



Protestant Fellowship Announcements for November 23, 2025



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- **Pastoral Associate at Ann's Choice**

- Pastoral Associate, Rev. Amy Martin, devotes part of her time supporting the Mission of the Protestant Fellowship Council.
- Stop by her office in Liberty Commons to introduce yourself and meet her.





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- **Contact Pastoral Ministries office or the Protestant Fellowship Council**
 - Call her at (215) 443-3831; email Rev. Martin at Amy.Martin@erickson.com
 - Write a note on an offering envelope and leave it in the offering plate at Chapel worship.





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- **Protestant Fellowship**

Our purpose is to bring glory to God in all that we pursue in and through the Protestant Faith Community

- Our Mission is to
 - Provide meaningful worship opportunities;
 - Provide opportunities for Bible study;
 - Provide Christian fellowship and prayer;
 - Help fellow residents with spiritual needs; and
 - Participate with other faith groups in ecumenical and inter-faith services.



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- **Protestant Fellowship Council**

- The Council consists of twelve members who are elected by the Protestant Fellowship at the annual meeting.
- Each member of the Council has different gifts for ministry and leadership in the Protestant community.
- The terms of four Council members will expire at the end of 2025, and we will be electing four new members to serve on the Council for three-year terms.



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- **Protestant Fellowship Council**
 - **The annual meeting will be on Monday, December 1, at 10:00 in the Liberty Catering Room.**
 - The agenda will include reports about ministries and activities of the Protestant Fellowship and election of new members for the Council. .



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- **Protestant Fellowship Council**

- Now is the time to consider and pray for understanding about serving on the Protestant Fellowship Council.
- The council, as with any ministry group, functions best with members who each have different gifts.
- Some of us organize well; some speak well; some are thoughtful and prayerful; some are good listeners. Each is different. Each is a valuable member.
- Strongly consider volunteering to serve on the Council.



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- **Results of Annual Meeting**

- At the Annual Meeting of the Protestant Fellowship on Sunday, January 12, reports 2024 ministries and activities were distributed to attendees; they are also available on the resident website.
- Several individuals were elected to serve on the Protestant Fellowship Council in 2025. Fr. Ernie Curtin was elected to serve a one-year term. John Hodges, Bob Swan, and Janet Wentz were elected to serve two-year terms. Jack Custer, Lynn Swan, Mark Heuckroth, and Betty Kingston were elected to serve three-year terms.



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- **Responsibilities of the Protestant Fellowship Council**

- According to the constitution of the Ann's Choice Protestant Fellowship, the members of the Protestant Fellowship Council are responsible the spiritual, financial, personnel and business functions of the Protestant Fellowship.
- This is an important ministry and we ask that you pray for the members of the Council. You may also help by volunteering to help with projects and ministries during 2025.



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Protestant Fellowship Council in 2025

Fr. Ernie Curtin, Worship Committee Chair	MT-214	Betty Kingston, Protestant Community Outreach	LP-407
Jack Custer, Secretary	MC-320	Polly Riddle, Asst Treas.	BG-120
Dolores Ehrenfeld, Mission Outreach Chair	BC-312	Bob Swan, Mission Outreach	BR-201
Trudi Hertfelder, Protestant Community Outreach Chair	BG-111	Lynn Swan, Vice-Chair	BR-201
Mark Heuckroth, Mission Outreach	HR-115	Janet Wentz, Concerts and Worship Flowers	PV-107
John Hodges, Treasurer and Publicity	BC-412	Bud Williams, Chair	TC-107



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- **Supporting Our Ministry and Mission**

- Donations to support our ministry and mission may be put in an offering plate at worship or may be enclosed in an envelope addressed to Pastoral Ministries Office and left at the clubhouse front desk.
- Donations by check are preferred.
- Please make the check payable to
"A. C. – Protestant Fund".

On the memo line, please write "Donation".



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- **Supporting Our Ministry and Mission**

- Donations sent directly from your financial institution should be made payable to

“Ann’s Choice – Protestant Fund”

- Checks should be mailed to

Protestant Fellowship, c/o Pastoral Ministries
20000 Ann’s Choice Way
Warminster, PA 18974



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• Questions for Protestant Fellowship Council

- Do you have questions or comments for any members of the Protestant Fellowship Council?
- You may send your questions to this email –
ACHPFTreasurer@gmail.com

Question About My Donation

To achpftreasurer@gmail.com X

Question About My Donation

Could you send me the check number for my donation on June 5?

