



COVENANT NEWS

The Newsletter of the First Congregational Church of Webster Groves

FROM THE PASTOR

My Address to the Webster Groves City Council, December 18, 2018

On November 20, 2018, the City Council approved the hiring of Neil Bruntrager as City Attorney. Mr. Bruntrager is a partner in a law firm that represents the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department, and he was counsel for both Darren Wilson, a Ferguson police officer who shot to death Michael Brown, and Jason Stockley, a St. Louis City police officer who shot to death Anthony Lamar Smith. Darren Wilson was not indicted; Jason Stockley was declared not guilty. Mr. Bruntrager's hiring has inflamed passions throughout Webster Groves. Student Minister Erick Falconer and I have been part of a clergy group who have met with City Council members, to try and imagine a positive outcome.

Your Honor the Mayor, members of the City Council, and fellow citizens:

I am here tonight as the pastor of the First Congregational Church of Webster Groves and as a resident of this city, to address the Council about a couple of things that are of great import to my faith community and to me. Both these things will pertain to matters that you have before you. Both these matters we have discussed together in a meeting of local clergy and City Council members. These two things are, first, the amendment of our City Charter to remove the residency requirement for the City Attorney and, second, concerns that have arisen around the hiring of Neil Bruntrager as the City Attorney.

I do not presume to speak for all of my parishioners on every subject; in our tradition, religious authority certainly may speak to you, but, just as certainly, not always for you. Nevertheless, there is something my people and I hold in common and in covenant, and as the ordained leader of my congregation I am certain that I do speak with the same voice as all of my church members. That pertains to the changing of the residency requirement.

This latter concern is over an antiquated and anachronistic statute that deserves to be changed. There is not a person on the Council with whom I have spoken who is not convinced that a change in the residency requirement for the City Attorney would have elicited a broader pool of candidates for that office. It has been suggested that, having that bigger pool, the City Council might have selected someone other than Mr. Bruntrager. This is not to say that they would not have chosen him; I have heard from some that he is just that good, and so the selection may have been inevitable. But other non-elected positions in the city government do not require residency, and the reason for maintaining this requirement for the City Attorney is now strongly in question.

Now, having said that, I also have to say that the selection of Mr. Bruntrager has brought to the surface that other matter I mentioned. And this one I bring to you not only

as a concern of the pastor of First Church, who admittedly cannot speak for everyone in his congregation, but as the pastor of African Americans and as a father of an African American and as a friend and colleague and client and customer of African Americans – those last categories being ones that all of you share with me. (I say this also as the pastor of two police officers and of their families and extended families. I say this, even as the pastor of neighbors of Darren Wilson's grandparents who were breaking bread with the Wilsons when their grandson called to say that he had been involved in the incident that had ended the life of Michael Brown.)

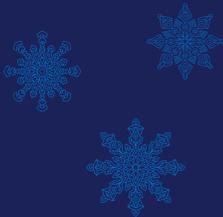
What we do in our lifetimes, the acts that we perform and the reputations that we develop by them, both for good and for bad, these things follow us. And the hiring of Neil Bruntrager as our City Attorney creates in all of these different categories of people, including myself, different reactions and calls up for us indelible memories and feelings.

To some of you and to many in our community, Mr. Bruntrager has been and will undoubtedly continue to be a

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neighbor, a friend, a fellow parent, a fellow church member, a humanitarian, an advocate, and a trusted leader.

In this same city, however, there are others – knowing his professional character and excellence... and reputation – who feel either a measure of disappointment or a twinge of fear, because of what they perceive has happened *again*...

Last Saturday, the Council and the clergy had been scheduled to meet for a second time. We were looking forward to having together with us Chief of Police Curtis, City Manager Wylie, and City Attorney Bruntrager. We clergy had hoped to air our concerns with them, then.

For perfectly understandable reasons, the meeting was postponed. My hope is that it may not have been postponed indefinitely, because I think that this meeting needs to take place in order that we clergy may offer assurances to our church members that Webster Groves will continue to practice the highest standards and expectations in policing, and that all of our citizens and non-citizens may and must feel safe.

