to their classes mid-service. Cherub Church (Pre-Kindergarten - Ist Grade) meets in the class across from the men's restroom and Junior Church (2nd - 5th Grade) meets downstairs in BI. Please pick your child up from their classroom in a timely manner after the service. If you're visiting, please fill out a Cherub/Junior Church Attendance Card, located in the pew rack, and bring your child to meet their teacher near the coffee bar/welcome center when the children are dismissed from the service.

The Annual Community Thanksgiving service sponsored by the Dillsburg Ministerium will be held at New Creation Church on Tuesday, November 21 at 7:00 p.m.

If you would like to contribute a turkey to New Hope Ministries for their Thanksgiving dinner program, please deliver it to New Hope by November 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Singers, Rejoice!** Please join us for a Christmas celebration in song at the Sunday morning service, December 17th. Rehearsals will be held in the sanctuary from 4:00-5:30 p.m. beginning today and continuing on November 19th, December 3rd, and December 10th. There will also be a dress rehearsal on a weekday during the week of December 10th (day and time TBD). Since there are only four regular rehearsals scheduled this year, please plan to join us only if you think you will be able to make at least three of those practices. Contact Randy Fish with questions.

The Church Mailboxes were rearranged last week. We are making room for new faces in our midst! Please be careful to check the name rather than just pulling mail out of the box you are used to!

Mark Your Calendars! Congregational Council will meet on December 2, 2017 to approve the 2018 budget and to discuss the use of the facilities such as renovations to the basement and uses for the new property. More information to come.

The Museum of the Bible opens in Washington DC this month. A brochure describing the museum is posted on the narthex bulletin board. Contact Bob and Rose Harlacher for information about a bus trip to this museum on Wed. November 29th.

Ladies have you saved the date of January 16, 2018, for the Ladies Secret Pal Dinner Party? Invitations will be placed in all ladies mailboxes by the end of this month. If you currently do not have a mailbox, please see either Sue Lawver or Nina Hoover and they will be happy to provide you with an invitation. You do not have to have a secret pal to attend this party. Look for the article in the November issue of the church's newsletter, the Doulos, for more information. Extra copies of the Doulos can be found in the literature rack in the Narthex, or it can be viewed on the church's website.

**Support the Quiz Team:** Consider buying gift cards to benefit the quiz team. This is an ongoing fundraiser - so buy as many as you want as often as you want! Order forms are on the narthex shelves. Contact Avis Whitesel to purchase cards or to ask questions.

Notes to myself . . .