Thanks.

<<Resident Name>>
(215) 555-1234
Apartment - AA-nnn



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- **Recent Worship Services:**

- On **MyErickson**, click the **"TV and Videos"** tab; scroll down to "Chapel Channel".
- Select the most recent worship service; click "Open ..." to start the video.

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• **Background Music for the Announcements**
• The background music for these announcements is a compilation of different live recordings of Protestant Worship Service Preludes and Postludes, plus other music recorded live in the Ann's Choice Chapel.

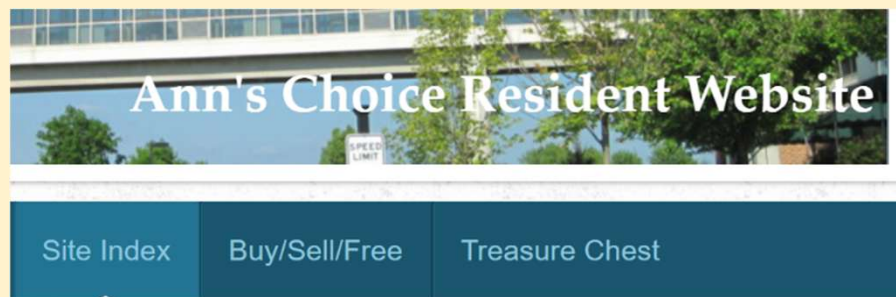


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- **Protestant Page, Ann's Choice Resident Website**

- Information about the Protestant Fellowship, its activities and the bulletin for Sunday afternoon worship services can be found on the Ann's Choice resident website.



- Enter www.acresidents.org in the web browser; this will take you to the Home page.
- Click "Site Index"; scroll down to and select "Protestant Activities" from the list.



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- Click "Site Index"; scroll down to and select "Pastoral" from the list on the right.
- Then scroll down and select "Protestant".



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- **Recent Worship Services:**

- On the **Protestant Page on Ann's Choice Resident Website**, scroll down until you see something like this:

If you missed last Sunday's Service you can watch it (Note: the link will change each week.)
by clicking on the following link:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IhzK5_0Js0E

- To see earlier services, click on "Protestant Archive" in the far-right column.



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- **Protestant Page, Ann's Choice Resident Website**
 - To find links to previous worship services, scroll down until you see something like this:

If you missed last Sunday's Service you can watch it by clicking on the following link:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IhzK5_0Js0E

You can see previous Services from the Protestant Archive page (Click in white area of the right column)



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- **Protestant Page, Ann's Choice Resident Website**
 - To find earlier services, scroll until you find something like this on the right side of the window:
- Click "Protestant Archive" and then click on the service you would like to watch.





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- **Bible Study**

- Rev. Kang Na is leading the Bible study at 10:00 am on Wednesday morning.
- We are currently studying First Corinthians.
- Zoom access is available. Contact John Hodges for more information about Zoom.
- Study guide materials are available on the Protestant page of the resident website and through the Pastoral Ministries office in Liberty Common.



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- **Bible Study**

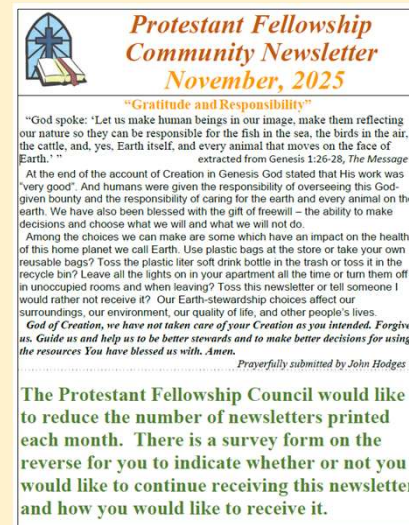
- A shortened session will be held on Wednesday, March 5, at 10:00 in the Liberty Music Room, near the TV studio.
- This will allow people can attend the Ash Wednesday Service at 11:00 in the Ann's Choice Chapel.
- We will continue our study of the Gospel According to John.
- Zoom access is available. Contact John Hodges for more information about Zoom.
- Study guide materials are available on the Protestant page of the resident website and through the Pastoral Ministries office in Liberty Common.