Thank you.

Peace

PASTOR DAVE DENOON

WORSHIP NOTES FOR January



Rev. David Denoon
Pastor

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 9:55 AM — *Feast of the Epiphany; Sacrament of Christ's Table.* On this day we remember the arrival of the Magi in Bethlehem and the revelation of Good News to all the world (Matthew 2:1-12). Message of the Day: "No, Really: Rise and Shine" (Isaiah 60:1-6; Ephesians 3:1-12). But this is also the ending of our Christmas season, and a brief act of removing the Greens that were hung in December will indicate that. After worship, refreshments will include a Kings Cake, the New Orleans tradition that begins the passage toward Mardi Gras.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 9:55 AM — *Baptism of Jesus; Worship in the Key of Jazz.* Rev. Cliff Aerie, director of our Ministry of Imagination, Creativity, and the Arts (MICA), adds his own special flavor to worship, this morning, offering the morning Message and re-imagining our service music with improvisations on his saxophone.

At 2:30PM, members of First Church, Webster Groves Presbyterian, and other faith communities in the area will gather for the opening ceremony of "MOMENTS OF GRACE + PRAYER" in the Inglis Room of the church.

You are encouraged to take part in this month-long spiritual enrichment series.

See the article about "Moments of Grace + Prayer," elsewhere in this issue.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 20, 9:55 AM — *Second Sunday after the Epiphany; Ecumenical Sunday (Week of Prayer for Christian Unity); Sunday in MLK Holiday Weekend.* Much of our ritual will be echoing what churches around the planet will be saying, as we pray for unity of purpose and message in presenting Good News to a world so in need of it. We will also recognize the contributions of Civil Rights heroes and advocates in the march toward freedom and social justice. Concentrating on readings of Isaiah 62:1-5 and 1 Corinthians 12:1-3, Pastor Dave Denoon addresses the matter of dealing with *"Those Who Are Not of the Same Spirit."*

The evening of January 20, the annual Community March, Dinner, and Program Celebrating the Life and Legacy of Dr. King will take place, with events beginning at 4:30PM.

See promotional material and article elsewhere in this newsletter.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27, 9:55 AM — *Third Sunday after the Epiphany; Heritage Sunday.* Our 153rd anniversary observance will include special guests the Rev. Chip and Gayle Morley-Jahn, former members of our Fellowship Group who now serve a yoked parish in southern Indiana, St. Peter and Trinity UCC. The two of them have built a robust ministry there, based on service and outreach to their community, domestic charitable organizations, and international agencies. The work of their churches and youth group has been cited as having helped to offer relief to homeless people in Cleveland and Chicago, and to broker peace in Sri Lanka after decades of civil war there. In addition to Chip's sermon during worship, the two of them will lead an Adult Education session about their churches' service projects and similar opportunities that may be available to us!

Tracey's Blessings



Tracey Harris,
Director of Christian Ed.

Hi friends,

This month I'd like to share some life lessons from a Snowman.

"It snowed last year too: I made a snowman and my brother knocked it down and I knocked my brother down and then we had tea." -Dylan Thomas

- 1) *Hold your ground, even when the heat is on.*
 - 2) *Wearing white is always appropriate.*
 - 3) *Winter is the best of the four seasons.*
 - 4) *The key to life is to be a jolly, happy soul.*
 - 5) *You know you've made it when they write a song about you.*
 - 6) *Accessorize! Accessorize! Accessorize!*
 - 7) *Don't get too much sun.*
 - 8) *It's embarrassing when you can't look down and see your feet.*
 - 9) *It's fun to hang out in your front yard.*
 - 10) *Always put your best foot forward.*
- From Mikey's Funnies



Enjoy Epiphany! No movie this month. Celebrate the Light!

I know winter can be difficult for some. Get out when you can and maybe build a neighborhood snowman. May Light and Peace find you!

