

The Guidepost

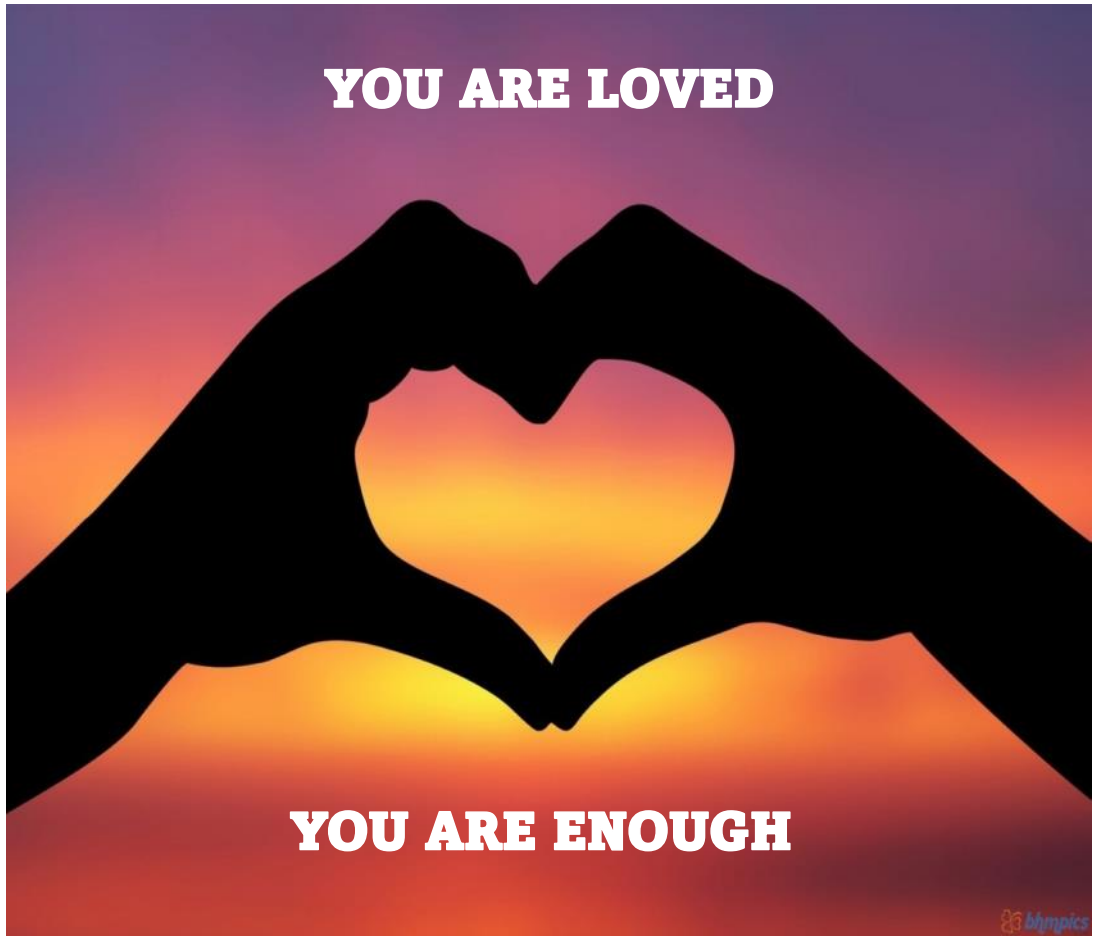


St. Philip's Lutheran Church
5320 Limestone Road
Wilmington, DE 19808



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**"As an inclusive and caring congregation, our mission is to make disciples,
praise God, and serve the community"**

From the Senior Pastor - Pastor Patrick

We Have WALLS!!!!

So, as you can see from the picture below, we now have walls in the basement. The last couple weeks have been spent closing things up. In December New Castle County gave us approval on our “behind the walls” construction and that allowed us to move forward with putting up the drywall throughout the basement space. You can really get a sense of how it is all coming together at this point.

In fact, I brought several folks from our Altar Guild to the basement earlier this week to show them where their storage space will be shared with Worship and Music—they were thrilled about how things were coming along. Having been in the unfinished space, they found it remarkable how much “space” we were able to make down there. I think they got really excited seeing the meeting space as well as being able to get a vision for how things looked.

The goal is still to have things finished up in late February or early March. Will we hit that goal? Well, we’ll have to see. Construction turns to the finishing things: ceiling tiles, lighting, sinks, cabinets, paint, doors, carpeting, flooring, signage, etc. Many thanks to Tom Krapf and the entire property team for their hard work down there.

Keep lifting up prayers for good weather so we can continue work on the parking lot!!!



Greetings all,

There are two amazing events coming up that I just want to draw your attention to! Mark your calendars!!

