



ADVENTures *a weekly newsletter*

Advent Episcopal Church ◊ 3760 Dover Center Road ◊ Westlake ◊ OH ◊ 44145

September 22, 2019 ◊ Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Preaching this Morning at Advent

Advent welcomes Pastor Paul Laursen to our 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. services today. Pastor Laursen will be here for Sundays in September and beyond.

Update from the Junior Warden

One of the projects I want to complete this year, before fall, is to replace the gutters and downspouts around the sanctuary and hall. They were attached in 8 ft. sections and most of those joints are leaking or coming apart. I received a quote of \$4200.00 for the sanctuary & hall. I have funds of \$3200.00. I am about \$1000.00 short of the replacement price. If you feel this is a project that should be completed this year and would like to donate any amount towards the balance, it would be greatly appreciated. (Please mark Gutter Replacement in the memo line of your check.) The new gutters would be seamless extrusions with no joints for leakage. This would include leaf guards.

Thank you,
Ray Busony Jr. Warden

Advent in the News

Check out the article about The Northeast Ohio Youth Chamber Chorus in the latest Westlake/Bay Village Observer! Copies are available in the church office, and posted on the wall outside the office.

The Praise Community

The Praise Community is a new ministry that will be continuing on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. at Advent Church in Westlake, OH. The core team from various churches include Rick Willis, Harry Bound, Finn Laursen and Paul Laursen.

This has been on their hearts for a while to offer an opportunity for area believers to gather together weekly to offer up praise to the Lord and expect that He will meet with us. This is a non-denominational movement with no direct church affiliation.

This initiative has the blessing of the Vestry to use the beautiful Advent sanctuary. You are invited to come and participate as we seek to lift up the name of Jesus seeking personal and regional revival!

Vision of Advent

Advent seeks to be a biblically-faithful, dynamically growing, spiritually healthy and exciting church, reaching out to the community with the love of Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit.

This Week at Advent

September 22

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:00 a.m. Bible Study
Choir Practice
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

Monday, September 23

2:00 p.m. Eliza Jennings Ministry

Tuesday, September 24

Wednesday, September 25

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study at Advent
9:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayer Group
7:00 p.m. **The Praise Community**

Thursday, September 26

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Sunday, September 29

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

Prayer Request

Health and Recovery

Lillian Kwasny	Irv Frank	Joan Joye
Mary Lou Dixon	Marilyn Decker	Velta Sanborn
Bob Allen	Karen Zolar	Rose Walker
Barb Frank	Lois Zolar	Arthur Beel
Michael Uhrich	Sharon Rice	George Belinsky
Bill & Judy Arkley	Steve Boyce	Dave Luptak

Friends of Advent

Toni Kulma, wife of Pastor Kulma
Eliza Jennings residents
Sylvia Little, Bishop Little's wife
Trevor, grandson of Art Beel
Ken and Jim
Richard Ward, Jr.

Please contact the church office if you would like your name added or removed from our list.

Server Schedule Today, September 15

8:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearer/Lector Dick McCormick

10:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearers Teddi Augustine & Dick McCormick

Lector Denise Geyer-Keller

Prayers of the People Denise Geyer-Keller (Form 4)

Acolyte Anna Evans

Usher Jim Edwards

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony

Altar Guild Karen Edwards & Anne Crothall

Coffee Hour

Close Advent Ray Busony

Counter / Date Anne Crothall (9/23)

Next Sunday, September 29

8:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearer/Lector Kathleen Huffman

10:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearers Scott Duennes & Bunny Meriam

Lector Scott Duennes

Prayers of the People Anne Crothall (Form 5)

Acolyte Denise Geyer-Keller

Usher Bob Sanborn

Intercessory Prayer Sharon Rice

Altar Guild Cynthia Sabolich & Jennifer Meckes

Coffee Hour

Close Advent Denise Geyer-Keller

Counter / Date Marcia Duennes (9/30)

Note: It is your responsibility to contact another volunteer directly to take your place. Please call the office with all changes. Thank you.