Tracey Harris
Director of Christian Education, Student Pastor

Moderator's Corner January 2019

These days when thinking of our church family I find my thoughts drifting to the many members and their loved ones dealing with Dementia or Cognitive Impairment. We as a church have just begun acknowledging this through first a class on the scientific background and then another on the practical aspects. As you know from my past columns, I feel strongly about our church as a family and the support and responsibility we display to and for each other. That said when posts from the San Gabriel Memory Care Center started appearing on my Facebook feed they caught my eye.

My mother like many of yours died with complications of Dementia. The hardest thing for me, despite my years of medical training, was communicating with her. As memories faded and some of her less flattering character traits emerged, I was frustrated. I clearly recall that the hardest thing for me was to STOP saying "remember?"

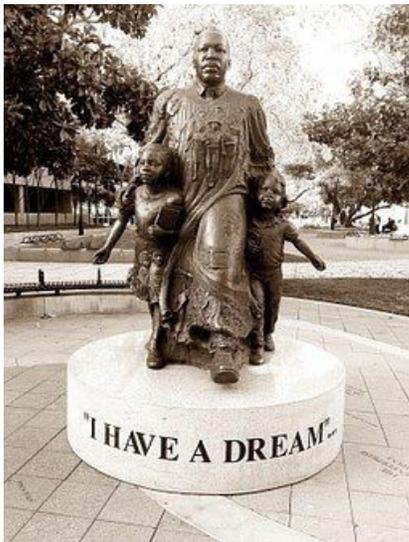
As we as a congregation attempt to wrap our arms around those dealing with this incredibly difficult disease process, I'd like to pass on the following guidelines.

1. Never argue, instead agree
2. Never reason, instead divert
3. Never shame, instead distract
4. Never lecture, instead reassure
5. Never say "Remember", Instead reminisce
6. Never say "I told you", instead repeat
7. Never say "you can't", instead say what they can do
8. Never demand, instead, ask
9. Never condescend, instead encourage
10. Never force, instead reinforce

Look around you as you sit in church. Who do you know who is suffering? Could you visit, offer to sit while the caregiver shops, or do some shopping for them? We all need to constantly be looking for new ways to show our love.

"They will know we are Christians by our LOVE"

Linda Kopetti



"I Have a Dream"
Riverside, California
designed by artist
Lisa Reinertson (1999)

“And how are the children?”

24th Annual Community Celebration of the Life & Legacy of

the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Sunday, January 20, 2019

MARCH – DINNER – PROGRAM

“And how are the children?” This traditional Maasai greeting is usually answered, “All the children are well.” (*The Maasai are a community of people in Tanzania.*) This is like “Hello. How are you?” and “Fine, thank you.” for us, but rather than focusing on one person, the focus is on community.

The message from guest speaker **The Rev. Traci Blackmon** and our young people’s essays and arts projects will concentrate on their interpretations of Dr. King’s interest in building strong communities and our obligation to generate communities in which everyone can thrive. (Essays and artworks will be on display in the lobby of the Steger/Givens Auditorium.)

Attendees are invited to participate in any or all parts of the Celebration:

**MARCH – 4:30PM from the Webster Groves City Hall
4 E. Lockwood Ave., Webster Groves**

An important part of our Celebration is sharing in a demonstration for peace and justice, like so many that Dr. King led. *Marchers are invited to meet first at 4:00PM at the Steger/Givens school building, 701 N. Rock Hill Rd. in Rock Hill, for a bus ride to Webster Groves City Hall.* Then, we’ll march the historic mile through North Webster – up Elm Ave. to Euclid, Euclid to Rock Hill, and Rock Hill to Steger/Givens.

**DINNER – 5:00PM in the Steger/Givens Cafeteria
701 N. Rock Hill Rd., Rock Hill**

At the end of the March, a light meal is served in the school cafeteria, including finger sandwiches, soup, and goodies provided at no charge by local vendors and volunteers.