1.) *Let's get PUMPED because it's almost time for the YOUTH GROUP SPAGHETTI DINNER + BINGO NIGHT!*****

Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 1st from 5-8pm! Tickets go on sale Sunday, February 2nd! Bring a friend, make a friend, & be a friend – *make sure you get your tickets!* You will NOT want to miss this! Trust me! If you have a great raffle basket idea that you'd like to offer that night?! Let me know! Sign-ups for spaghetti items to bring, for the dinner, are available in the Narthex!
All proceeds go to our Youth Group!

2.) The “Stump The Pastors” Together in Faith is coming up on Sunday, March 2nd! *Can you stump the pastors?!* Have any burning questions about the Bible, scripture, theology, etc.?! Submit your questions (either online or by paper) for the pastors to answer on March 2nd! Submit those burning questions that you have online or in the box in the Narthex (beginning in February)!

It is an honor and joy to serve with and alongside you all. Thank you for your partnership in the Gospel!

God's Peace.





Wednesday, March 5, 2025

**Potluck Supper at 6:30 p.m.
(Bring a dish to share)**

**7:15 p.m. Worship Service with
Distribution of Ashes**



Wednesday Evenings at St. Philip's:

*Each of the following Wednesday Evenings **here at St. Philip's**, we'll have Soup and Bread at 6:30 p.m. followed by a Lenten Vespers Service*

March 12 * March 19 * March 26 * April 2 * April 9

Ecumenical Lenten Worship Services & Community Lunches

Theme is still To Be Determined

Wednesdays at Noon:

**March 12 * March 19
March 26 * April 2 * April 9**

Noon to 1:30 p.m.

This year hosted by: St. Philip's Lutheran Church
5320 Limestone Road, Wilmington, DE 19808

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St. Philip's Lutheran Church

Treasurer's Report by Major Group

December of Fiscal Year 2024

Responsibility: All

Fund: 01 - General

	December Actual	Year-to-date Actual	Year-to-date Budget	Percent of Budget
Income				
Group 00	81,974.91	580,892.75	499,816.67	116.22%
Total Income	81,974.91	580,892.75	499,816.67	116.22%
Expense				
Administration	3,030.38	36,476.52	37,900.00	96.24%
Committees	18,477.78	194,605.67	189,470.00	102.71%
Pastor	10,860.70	130,216.96	131,762.00	98.83%
Staff	18,823.71	205,818.66	205,103.00	100.35%
Utilities	376.40	18,157.50	23,200.00	78.27%
Benevolence	1,250.00	17,291.63	17,500.00	98.81%
Total Expense	52,818.97	602,566.94	604,935.00	99.61%
Income Less Expense	29,155.94	-21,674.19	-105,118.33	

From O.W.L.S.



O.W.L.S. (older, wiser, Lutheran seniors) will gather on Tuesday, February 11th. This group is geared towards retirees in the congregation that would like to engage in a time of food, fellowship, and light learning. The next meeting will be held **February 11th from 11:30 am to 1 pm.** The topic for this month is still being worked on. Bring your own lunch and we'll provide the fellowship and learning. See you then!!

Spaghetti Dinner + Bingo Night Fundraiser



Saturday, March 1st, 5-8pm

TICKETS



Let us eat spaghetti!

Adult 🍝 \$7

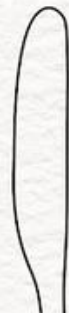
Children 🍝 \$5

Families 🍝 \$20

***ALL proceeds benefit our Youth
Group's Hurricane Relief Trip to
NC this summer!*



YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!



TICKETS TO GO ON SALE: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND!!!



PUB THEOLOGY

Martin Luther once said: *“Whoever drinks beer, they are quick to sleep; whoever sleeps long, does not sin; whoever does not sin, enters Heaven! Thus, let us drink beer!”*

Get excited because ***Pub Theology*** is this month from 6:30-8:30pm on Thursday, February 20th! It's every 3rd Thursday of the month, and for this month, it will be back at Chuck Lager's (right down from the church)!

ALL are welcome at any time! You won't want to miss this!

Pub Theology is all about open and honest, faith-filled conversations about things that matter. A table where all perspectives are welcome and appreciated. The format is simple: *beer, conversation, and God*. Come and bring your questions and thoughts, bring a friend, pull up a chair, and join Pastor Amy. You'll be able to share your own wrestling's and thoughts while learning something new along the way, and hey—there's likely to be a good craft beer you haven't tried yet!

See you then! Cheers!

Youth Group Skating and Scavenger Hunt! - Pastor Amy



ScAVenGER
Hunt!



In January, the moms of Mission kids enjoyed a night out at the Mexican Table. This was a great opportunity to decompress after the holiday season and catch up with one another!

Our next three months of events are listed below!



