

ADVENTURES a weekly newsletter;

February 27th, 2022 The Last Sunday after the Epiphany

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Welcome to Advent Episcopal Church and may God bless your worship today!

Discover Digital Literacy! program's Class #9 Graduated Valentine's Day 2022!

The Center for Aging in the Digital World led by Tak and Mely Sato announced that "On February 14, 2022, we celebrated the nine senior cohorts completing our 16-class Discover Digital Literacy! ("DDL!" for short) program! The celebration was in-person at Advent. These are the inaugural grads at our new Advent home and we can't be happier." Graduates included Jen and Pete Meckes, Pat Perris, Karen and Jim Edwards, Marilyn Decker, John Urbas, and two others outside the Advent family. Tak is working one-on-one with Mindy Rothrock to strengthen her digital skills. In the process he has saved her a considerable sum on her monthly internet/cable bill and Tak says the "plan is to apply some of that savings to replace her aging laptop that combined with the new "voice command" feature expected to come out in Windows 11, should make it easier for her to use a computer. Thanx for empowering us to help her too!" If you know of others who may be interested in the DDL! program, ask any of the Advent graduates about their experiences. And ask Mindy! What a service to the community!

The Center for Aging in the Digital World has a mission to empower seniors with digital literacy. Advent supports the mission of this non-profit and considers TheCenter to be an extension of the outreach ministry of our church.

The Next Cleveland Retrouvaille Weekend is scheduled for March 4 - 6, 2022

The Retrouvaille program is a Lifeline for Troubled Marriages

Has your marriage become unloving or uncaring - your relationship cold, distant - thinking about a separation or divorce? Are you already separated/divorced but both of you want to try again? Then the Retrouvaille program may help you rediscover each other again. RETROUVAILLE, which means rediscovery, is supported by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland, but it is open to couples of all faiths. This program consists of a weekend experience for couples and six follow up sessions. A registration fee of \$150 is required to confirm your reservation. For more information concerning the program, or to register, please call Marce or Liz Gliha at 440.357.6580 or 1.800.470.2230, or go online to www.helpourmarriage.org.

Shrove Tuesday

Shrove Tuesday aka Fat Tuesday aka Mardi Gras: Tuesday March 1st

6 PM - 8 PM

FREE...No Charge...FREE

Pancakes (multiple kinds) & Sausage links, and maybe a "secret ingredient" added to the mix.

All invited, bring friends, relatives, your appetite.

The 2022 Advent Flower Calendar

The 2022 Flower Calendar is posted on the wall outside the parish office. If you wish to donate flowers for the altar, please add your name to the Calendar. Please print clearly if you are donating the flowers in memory of a loved one, as a thank offering, or in celebration of a birthday or anniversary. Flower costs will now be \$50.00. Payment must be received before flowers will be ordered.

Palm Branches

If everyone could please bring in their palm branches from last year so that we could turn them into ashes for Ash Wednesday it would be greatly appreciated!

This Week at Advent

Sunday, February 27

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

Monday, February 28

Tuesday, March 1

Wednesday, March 2

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study at Advent9:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayer Group

7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, March 3

Sunday, March 6

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

Prayer Request

Health and Recovery

Lillian Kwasny Joan Joye Gus Cratcha Mary Lou Dixon Marilyn Decker Stacev Smith Karen Zolar Shirley Moore Barb Frank Sue Boyce Michael Uhrich Arthur Beel George Belinsky Bill & Judy Arkley Sharon Rice Dave Luptak John Crothall Steve Bovce Anne Crothall **Bev Cummings** Nita Ritchie

Friends of Advent

Toni Kulma, wife of Pastor Kulma
Ken Wood Jim Johnson
Eliza Jennings residents

Fr. Richard Lutz
Betty Clark
Bill Liptak

Ray Coy

Residents of Pinzone Tower

Will Hayes, friend of Cynthea Sabolich Gabe, grandson of Jan & Jerry Nagy Carolyn Kay, cousin of Jan Nagy Bill Tumbleson, former Advent Priest David Arkley, son of Bill & Judy Arkley Cathy Sutula, friend of Kathleen Huffman

Pam Padrutt-Melvin, friend of Denise Geyer-Keller

Mike Smith, family of Sue & Steve Boyce

Safety Protection

Rachel Moffitt, ER Nurse daughter of Bill & Judy Arkley Please contact the church office if you would like your name added or removed from our list.

Server Schedule Today, February 27

8:00 a.m.

Assistant Kathleen Huffman

10:00 a.m.

Assistant Dick McCormick

Lector Dick McCormick

Prayers of the People Dick McCormick (Form 6)

Usher Peter Meckes

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony **Counter** Anne Crothall (2/28)

Close Advent Peter Meckes

Server Schedule Sunday, March 6

8:00 a.m.

Assistant Dick McCormick

10:00 a.m.

Assistant Dick McCormick

Lector Dick McCormick

Prayers of the People Dick McCormick (Form 2)

Usher Jim Edwards

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony

Counter Anne Crothall (3/7)

Close Advent Max Gage

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

Zoom Invitation

This is a recurring invitation for worship services at 10:00 a.m. each Sunday morning. You can use the same link, Meeting ID, and Passcode Sunday after Sunday. This way, the link won't change week by week. You can launch the link from this transmittal link.

Peace be with you!

There are no changes, just the same info in an abbreviated format. **These are not new, just shortened.**

Join Advent Service via Zoom from PC or tablet

https://zoom.us/j/93790207331?

pwd=NWFXZVhnVGdEY1Z5dzRCSjNVQzlZQT09

Meeting ID: 937 9020 7331

Passcode: 988930

From your smartphone, dial 312 626 6799

Meeting ID: 937 9020 7331

Passcode: 988930