**PROGRAM – 5:45PM in the Steger/Givens Auditorium
701 N. Rock Hill Rd., Rock Hill**

An inspirational program is offered, approximately 75 minutes in length and featuring readings, music, and other performing arts, in addition to awards presentations and a talk by **the Rev. Traci Blackmon**. Rev. Blackmon is the pastor of Christ the King United Church of Christ (UCC), Florissant, Missouri, and the Executive Minister for Local Church and Justice & Witness Ministries of the national setting of the UCC.



Treasurer report

Below are the church operating results as of or through November 30:

Statement of Financial Position

| | 2018 | 2017 | Variance |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 162,335 | \$ 200,985 | \$ (38,650) |
| Property and equipment | 33,306 | 34,763 | (1,457) |
| Minister housing long term receivable | 247,097 | 252,906 | (5,809) |
| Total Assets | \$ 442,738 | \$ 488,654 | \$ (45,916) |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses | \$ 41,850 | \$ 20,992 | \$ 20,858 |
| Long term liabilities, Minister Housing | 244,196 | 249,234 | (5,038) |
| Designated funds for: | | | |
| Community Infrastructure * | 26,347 | 26,856 | (509) |
| Environment | 23,673 | 22,598 | 1,075 |
| Music, Arts and Worship | 22,510 | 31,506 | (8,996) |
| Youth and Education | 25,047 | 29,038 | (3,991) |
| Restricted funds for: | | | |
| Churchyard | 31,144 | 31,141 | 3 |
| Building Maintenance | 68,306 | 85,450 | (17,144) |
| Net Assets | (40,336) | (8,161) | (32,175) |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets | \$ 442,738 | \$ 488,654 | \$ (45,916) |

* **Community infrastructure** is defined as facilities, programs, and social networks that aims to improve people's quality of life

Statement of Financial Activities

| | 2018 | 2017 | Year to Date Budget | Change to Prior Year | Change to Prior Year |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Income | | | | Higher/(Lower) Income | |
| Pledges and Gifts | \$ 307,813 | \$ 295,019 | \$ 374,000 | \$ 12,794 | \$ (66,187) |
| Benevolence | 21,452 | 23,008 | 15,000 | (1,556) | 6,452 |
| Transfer from Endowment | 82,500 | 82,500 | 89,735 | - | (7,235) |
| Interest Income | 17,412 | 12,289 | 8,583 | 5,123 | 8,829 |
| Use of Space and Miscellaneous Income | 58,081 | 53,094 | 51,279 | 4,987 | 6,802 |
| Total Revenue | 487,258 | 465,910 | 538,598 | 21,348 | (51,340) |
| Expenses | | | | (Higher)/Lower Expense | |
| Human Resources Expense | 368,966 | 343,969 | 353,341 | (24,997) | (15,625) |
| Facilities and Finance Expense | 151,288 | 134,142 | 136,033 | (17,146) | (15,255) |
| Parish Life Ministry Expense | 8,045 | 8,700 | 8,690 | 655 | 645 |
| Executive Ministry Expense | 3,923 | 5,760 | 7,700 | 1,837 | 3,777 |
| Christian Education Ministry Expense | 3,348 | 3,155 | 4,492 | (193) | 1,144 |
| Benevolence Expense | 31,559 | 37,778 | 29,792 | 6,219 | (1,767) |
| Total Expenses | 567,129 | 533,504 | 540,048 | (33,625) | (27,082) |
| Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets | \$ (79,872) | \$ (67,594) | \$ (1,450) | \$ (54,973) | \$ (78,421) |

If you have any questions or want more detail on the above results, please let me know.