February 9th - 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM – Valentine's Day Cards for Homebound Members!

Mission Kids will help the Youth Group with creating beautiful and unique Valentine's cards for our homebound members. The Youth group will then be taking these with them on their visits to the church members. Please pack a lunch for this event.



March 9th – 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM - (REVISED DATE and TIME!!) Mission Kids Get Messy!

Join us for lunch and a fun handprint craft! Keep an eye out for an RSVP! Lunch will be provided!



April 13th – 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM – Annual Easter Egg Hunt!

Join us for lunch followed by our much anticipated, Easter Egg Hunt! An RSVP will be sent out closer to the event!



Youth Group Christmas Party! - Decorating - Pastor Amy





A Community Learning Experience for all Ages

Sunday, March 2, 2025

***9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.**

- **Adults and Youth will share and fellowship**
- **Kid's Club will meet as usual.**
- **Come enjoy great food and fellowship on Sunday, March 2nd from 9:15-10:15 a.m. AND participate in the STUMP.THE.PASTORS. - Together in Faith program! You can click on the link below to submit a question:**

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd-NfJlsoZgmIfAj1-BvfWM4Vne48Fs8fuQ9hG1jGe3V5uSPA/viewform>

***The Nursery Will Be Open!**



HELP BUILD OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH!

Build relationships, meet new people, find an activity that works for you!

The **nursery** is open during both services on Sunday morning and during the Christian Ed hour in between. Contact Maryann Shovestul if you have any questions.

Kid's Club and **Breakfast Club** continue to meet at 9:15 on Sunday morning.

Adults continue to meet in the fellowship hall at 9:15 for a **Large Group Video Series** about Moses. Pastor Patrick leads this Adam Hamilton series through February 23. Everyone is invited to attend. If you can not attend all of the sessions drop in whenever you can.

Mission Kids and **Youth Group** continue to gather this month. Check out separate pages in the Guidepost for details about scheduled activities.

A **Together in Faith Breakfast** will be held on Sunday March 2 at 9:15 in the fellowship hall. Come enjoy food and fellowship AND be part of the STUMP THE PASTORS program. If you can provide breakfast casseroles, baked goods or fruit sign up on the poster in the narthex. Also submit questions you have about the Bible, scripture, or theology to be answered by our pastors on March 2. Submit by paper (box in the narthex) or online using the link below.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd-NfJlsoZgmIfAj1-BvfWM4Vne48Fs8fuQ9hG1jGe3V5uSPA/viewform>

Check out the Lending Library in Rooms 128 and 129, where you'll find bible reference books and books by Christian authors with a wide range of topics. Use the sign out sheet if you want to borrow a book: when you return the book sign it in and drop it in the basket next to the book shelves.

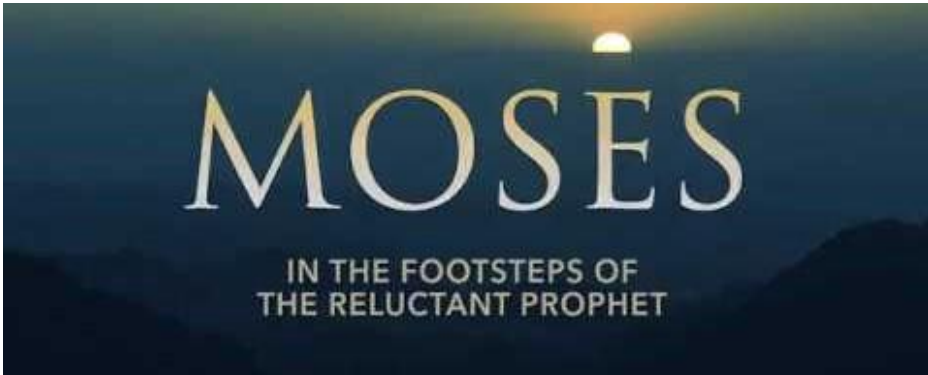


UPCOMING EVENTS:

- February 2 - SkyZone Trampoline Park (12-3pm)
- February 9 - Valentine's Day Service Project (12-3:30pm)
- February 16 - No Youth Group
- February 23 - Dog Treats for the SPCA (12-2pm)

March 2025

- ***March 1 (Saturday) - Spaghetti Dinner + Bingo Night (5-8pm)
all youth are expected to arrive at 3:00pm to set-up
- this is a HUGE fundraiser for our youth group to help cut costs for the amazing trips we take! We need all hands on deck! It's such a great night that you won't want to miss!
- Selling tickets will begin **Sunday, February 2nd** (before & after worship in the Narthex)! Make sure & sign-up to sell tickets and to bring in your donations as Bingo prizes! See Pr. Amy if questions.