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- **Protestant Fellowship Newsletter**
 - The monthly newsletter is available for delivery to your cubby.
 - It is also available via email.
 - And it can be viewed or downloaded from the Protestant page of the AC Resident website.
 - If you are not receiving the newsletter and would like to receive it, you may leave a message for Rev. Martin in Pastoral Ministries or at (215) 443-3831.

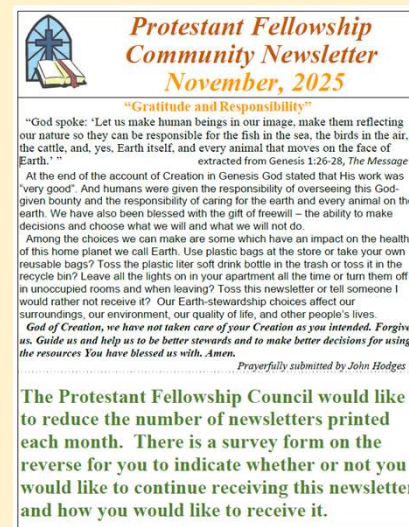




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- **Protestant Fellowship Newsletter**
 - The Protestant Fellowship Council would like to reduce the amount of paper used for the newsletter.
 - The November issue has a tear-off slip which we ask you to return.
 - The reverse side of the slip has a short questionnaire.





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• Protestant Fellowship Newsletter

Simple questions to help us stay connected with you and reduce our footprint.

Quiet Reflections and Prayers: The Chapel at Ann's Choice is open daily for private reflection when worship services and other events are not being conducted.

1. Please check the appropriate box to let us know whether or not you would like to continue receiving this newsletter:

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YES

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NO

2. If you checked YES above, please indicate how you would like to receive the newsletter:

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email

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Your Name:

Thank you for responding.



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- ***Our Daily Bread* Devotionals for November and December 2025**
- Devotional booklets are available at Pastoral Ministries in Liberty Clubhouse and in the chapel foyer.
- Daily devotionals from *Our Daily Bread* are also available at www.odb.org.
- Other options for devotionals are available through the Pastoral Ministries office.





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• Empty Chair

- Have you noticed that on most Sundays there are four people of the whole worship team sitting on the platform, and that there are five - 5, cinco, fünf, cinq, V – chairs. Is there one chair too many?
- Many years ago, a tradition of an empty chair was introduced in our worship services. This empty chair is for Jesus, in case **this day is The Day.**





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- **Preaching the next few Sundays**

- Today, Sunday, November 23, Rev. Amy Martin, Pastoral Associate at Ann's Choice, will preach. Prelude by Joan Kirk will begin at 1:45.
- First Sunday of Advent - Hope, November 30, we will explore Hope through scriptures, meditations, and songs. Prelude by Bud Williams and Betty Kingston will begin at 1:30.



Protestant Fellowship Announcements

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- **Daylight Savings Time Alert:**

- Get an extra hour of sleep next weekend, or arrive at church on Sunday an hour early!
- **Daylight Savings Time Ends** - Saturday, November 1, adjust your clocks (only those which do not reset automatically) by falling back one hour before retiring for the evening.





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Greeting Card Ministry:

- A greeting card ministry group is writing caring messages in greeting cards which will be given to Protestant residents in Continuing Care.
- The group will meet on Monday, October 27, from 1:00 to 3:00 in the Liberty Commons Music room.
- For more information, please contact Trudi Hertfelder (eslfrau7@aol.com; 215-675-4495).





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Hand-Made Greeting Card Ministry:



- This Community Outreach group of Protestants and Catholics creates handmade cards for special holidays and occasions.
- The group makes holiday and special occasion cards for the residents of

Continuing Care.



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Hand-Made Greeting Card Ministry:



- The group gathers on the second Tuesday of each month in the Village Pottery / Craft Room at 1:00 to 3:00 pm.
- The next gathering will be on Tuesday, December 9.
- For more information contact: Shanda Custer at (513)739-6258 or sfcuster@aol.com.



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New Ministries for Greeting Card Outreach:

- These new ministries are great opportunities for anyone who wants to participate in the ministry of the Protestant Fellowship Council, but is unable to attend meetings, doesn't know what is needed or what he/she can do to help, is unable to get around easily, or prefers to work individually.





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- **Food Bank Assistance**

- The Protestant Fellowship Council and the Catholic Council jointly conducted a food drive ending on August 7 to benefit the Jesus Focus Ministry Food Pantry in Southampton, PA.
- Residents of Ann's Choice donated over 1700 pounds of food plus several gift cards and monetary donations.