Jennifer Jones, Treasurer



MOMENTS
OF GRACE + PRAYER
A RETREAT IN EVERYDAY LIFE

Slipped into Prayer

I slipped into prayer,
stopped for a moment,
in the quiet,
stopped and allowed God to catch me,
and to welcome that,
no agenda,
no hopes,
just being with myself in God,
and then I begin to notice...
the surroundings...
and what is within...
and the connection...
and the love...
and the invitation...
to slip into prayer,
to slip into myself in God.
- by Clarence Heller

Please consider participating in the Month of Grace + Prayer as one way to slip into prayer and deeper relationship with God. Starts January 13. Throughout the month each participant will be invited to pray privately each day and then meet confidentially with an experienced spiritual companion for one hour each week. Meetings with spiritual companions take place on Tuesday mornings, afternoons or evenings, at the convenience of each participant. Committed couples also have the option to participate as a couple. Spiritual companions are not members of our church.

Brochures and registration forms are available in church, and for even more information, visit www.momentsofgraceandprayer.org or contact Susan Andrews (sra@wgpc.org or 314-962-9210).

Registration encouraged by January 4.

DID YOU KNOW?



Our church library in the early 1900s was spread throughout the building in closets, classrooms, on shelves and tables or in boxes. When the ground level area under the sanctuary was remodeled in 1963-94, office spaces and a library were included in the plans. Frances Holaday served as librarian. She coordinated gathering of the books, cataloging and shelving them. She was involved in formulating guidelines, buying and publicizing this valuable asset. Then in 1982, prompted by a suggestion from June Shoulberg, the church library was named the Holaday Library in honor of both Frances and Kenneth Holaday. Ken was

honored because he had for many years served in numerous ways including working as business manager and as a Christian Board of Education member and a Monday Morning Man.

Later Sarah Elwell, a trained librarian, assumed the leadership of the library and served into her '90s. One of her favorite mottos was "Any book you haven't read is a new book." When our new sanctuary was built in 1993-4 the library was relocated to space adjacent to the sanctuary. A committee of interested members now manages it. In recent years Marj Courtney automated the entire collection.



The Meditation Room is located behind the Library. It was designed and constructed by the Monday Morning Men. The room's east wall simulates the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem. One can find quiet time there and even leave a written prayer in the cracks of the Wall. The Confirmation Class of 2005 earned the funds for the construction, their names noted on a plaque in that space.

A Bell Rope in 1986 was run from the belfry to the Narthex, in memory of John Gray by his family. When the new sanctuary was built in 1993-4 the rope was relocated to the Meditation Room. The bell is rung each Sunday as worship is about to begin and at the conclusion of wedding ceremonies.

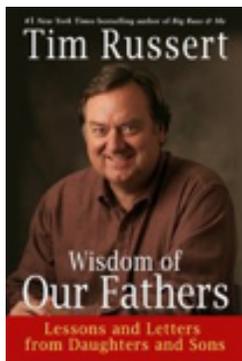
K. Roush 2018

Midwinter Potluck January 13 Following Worship

Our Midwinter Potluck luncheon in Memorial Hall will follow worship. A main dish will be provided and the Congregation is asked to bring side dishes and desserts. This will be a great opportunity to visit and get caught up with folks who have been traveling over the holidays.

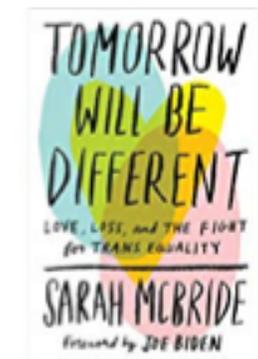
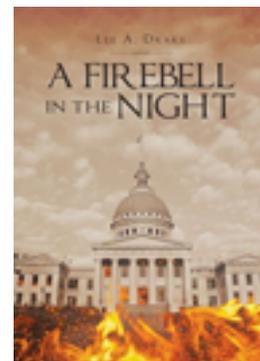