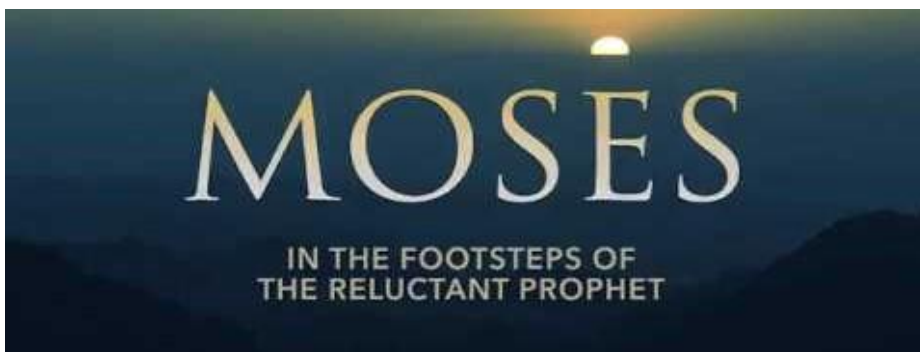
**Join us For A Special Winter Video Series Journey
Alongside the first Biblical Prophet, Moses**

On Sunday Mornings January 12 - February 23, 2024 at 9:15 am
Classes will be held in the Social Hall Led By Pastor Patrick
and are all about The Life and Impact of the Prophet, Moses.

The Ten Commandments
Lessons from the Wilderness
Don't forget . . . Pass it On
The Legacy of Moses

Everyone is invited to this class, whether you were registered for small groups
or not. This is a whole church experience.





Session 4 February 2nd: The Ten Commandments

Laws to be sure, but more a sense of commitment to each other.

Session 5 February 9th: Lessons from the Wilderness

What we do in life when we are “going nowhere.”

Session 6 February 16th: Don’t Forget . . . Pass it On

The events in the wilderness have shaped the Jewish People.

Session 7 February 23rd: The Legacy of Moses

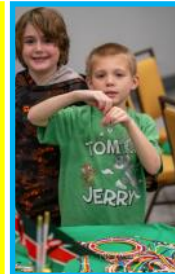
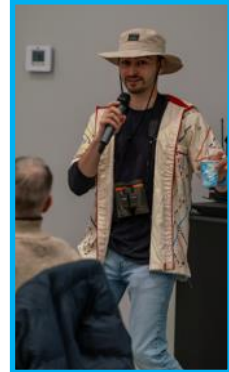
The Enduring Impact of Moses on People of Faith

Valentine's Day **Friday,
February
14th**

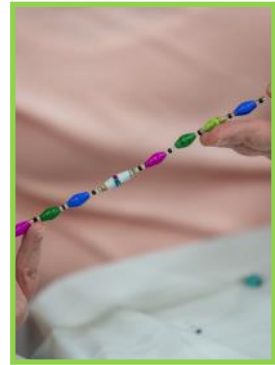
From Kenya Culture Night - Photos by Tom DeWeese



Water
is Life
Kenya



From Kenya Culture Night - Photos by Tom DeWeese



On Saturday, January 11th the Outreach Committee in coordination with the staff at WILK, Joyce Tannin and Aaron Lemma, hosted 75 members of the congregation and outside community for a cultural night celebrating all things, Kenya. Before we broke bread, Joyce provided an update on the drilling activities happening in Kenya, which we have mentioned previously is going great! We have hit water! There are still many more steps to the process, but things are on track. We enjoyed several authentic Kenyan dishes, included roasted goat, beef stew, goat stew, chipati (bread), ugali (similar to polenta), sukuma (collard greens), and rice. Big shout out to Chuck for cooking enough stew for 75 people! It was delicious. With full bellies, folks moved around to the different stations that focused on the unique and fun aspects of Kenyan culture. We went on a “safari”, made jewelry, danced, sang, and enjoyed a full evening of fellowship. Pages 17 and 18 there are a sample of the pictures collected over the night. A good time was had by all.

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The Daytime Book Group has chosen our books through the spring. They are :

January 21– The Frozen River by Ariel Lawhorn

February 18—The Mystery of Mrs Christie by Marie Benedict

March 18– Home Front by Kristin Hannah

April 15–The Silent Patient by Alex Michaelides

Please join us. We meet at the church in **Room #127 at 12:30 p.m.** You are welcome to bring your lunch

The Young at Heart Group is a group for those 70 years old and up. We will be meeting on **Saturday, March 8, 2025, 1:30-3 p.m.**, at Gigi Mueller's home. New people are always welcome! Please RSVP to Gigi.

It's not too early to start planning our **Women's Fall Retreat** on **Saturday, November 8th, 2025!** Mark your calendars NOW!

Women, Wine, and Whine - Just booked our next wine social gathering for Sunday afternoon, **February 16th, from 3 to 6 p.m.**, at **Acadian Winery in West Grove**. Marty and Company will be performing. All are welcome!