Great job everyone!
Thanks for your support and help!.



Protestant Fellowship Announcements

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- **Centennial Singers of Warminster**



- On Tuesday, November 18, in the Chapel the Protestant Fellowship will again present the Centennial Singers of Warminster.
- This very talented group of singers will present another exciting, upbeat, and enjoyable program.



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- **Centennial Singers of Warminster**



- Put this program on your calendar for **Tuesday, November 18, at 7:00 pm**, so you don't miss it!
- A free-will offering will be received at the conclusion of the program to benefit the Benevolent Care Fund.



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Second Saturday Cinema Presentation in December

- On **Saturday, December 13**, Second Saturday Cinema will show the 2015 feature *Miracle Maker: A Christmas Tale* **at 7:00 pm** with pre-show at 6:45 in the Catering Room.
- Woodhaven, a tiny town on the edge of the American frontier, needed a Christmas miracle.





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Second Saturday Cinema Presentation in December

- The town expected a renowned man of wonders. Instead, the miracle may have arrived in the form of a ragged traveler.
- This program is sponsored by the Protestant Fellowship as a ministry to residents, friends, and staff at Ann's Choice. No donation will be requested. Your presence at this movie is your donation.





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• Singing Christmas Favorites



- On Tuesday, December 16, 2025, in the Chapel at 7:00 pm Bud Williams, Betty Kingston and Mark Heuckroth will lead a time of singing your Christmas favorites.
- There will also be special duets, solos, and more to enjoy.





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• Singing Christmas Favorites



- This is a time to get into the spirit of Christmas when we remember, as the words of the song remind us, that "Love Came Down at Christmas".

- A free-will offering will be received at the conclusion of the program and to benefit the Benevolent Care Fund.





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- **St. John's UMC Choirs**

- On Wednesday, December 17, in the Chapel, the Protestant Fellowship will again present the Adult and Bell Choirs from St. John's United Methodist Church in Ivyland.
- The choirs will present another inspiring program of Christmas music for our enjoyment.





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- **St. John's UMC Choirs**

- A free-will offering will be received at the conclusion of the program which will benefit the Benevolent Care Fund.



- **Put this exciting and enjoyable program on your calendar.**



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• Hymn Sing and Musical Evening



- Bud and Betty would love to include some of your favorite hymns.
- To submit your favorites, please use the short worship survey form in the weekly bulletin and in the



Monthly newsletter using item 4, **Other**. Return the form as to Ernest Curtin (MT-214) or John Hodges (BC-412).



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- **Save This Date on Your Calendar:**

- On Friday, October 24, 2025, we will have another gathering time for Protestant residents for fellowship in “Meet and Greet” in the Catering Room from 1:00 to 3:00 pm.
- Come for the fun, the fellowship, and possibly some goodies.





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- **Save This Date on Your Calendar:**

- There will be wine, cheese and other goodies, plus time for us to have fun and to meet other Ann's Choice Protestant Residents and PFC members.
- Bring your name tag (so that others can know your name).





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- **Save This Date on Your Calendar:**

- **RSVP by Wednesday, October 15,** with your name, apartment #, and number of people.



- Return your RSVP to Trudi BG 111 (Keystone), Sondra HR 115 (Village), or Cheryl TC 107 (Liberty).



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- **Hymn Sing Ministry for RG and CP Residents**

- A new outreach ministry has been started for residents in RG and CP. On the fourth Monday of each month there will be hymn sing worship service in Continuing Care.
- The next service will be tomorrow Monday, November 24.
- This is an important outreach ministry to our fellow residents in Continuing Care.



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- **Hymn Sing Ministry for RG and CP Residents**

- If you feel called to help with this ministry in Continuing Care, volunteers are always welcome to help as a worship leader or musician or by bringing a friend from RG or CP to the service.
- Contact Bud Williams (TC-107, (267) 387-6188, or howilliams@yahoo.com) for more information or to volunteer to help.



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• **Communion Services in Memory Care**

- Singing the old, familiar hymns is an important part of monthly Communion services that we hold for residents in Continuing Care.
- An additional volunteer accompanist for a couple of months is needed for help with the music portion of the service.
- Contact Fr. Ernie Curtin at (267) 387-8184.