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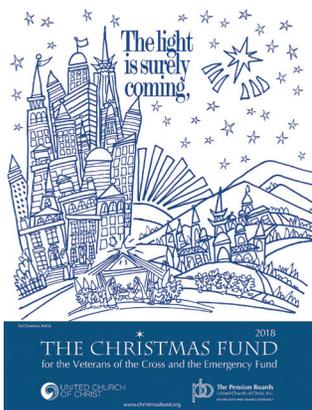
Wisdom of Our Fathers for all fathers, young or old, who can learn from the men in these pages how to get it right, and to understand that sometimes it is the little gestures that can make the big difference for your child. For some in this book, the appreciation came later than they would have liked. But as *Wisdom of Our Fathers* reminds us, it is never too late to embrace it. From the father who coached his daughter in sports (and life), attending every meet, game, performance, and tournament, to the daughter who, after a fifteen-year estrangement, learned to make peace with her difficult father just before he died, to the son who came, at last, to appreciate the silent way his father could show affection, *Wisdom of Our Fathers* shares rewarding lessons, immeasurable gifts, and lasting values.

When searching for books about black lives in St. Louis most books start around the 1940's or 50's. They reflect the lives of black folks who went to Beaumont, Vashon, Soldan, or other institutions that they were able to attend in what was a segregated St. Louis. There were blacks in St. Louis since its inception and founding. They worked on the riverboats. They were draymen, laborers, laundresses, and servants. They helped establish St. Louis. They were slaves and 'free'. They endured the perils of the Civil War and its aftermath. They were citizens of St. Louis with their own culture and society. Who were the black folks that helped establish St. Louis and its history? Woven in the story *A Firebell In the Night* tells about where they lived, what they did for a living.



Informative, heartbreaking, and profoundly empowering, *Tomorrow Will Be Different* is McBride's story of love and loss and a powerful entry point into the LGBTQ community's battle for equal rights and what it means to be openly transgender. From issues like bathroom access to health care to gender in America, McBride weaves the important political and cultural milestones into a personal journey that will open hearts and change minds. As McBride urges: "We must never be a country that says there's only one way to love, only one way to look, and only one way to live."

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Celebrate the Chinese New Year
with SAGE
at the Joy Luck Restaurant
Sunday, January 27 at 12:30 PM



2019 Benevolence Auction Planning Ahead

The Annual Dinner and Auction to support the Benevolence giving of First Church is earlier this year. Mark you calendar for Saturday, March 2!

Kay Roush and Joan Musbach have agreed to again organize the Silent and Oral Auctions. Perhaps you could solicit or be on the look out for possible auction donations while shopping during the holiday season.

Kay and Joan will both be out of town during all or part of January, so need you to begin considering what you can make available for the auction. Joan would like to fill the Display Case with auction items beginning the last week of January, and Kay and Joan would like to be gathering all items for sale by mid-February. Hence we need to get this information on your "radar screen" now. You can contact Kay and Joan at any time via email: kayroush@icloud.com or jwmusbach@gamil.com, or by telephone, or catch them before or after worship until January 6 or after January 19.

Items for the auction can be brought to the church office at any time. Please fill in a donation form, available in the office.

PLEASE help us help others.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Helen Moody 1/1
Michael White-Lenard 1/1
Miles Mazur 1/2
Corinne Denoon 1/7
Faye Dyer 1/7
Erin Warner Prange 1/8
Roger Barnes 1/11
Ken Perry 1/11
Marjorie Courtney 1/12
Kin Lavender 1/12



Noah Mitchell 1/13
Richard Smith 1/14
Joyce Berger 1/17
Kelly Moore 1/18
Joe Logan 1/21
Bob Hill 1/26
Fred Kaul 1/26
Bob Buerk 1/28
George Conlee 1/28
David Von Weise 1/28

Jazz Noel Celebrates the Joy of Christmas



A full sanctuary greeted the Oikos Ensemble as we began playing “*God Rest Ye Merry!*” to kick off the eighth annual concert edition of Jazz Noel. Joining me were the Oikos regulars - Kim Fuller, Tim Osiek, Carolbeth True, Glen Smith and David True. The band’s creative artistry re-imagined favorite Christmas carols as storytellers (Jan Barnes, Andrea Welnick, Erick Falconer and Dave Denoon) retold the timeless narrative of Jesus’ birth. Jazz and story created a joyous tapestry bringing the Christmas message alive in a new way.