The Women's Evening Book Club meets on the second Friday of the month at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall or individual homes. Our time together is much like a happy hour with good friends! Feel free to bring a snack or beverage to share. **Our next meeting is February 14th** - *James* by Percival Everett. For **March 14th** we'll be discussing *The End of Drumtime* by Hanna Pylväinen. For **April 14th (NOTE that this is a TUESDAY)** at 5:00 p.m. we will gather at River Rock Restaurant at the Westin by the Chase Center on the Riverfront. We'll enjoy dinner and then go to the New Castle County Reads presentation to hear the author of *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt speak about her book. **Also for April - Reader's Choice** - Since we already read the NCC Reads book, in April, read a book of your choice. We can talk about them at our May meeting and use this discussion to plan the next books through the fall of 2025. Then for **May 9th** we'll discuss *By Any Other Name* by Jodi Piccoult. On **June 13th** we'll discuss *First Lie Wins* by Ashley Alston. If you have any questions, please contact Dawn Downes or Donna Daugherty. Mark your calendars and plan to come . . . We hope you will join us. Everyone is welcome!

St Philip's has **Stephen Ministers** just waiting to walk by your side through a difficult or lonely time. Let Pastor Patrick or Gigi Mueller know.

Shepherding Team
The next
Shepherds meeting **Monday,**
February 3rd @
1 p.m. in the
Fellowship Hall.



MINISTRIES

Koinonia: If you're looking for a small group that has fellowship, food and support for one another a koinonia group (Greek for fellowship) might be right for you! The **first Koinonia Group** that meets at St. Philip's will be **meeting, Sunday, February 23rd at 6:30 p.m.** we will be studying the book of Parables. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall. A **second group** that meets with the Mueller's will meet on **Sunday, TBD.** We are going to read Luke in one sitting ahead of time and discuss. Questions about Koinonia? Contact Sharon Kittle.



New Supplies needed for Care Kits for the Homeless. As the seasons are changing our winter kits need to be refreshed with new supplies. Please consider signing up below to help replenish supplies. Also, kits can be found under the coat rack in the narthex. Consider picking up one or two to share with homeless persons you may encounter in your travels.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050949A9A62CA3FC1-53363560-homeless>



Ministries available at St. Philip's

Attention Widows, Widowers, and Those Who Have Lost Loved Ones!! If you have lost a spouse, partner, or close loved one and would like to have some fellowship and support, there is now a support group meeting for fellowship and to provide comfort and support through this life transition. The next gathering is **February 13th at 12:30 p.m. lunch/1 p.m. meeting** in the Social Hall here at church. If you are interested in being a part or learning more, contact Sally Krapf.

Worship Assistants Are Needed!!! We could use everyone's help as we work through this pandemic time. A small group of us have taken on the task of leading worship and ushering and greeting during the pandemic. Before COVID, we had a huge team doing this task. We need our worship assistants to begin returning to their jobs. We also would love to welcome new servants into this ministry. Contact Louise James if you are willing to help.



MINISTRIES

Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregiver Support Group Continues to Meet at St. Philip's - The Alzheimer's Assn. of the Delaware Valley is sponsoring a monthly support group for anyone who has a loved one with any form of dementia, including Alzheimer's. Living with or caring for a person with dementia can be extremely challenging, overwhelming and exhausting. The group offers education, support, and the opportunity to connect with others in a similar situation. Free and open to the public, the group will meet on the **second Tuesday of the month**. The next meeting will be on **February 11th at 1 p.m.** in Room #128. For more information, contact Erica Holmes.

Food Insecurity due to inflation is on the Rise! Can you help? Food demand still continues to be very high. If you are at the grocery store or if someone goes for you, you can pick up needed items and drop them in the box in the narthex. We are especially in need of: **Pasta, Pasta Sauce** (cans are best and Dollar Store has good prices), Shelf **Milk** (2%, Almond Breeze, Whole, or Soy – Again, the Dollar Store is a good source), **Mac & Cheese, Cereal, Canned Vegetables, Toilet Paper, Salt & Pepper, Crackers, Coffee, Tea Bags, Cake Mix/Frosting.** Thank you so much for your generosity!!

GROCERY CLUB CLOTHING

We have been getting requests from members for clothing, so Grocery Club is once again accepting donations. We are especially in need of children's clothing of all sizes but are also looking for men's and women's clothing. Summer clothing is preferred. **Please contact Nancy Zinnato if you have items to donate.**

GROCERY CLUB

Wednesday, February 12, 2025 and February 26, 2025





Family Promise
St. Philips Next Host Week: May 25 - May 31

Many thanks to all of you who contributed food, time, and supplies during St. Philips Family Promise host week in January! The families were very appreciative of all the food and attention given to them during the week. Our next host week will be May 25-31. Sign up posters will be in the Narthex in early May with menus listing food needed. At this time a Sign-Up Genius will be sent out by email for those who are able to contribute non-perishable items.