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- **We Need You to Assist with Chapel Services**

- Share your talents, time and willingness to help by assisting in the Chapel AV ministry helping with Sunday afternoon worship services.



- This is an important ministry which allows the Word to be proclaimed to and heard by fellow residents in their apartments via ACTV Chapel Channel.



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- **We Need You to Assist with Chapel Services**

- Additional volunteers are needed to help with this important ministry.



- If you have questions about this ministry, contact Chelsea or Dave in the ACTV studio.



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• **We Need You to Assist with Chapel Services**

- Share your talents and assist in presenting Sunday afternoon worship services.
- One or two additional pianists who can play once a month.
- One or two individuals who could share special music – either singing or instrumental – during the worship service.
- Additional volunteers to serve as greeters and ushers to welcome worshipers at our services.
- Contact Fr. Ernie Curtin at (267) 387-8184.



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- **Spotlight on Mission – Operation Christmas Child**
- Operation Christmas Child is a ministry of Samaritan's Purse.
- "The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world. Through this project, Samaritan's Purse partners with the local church worldwide to share the Good News of Jesus Christ and make disciples of the nations.", from the website.





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- **Spotlight on Mission – Operation Christmas Child**
- In the summer of 1993, Samaritan's Purse President Franklin Graham received a call from a man in England asking if he'd be willing to fill shoeboxes with gifts for children in Eastern Europe. Franklin agreed, but figured Christmas was months away. He forgot about the promise until he received a call back around Thanksgiving asking about the gifts.





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- **Spotlight on Mission – Operation Christmas Child**
- Franklin asked his friend, the late Pastor Ross Rhoads of Calvary Church of Charlotte to see if he could help with the need. A Sunday shortly afterward, Pastor Rhoads demonstrated for his congregation how to fill a shoebox with simple gifts and encouraged them to include a letter to the child as well. Within weeks, the church had 11,000 shoeboxes lining their hallways.





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- **Spotlight on Mission – Operation Christmas Child**
- Due to their generosity and additional gifts from Canada, Samaritan's Purse sent 28,000 shoebox gifts to children in the Balkans that Christmas.
- Since 1993, more than 232 million children in more than 170 countries and territories have received a shoebox. The project delivers not only the joy of what, for many kids, is their first gift ever, but also gives them a tangible expression of God's love.





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- **Operation Christmas Child**
 - We have been collecting gift items the past few weeks. This past Thursday, **seventy** shoeboxes were packed.
 - Our donations will be shipped to a central location and then, along with thousands of other shoeboxes, distributed to needy children around the world.





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- **Operation Christmas Child**
- This is an overview of the items –
 - Personal care items (i.e., comb, washcloth, brush, bar soap, adhesive bandages)
 - Clothing for children (i.e., shirts, socks, scarf)
 - School and craft supplies





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- **Operation Christmas Child**
- Overview of the items continued –
 - Small toys (i.e., finger puppets, toy cars, etch-a-sketch, small balls)
 - A “WOW” item, such as a stuffed animal, harmonica or recorder.
- **NO toy weapons or violence-related toys.**
- **Also, no liquids, creams or toothpaste.**





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- **Operation Christmas Child, continued**
 - A more complete list of acceptable items for donation may be found on the AC Resident Website
 - Donations of these items may be placed in specially marked boxes on Sunday afternoon in the Narthex of the Ann's Choice Chapel.
 - Cash donations and checks made out to "A. C. – Protestant Fund" and marked "Operation Christmas Child" to purchase additional items for the shoeboxes.





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- **Spotlight on Mission – Life Abundant**
- Through Bible-based teaching, compassionate mentoring, and collaborative partnerships, Life Abundant guides individuals to break free from cycles of incarceration, offering hope, practical God's redemptive love to help them thrive as productive members of society.
- From 2018 to 2024, the Protestant Fellowship has donated \$ 11,000 to Life Abundant.





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• **Reminder – Hearing Loop System in Chapel**

- A couple of years ago when new carpeting was installed in the chapel, a hearing loop system was installed.
- A T-coil, or telecoil, is a small copper coil in a hearing aid that functions as a wireless antenna that links to the “hearing loop” system.
- It results in significantly improved listening by making speech much clearer.
- It is an option on most hearing aids.



