

Announcements

The Hospital visitor this week is Sue Risch (11/13).

MISSION STATEMENT: *We are God's servant people with Christ-like hearts empowered by the Holy Spirit through Word and Sacrament. We proclaim God's grace, love, justice, and forgiveness to all people through worship, learning, witness, service and support.*



The Service team is establishing a Ready-Set-Go Team. This team is for needs within the Church and community. We will focus on cleaning, mowing, shoveling walks, food and painting. This team will consist of volunteers who are on stand-by until there is a call for help. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex.



Order your **Christmas Poinsettias** by using the envelopes found in the pews. Indicate your Memorial or Honor preference. Cost is \$8.50 a poinsettia. (You may pick up your Poinsettia after the late service on Christmas Eve.) **Deadline to order is Monday, December 3rd** NO EXTRA POINSETTIAS WILL BE ORDERED. PLEASE MAKE SURE TO HAVE YOUR ORDER IN BY THE DEADLINE.

Altar Guild

The 2019 schedule will be coming out soon. Please email Leisha Black if you have any additional requests, service time changes, would like to be removed or would like to join. Lmtrez25@hotmail.com

Finding Christmas



Greg & Rebecca Sparks
in concert @ St. David's
Saturday
December 8th, 2018
7:00 PM

This event is sponsored by the Ministry of the Artists Connections of the Alleghenies at St. David's Lutheran Church.

November 17-18, 2018

SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A special congregational meeting will be held after each of the services this weekend. The schedule for the weekend follows.

SCHEDULE FOR PASTORAL CANDIDATE VISIT

Saturday, November 17, 2018

- 4:50 Meet and Greet in the Nave (for those attending the 5:30 PM service)
- 5:00 Pastoral Candidate Reflects
- 5:30 Saturday Service
- 6:15 Congregational Meeting begins – Voting Members attending Saturday Service vote for calling a pastor
- 6:30 Meet and Greet in the Fellowship Hall for all members of the congregation. Light refreshments will be available.
- 7:30 Pastoral Candidate Reflects
- 8:30 Meet and Greet concludes


Sunday, November 18, 2018

- 8:00 Early Service
- 9:00 Congregational Meeting continues – Voting Members attending Early Service vote for calling a pastor
- 10:30 Late Service
- 11:45 Congregational Meeting concludes – after Voting Members attending Late Service vote for calling a pastor
- 12:00 Tabulation Team tallies ballots and reports results to candidate and congregation

***Remember a voting member of the congregation is a confirmed member who has communed and made a contribution of record during the current (2018) or preceding (2017) year. [Constitution C8.02.c]*

*** SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH ***

~ Please check the website calendar for the most up to date events ~

Pastoral Candidate Visit please refer to schedule of events in announcements		
Saturday 11/17:	5:30 PM	Worship/Communion Service
Sunday 11/18:	8 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9 AM	Photo Shoots (FH)
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	12 PM	Tabulation Team (C7)
Monday 11/19	9:30 AM	YOGA (FH)
	6 PM	Cub Scout Committee (C6)
	6 PM	Service Team Meeting (C7)
	7 PM	YOGA (FH)
	7 AM	LP Prep (K)
Tuesday 11/20:	11 AM	LP Thanksgiving (K & FH)
Wednesday 11/21:	DEADLINE FOR WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS	
	4 PM	Youth Choir
	6:30 PM	Adult Choir
Thursday 11/22:		Church Office & Learning Place Closed
Friday 11/23:		Church Office Closed
Saturday 11/24	5:30 PM	Worship/Communion Service
Sunday 11/25:	8 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	11:45 AM	Worship & Music Team Meeting (FH)

*** November 18 (Intinction) ***

Acolytes-Tyler & Luke Weber (8); Tanner Shirley & Sam Worst (10:30)

Altar-Linda Shrader & Ronna Marisa (8); Amanda Tercek (10:30)

Communion Assts- Ed Hart & Linda Shrader (8); Marvin Gindlesperger & Barry Springer (10:30)

Bread Asst-Sue Risch (8); Jack Winters (10:30)

Lectors – Bryan Rabbitt (8); Beth Hunsberger (10:30)

Greeters-Ed Hart (8); Craig Sprock (10:30)

Ushers- Thadeus Kovalik & Rick Miller (8) Wayne & Barb Adams, Erika Winters-Rowe & Jeff Rowe (10:30)

Worship Captain- Sue Mankamyer

Counters- Team 4: Dave & Cindy Liska, Dennis Naugle, Wayne Adams, Ron Tessari & Tim Telenko



CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH MUSIC NOTES:

- The youth choir will be starting to practice for Advent and Christmas in November. Any children who would like to join this group are welcome. We practice on Wednesdays after school in the sanctuary. The Conemaugh Township Elementary bus drops them off directly after school. (Parents can also personally drop off children by 4 pm as well.) We plan some play time and a snack and then practice from about 4 pm until parent pickup at 5pm. We would be glad to welcome some more voices in this group so if you are interested please speak to Michael Busija, Barb Pile or Sonya Andrews to obtain a CT school bus permission slip for drop off at the church. If any 6th graders at the High School are interested - we can arrange transportation for you as well. Hope to see some new faces!
- The Sunday School children will begin to practice music for the Advent/Christmas program beginning November 18 at the end of each Sunday School session. The intergenerational program will occur during the 10:30 service on December 23. We are anticipating lots of enthusiastic singers for this event, so put these dates on your calendar now. There will be a rehearsal planned for Friday, December 21 after school and early evening. More info to come. Any parents wishing to help with this program are asked to talk to Barb Pile. We can use some help with costumes, props and set up. Can't believe the Advent season is on its way soon!