This year’s special guests were Java Jived. The a cappella octet opened with “*Deck the Halls*” and continued with other seasonal favorites. A highlight of the evening was Java Jived joining with Oikos for the traditional singing of “*Silent Night*” as folks lit candles to commemorate the hope of the Christmas promise. As the audience extinguished their candles and savored moments of silence, a drum beat began to crescendo leading into a joyous version of “*Personent Hodie*” with everyone singing:



*On this day earth shall ring with the songs children sing,
To our God praises bring: shout out with elation, you from every nation.
Clap your hands, hands, hands,
Stomp your feet, feet, feet,
Sing out loud: Gloria! In excelsis deo!*

In the tradition of Christmas gifting a free-will offering was taken to benefit the International Institute. An appreciative audience generously gave close to \$800 to support their mission of resettling refugees.

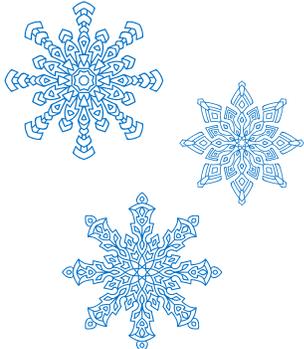
Jazz Noel offered wonderful music, a re-imagined story and an opportunity for concert-goers to reach out to others in need.

Cliff Aerie, Director of MICA



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JANUARY 2019

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|---|---|--|---|--|---|--|
|  | 1 New Year's Day OFFICE CLOSED | 2 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing | 3 | 4 9:00 AM Vision Board Workshop | 5  | |
| 6 – Epiphany Sacrament of Christ's Table 9:00 AM Brown Baggers 9:00 AM Nursery Care 9:55 AM Worship 9:55 AM Youth in Worship 10:15 AM Sunday School 11:05 AM Coffee Fellowship | 7 9:00 AM Monday Morning Men 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing 7:00 PM Boy Scouts | 8 11:00 AM Mary Martha Guild 11:30 AM Devine Diners 1:30 PM Recorders 6:30 PM Practicing Our Faith | 9 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing | 10 8:00 AM Journeymen | 11 | 12 |
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| 20 9:00 AM Nursery Care 9:55 AM Worship 10:15 AM Sunday School 11:05 AM Coffee Fellowship 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM Community MLK Celebration | 21 Martin L. King, Jr. Day Office Closed 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing 7:00 PM Boy Scouts 7:00 PM Executive Ministry | 22 9:30 AM Willing Workers 1:30 PM Recorders 7:00 PM Lady Elect | 23 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing | 24 8:00 AM Journeymen | 25 5:00 PM Room at the Inn | 26 |
| 27 – Heritage Sunday 9:00 AM Nursery Care 9:55 AM Worship 10:15 AM Sunday School 11:05 AM Fellowship 11:15 AM Adult Ed with Chip & Gaye Morley-John 12:00 PM Youth Group (6th - 8th Grade) 12:00 PM Celebrate Chinese New Year - Joy Luck Restaurant - SAGE | 28 9:00 AM Monday Morning Men 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing 7:00 PM Boy Scouts | 29 9:30 AM Willing Workers 1:30 PM Recorders | 30 1:00 PM Center for Counseling and Healing | 31 |  | |



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Seek Christ in each. Serve God in all.

January Meal-A-Month

Boxed Whole Grain Pasta
Canned Green Vegetable
(Low or No Salt)
Canned Fruit in Own Juices
Powdered Milk, Shelf Stable Milk, Soy Milk
Cold Cereal (No Sugar)
Plain Oatmeal (No Sugar)
Sugar Free Juices In Plastic Bottles

Missing Someone?

Have you been missing someone for a while from worship and other church events? Please, let Pastor Dave Denoon or Parish Life Chair, Faye Dyer know. Either will be happy to follow up for you.