Thank you in advance for your continued support. Feel free to contact Rebecca Bardenhagen or Marty Budd with any questions.

Blessings to all!

FAMILY PROMISE

The week of: May 25, 2025 to May 31, 2025



Every year we provide the members the chance to sign up to dedicate chancel flowers (we used to call them altar flowers when they sat on the altar, but now they are on the shelf in the chancel area) in memory or in honor of loved ones. In order to make it easy for you to sign up for flowers for the 2024 Calendar Year, below is a link to a sign up genius form that will allow you to dedicate flowers for the coming year. **The flowers for 2025 will be \$50.** You will pick the date you want to sign-up for and then it will ask you to type in your dedication and then click the submit button. Like last year, we are asking that you please mail in your payment for the flowers AT THE TIME YOU FILL OUT THIS DEDICATION SIGNUP. The only reason we are asking this is that many people forget that they signed up and then forget to send the money in. Altar Guild is trying to avoid coming after the dedication money months afterwards. Thank you so much. To make a dedication, click here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0848A9AE29A57-52711374-flower#/>



From Habitat Restoration Crew - Phil and Mary Duncan

Join the HABITAT RESTORATION CREW! The current project is removing invasive plants and vines from around the trees and in meadow areas. Upcoming work dates follow a **first Saturday, third Wednesday of each month pattern, 10:00 a.m. to Noon.** each day. Mark your calendars now!! Helpful tools to bring: Large loppers, large digging shovels, sturdy hand-held garden pruners, small bow or pruning saw, sturdy leather [or other thorn-resistant] gloves, leaf and grass rakes. Be sure to mark your personal tools. Contact Phil Duncan to let him know you are coming.

Valentine

word search

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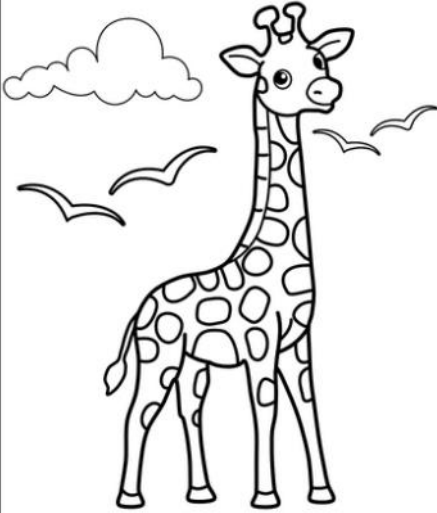
Christmas Eve at St. Philip's - Pastor Amy



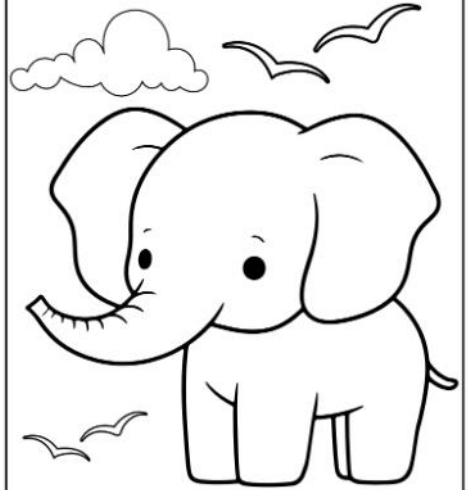
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TEMBO - ELEPHANT



SIMBA - LION



NYANI - MONKEY



PUNDAMILIA - ZEBRA





Wishing you God's love from LCM! ♥

At Lutheran Campus Ministry at UD, we're stepping into 2025 with hope and energy, eager to see what God has in store for the ministry and for our gifted and inspiring students. We're grateful to all of you for your generous support via prayers, financial contributions, and in-kind gifts. During this month of St. Valentine's celebrations, we wish you extra measures of God's tender and unconditional love!

We're hoping to convene a property team this spring to conduct a full-scale audit of the ministry's buildings and grounds. If that's something for which you have interest and gifts, please contact me. Other spring plans include weekly Tuesday dinners and worship gatherings, coffee and conversation outings, Bible study, volunteering with FISH (*Fellowship in Serving the Hungry*), a special Easter dinner, and an overnight spring retreat in Ocean City, New Jersey. If you'd like to visit us at the chapel on a Tuesday evening, please do. We love to talk with members of local congregations and our LCM supporters. If you're interested in teaming up with friends to bring a home-cooked meal for students, please call our office or refer to our website: <https://lcmde.org/bring-a-tuesday-dinner>. Our students are very grateful for home-cooked treats!

