

ADVENTURES a weekly newsletter

Advent Episcopal Church \diamond 3760 Dover Center Road \diamond Westlake \diamond OH \diamond 44145 December 8, 2019 ♦ The Second Sunday in Advent

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 December and beyond.

Bible Study

Bible Study resumes today, Sunday, December 8 at 9:00 a.m.

Advent Wreath Readers

At the 10:00 a.m. service today, Bev Cummings will present the short Christmas readings that accompany the lighting of the Advent Wreath.

Men's Night Out

Men of Advent, please join us Monday, December 9 at 6:30 p.m. at Mulligan's Pub and Grill, 38266 Colorado Ave. Avon, 440-934-6666 (off RT 611 & I-90). Please let Peter Meckes know if you will be attending, at: nosonut5830@att.net or 440-657-5286.

Thank you

Thank you Advent Episcopal Church. Because of you many of our neighbors; boys, girls, men and women will be kept warm this winter. Thanks for your generous giving of coats. Love INC. Luke 10:37 "The one who showed mercy on him." Jesus told him, "Go and do likewise." Luke 10:37



December 24 Christmas Eve Service

9:00 p.m. Candlelight Service with Holy Eucharist. Invite your family and friends.

The West Shore Healing Room

The West Shore Healing Room will open on Tuesday, December 10 at Advent. Led by Bill Benedict, The West Shore Healing Room, which is certified by the International Association of Healing Rooms in Spokane, Wash., will have a team to offer personal prayer for physical and emotional healing.

The room will be open on the second Tuesday of each month from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. No appointment is necessary and there is no charge. Appointments for prayer at other times can be made by calling 216-407-3220 or emailing to westshorehealing@gmail.com. The International Association of Healing Rooms coordinates 2,946 healing rooms in 68 countries.

This Week at Advent

Sunday, December 8

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer 9:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal

Bible Study

10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer 11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

Monday, December 9

2:00 p.m. Eliza Jennings Ministry 6:30 p.m. Men's Night Out

Tuesday, December 10

7:00 p.m. West Shore Healing Room

Wednesday, December 11

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, December 12

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, December 15

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 Joan Joye Irv Frank Mary Lou Dixon Marilvn 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.

Jack Morgan

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

Server Schedule Today, December 8

8:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearer/Lector Kathleen Huffman

10:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearers Denise Geyer-Keller & Dick McCor-

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Lector Dick McCormick

Prayers of the People Dick McCormick (Form 5)

Acolyte Cynthea Sabolich

Usher Jim Edwards

Intercessory Prayer Sharon Rice

Altar Guild Bunny Meriam

Coffee Hour

Close Advent John Urbas

Counter / Date Anne Crothall (12/9)

Next Sunday, December 15

8:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearer/Lector Dick McCormick Acolyte Alex Dzurec

10:00 a.m.

Chalice Bearers Scott Duennes & Denise Geyer-Keller

Lector Denise Geyer-Keller

Prayers of the People Anne Crothall (Form 6)

Acolyte Denise Geyer-Keller

Usher Bob Sanborn

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony

Altar Guild Anne Crothall & Cynthea Sabolich

Coffee Hour

Close Advent Ray Busony

Counter / Date Marcia Duennes (12/16)

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