We especially invite your prayers this spring for our seniors, David, Gretchen, Karen, and Regan, as they complete their undergraduate studies and seek the Holy Spirit's guidance for life and work beyond college. Please pray for clear discernment, for God's peace to sustain them, for Jesus' accompaniment at each step, and for abundant hope and joy along the way, as new possibilities open up before them.

Thank you for your ongoing support and prayers! 🙏

*In Christ, Mindy Holland, Minister of Word and Service /
Chaplain, Lutheran Campus Ministry at UD
302-368-3078; chaplain@lcmde.org*



Please come join us for a Tuesday dinner this semester! 🙏



Grants and Staff Additions at Hilltop

We begin this month with great news! The Hilltop Lutheran Neighborhood Center received a \$90 thousand award from the Delaware Department of Education. Center Executive Director, Michelle Williams, says it's a Quality Improvement Award. "The funds (were) dispersed in January and will be used to help supplement staff hiring and retention and to maintain quality in the State Funded Early Care and Education Program (formerly known

as ECAP)"

And speaking of staffing, Center Deputy Director, Brandon Furrowh, announced a couple of new faces now grace our facility. "We have onboarded Ms. Dashaba Fielder and Ms. Dierdre Reynolds. Ms. Fielder, a graduate from Springfield University with over 25 years of experience working with children, has stepped into the role of the Curriculum Coordinator. Ms. Reynolds, also certified as an Early Childhood Education Administrator, will assist our staff for the close of each day as a substitute. These women have served as wonderful additions to our Hilltop family." Welcome aboard to Dashaba and Dierdre!!

In other Hilltop news, the Hilltop Center now has its own food pantry! According to Executive Director, Michelle Williams, it's all thanks to a \$5,000 donation of nonperishable food items from DOTS Foods. "Twenty volunteers from Dots Foods helped to unload the big rig and stock the pantry. They created an assembly line unloading the truck and used carts to get the items to the pantry. The Dots Food HR Manager was also on site and helped to organize the pantry. The process was seamless and was done within 30 minutes."



Finally, from the Christmas holidays, Deputy Director, Brandon Furrowh reports Hilltop hosted its first *Brunch and Books with Santa*. "The event promoted literacy, good holiday spirit, and family togetherness. Each family in attendance ate a soul food-inspired brunch...." Brandon says "the families also received books and gifts for the children. Hilltop would like to send a special thank you to St. Philips Lutheran Church for the generous donation towards making this event a success!"



Eric F. Mease

*Member, Board of Directors,
Hilltop Lutheran Neighborhood Center*

Remember Us When You Pray

We believe in the power of prayer, so please remember to keep the following persons and their families in your prayers. Even if you do not know them it means so much to them to know that they are remembered in our daily prayer lives. Also, it would be a wonderful gift for them to hear from their church family:

We Pray for the Members of St. Philip's:

Ron Henry, Judi Parsons, John & Barb Williams, Charles & Ruth Bowles, Lois Hardy, Carol Ruckle, Sharon Smith, Louise James, Helga Kissell, Bob O'Brien, Sherry Thompson, Eleanor Georgiana, Dave Frampton, Amy Papili, Donna Hokanson, Lynn Pouser, Bev Reedy, Elizabeth Stirk, Paul & Barbara Stadelberger, Jeff Stirk, Charlie Boss, Debra Gelesh, Richard Braun, Ellen Lenker, Janette Saxton, Phyllis Bolgiano, Donna Daugherty, Yvonne Cilento, Shelly Meador, Danny Mason, Kim Longo, John Reichley, Marge Davis, Diana Schneider and Family

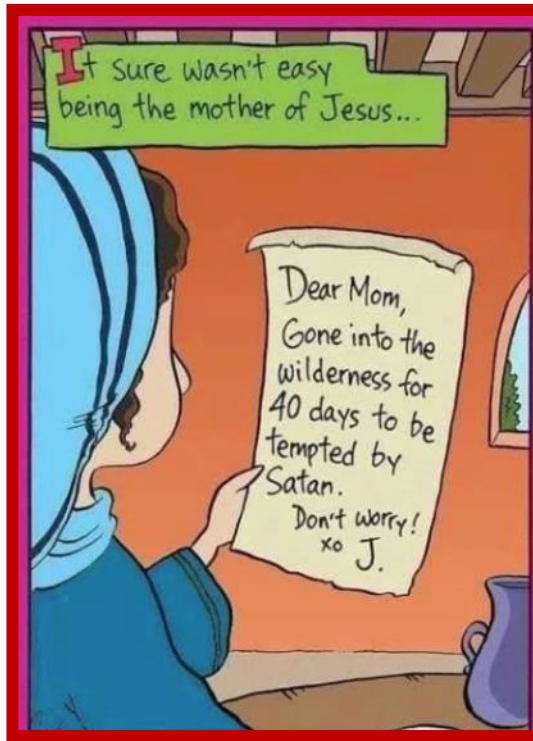
We Pray for our Loved Ones: *(Though we do not explicitly name these beloved ones in worship during our prayer time, please lift up their names in prayer aloud or silently during the time set aside for other intercessions):* **Our soldiers serving overseas and their families; Sgt. Tyler Harris**, nephew of Susan Mack; **Ruth DiDonato, Family of Earl & Irene Meyer, Christina Ruble & Family**, family of Linda Burkum; **Emily Ruckle & Tina Davis**, family of Carol Ruckle; **John & Carly Hoeni**, family of Lynn Muller; **Beckie McNelly**, sister of Bob Gible & Barb Williams; **Lou Cookson**, father of Nick Cookson; **Beth Cookson**, mother of Nick Cookson; **Dorothy Owens**, sister of Ruth Henry; **Stuart Emerson & Family**, friends of the Swift Family; **Jacob Buckworth & Dawn Cupsie**, grandson & daughter of Lamont & Sharon Smith; **Donald Oesterbo, Jr.**, son of Carol Oesterbo; **Linda Allen**, friend of Faith Simperts; **Mary Jane Myers**, mother of Mark Myers; **Joe Cilento, Jr.**, son of Yvonne Cilento; **Paul Budd, Sr.**, father of Scott, & **Lee & Patricia Craig**, friends of The Budds; **David Martin, Diane Balinski, Debra Jennings, & Barney Jennings**, family of Donna Hokanson; **Molly Wagner**, granddaughter of Margaret Wagner; **Jermaine & Joslyn Sanders**, friends of Nancy Zinnato; **Norman Richards & Phyllis Mensinger**, family & **Myron Davis**, brother of Mark & Marge Davis; **Mildred Marine**, grandmother of Heather Stirk; **John, Sr. & Anna Longo**, parents of John Longo; **Lew & Donna Longhenry**, parents & **Brad Oliver**, brother-in-law of Bryan Longhenry; **The Family of Robert Schuh**, family of Diana Longhenry; **Martin Page & Family**, friends of Mike Rosen; **Craig Shechter**, father of Amanda DeWeese; **Alistair Black**, grandson of Bob & Delores Wardwell; **Mike & Jeanie Kelly**, friends, & **Family of Rosemary Herron**, Loved ones of Edna Basilio; **Carol Henzy**, sister of Beth Molnar; **Zoe Kenaley**, great-granddaughter of Vic Brick; **John Lehne**, friend of Carol Goodman; **Henry Houtmann**, grandson & **Doris S. & Kathleen K.**, friends of Anne Hamilton; **Frank Kullick**, brother of Ruth Bowles; **Christopher Longo**, son of John & Kim Longo; **Lisa Santak**, daughter of Marion Santak; **Michele Levanduski**, Family of Paul Gelesh; **Kristi Barnett**, friend of Angela Klemens; **Rick Ricciardi**, brother of Nancy Warner; **Henry Jones**, father of Derrick Thompson, **Carla Solano and Family**, cousin of Bonnie Anderson; **Michelle Nevins**, wife of David Nevins; **Craig Florschutz**, husband of Jennifer Florschutz; **Mark Doyle**, friend of Harold and Sharon Holean; **Mark & Jeanne Favreau**, family of Rev. Arlene Favreau-Pyscher

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Matthew Mignogna	2/1	Sharon Holeman	2/20
Michael Newcomer	2/2	Myrna Symonds	2/20
Danny Mason	2/3	Vince Suddard	2/21
Sia Joy Nkurlu	2/3	Blagovesta (Eva) Dimitrova	2/22
Matthew Brenneman	2/5	Trudy Gilgenast	2/23
Matthew Cory	2/7	David Porter	2/23
Mike Mack	2/7	Linda Sayther	2/23
Samantha Obara	2/8	Rebekah Barron	2/25
Chris Hewlett	2/10	Chaltu Bekele	2/28
Andy Brenneman	2/11	Diana Schneider	2/28
		Alan Start	2/28

May God Bless You on Your Special Day!





Please call the church office at 302-239-2100 when:

- You or a member of your family is sick or in the hospital
- You are planning a meeting or scheduling an event so it can be placed on the church calendar, in the bulletin, and in the Guidepost.
- A baby is expected in your family.
- You want to arrange for a baptism or a wedding.
- Your telephone number, address or email address has changed or you are planning to move, locally or out of town.
- You have a prayer request.
- You feel the church can help you in any way.

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Sunday Morning Schedule

8:00 a.m. Worship Service In Sanctuary

9:15 a.m. Small Groups, Christian Ed for All Ages

10:30 a.m. Worship Service In Sanctuary

** Coffee Fellowship in Fellowship Hall Between Services