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- **Put these ministry activities on your calendar:**

- **Bible Study** continues on Wednesday, November 26, in the Liberty Commons Music Room at 10:00 am.
- **Protestant Worship** – Sunday, November 30, First Sunday of Advent – Hope, at 2:00 pm with the Prelude beginning at 1:30. This service will bring Biblical messages of Hope.





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- Put these ministry activities on your calendar:

- **Handmade Greeting Card Ministry –**

Tuesday, December 9, from 1:00 pm to 3:00
in the Village Craft Room.

- **Second Saturday Cinema –** Saturday,
December 13, from 6:45 pm to 8:30.





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- Put this ministry activity on your calendar:
 - **Annual Meeting of the Protestant Fellowship** – Monday, December 1, at 10:00 am in the Liberty Commons Catering Room.
Come and hear reports about the ministries and activities of the Protestant Fellowship this past year. We will be electing new members for the Protestant Fellowship Council. And there will be light refreshments.



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- **Put these ministry activities on your calendar:**

- **Singing Christmas Favorites** with Bud Willams, Betty Kingston, Mark Heuckroth and others in the Chapel on Tuesday, December 16, from 7:00 pm to 8:00.



- **St. John's UMC Choirs** – On Wednesday, December 17, from 7:30 pm to 8:30, the Adult and Bell Choirs will again present an inspiring program in the Ann's Choice Chapel.





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- Put this event on your calendar:
 - **Daylight Savings Time Ends** - Saturday, November 1, adjust your clocks (only those which do not reset automatically) by falling back one hour before retiring for the evening.





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- Put these ministry activities on your calendar:
 - **Monthly Protestant Worship and Hymn Sing in Continuing Care on October 27** – Monday, at 11:00 am in the Bistro.
 - **Greeting Card Ministry for Continuing Care on October 27** – Monday, at 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm in the Liberty Commons Music Room.





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- **Background Music for the Announcements**
 - The background music for these announcements is a compilation of different live recordings of Protestant Worship Service Preludes and Postludes, plus other sacred music recorded live in the Ann's Choice Chapel.



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- **Daylight Saving Time Begins**

- Daylight Saving Time begins on Sunday, March 9 at 2:00 am.
- Remember to “Spring Forward” when you reset your clocks ahead one hour this next Saturday night, March 8.





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- **Ecumenical Imposition of Ashes**

- In the Ann's Choice Chapel on Wednesday, March 5, at 11:00 am there will be an Ecumenical Service for the Imposition of Ashes to mark the beginning of Lent.
- Ashes will be administered safely.





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- **Aid for Ukraine and for Turkey**

- The Protestant Fellowship Council began supporting relief efforts for Ukraine almost two years ago. Our donations for Ukraine relief thus far exceed \$ 23,450.
- The Protestant Fellowship Council is expanding this effort to include relief for those in Turkey and Syria devastated by the recent earthquakes. And \$4,200 has been sent for Turkey and Syria relief.
- Both of these mission relief projects will be long-term. 71



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- **Put these events on your calendar for the coming week:**
 - **Celebration of the Resurrection on Easter Sunday** will be observed in the Ann's Choice Chapel at the Protestant Worship Service at 2:00 pm. Rev. Kang Na, Pastoral Ministries Manager at Ann's Choice will be preaching. Bud Williams and Betty Kingston will present the Prelude to the worship service beginning at 1:30.



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- **Communion on Sunday, March 3**

- This Sunday, September 1 we will celebrate the Sacrament of Communion during the worship service.
- Elements in the chapel will be prepared and distributed in a safe manner.
- Those worshiping in their apartments are invited to set aside common bread and juice of their own choosing.



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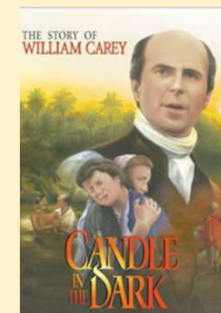
- Put these ministry activities on your calendar:

- **Handmade Greeting Card Ministry –**

Tuesday, August 12, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 in the Village Craft Room.



- **Second Saturday Cinema -** Saturday, August 9, *Candle in the Dark*, at 7:00 pm with pre-show at 6:45.





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• **Flood Relief**

- Catastrophic flash floods devastated the Hill Country of Texas and a few days later flash floods devastated Ruidoso, New Mexico.
- We can help by donating to organizations providing aid
 - directly to organizations already on the ground,
 - through your local church, or
 - through the Protestant Fellowship.





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- **Flood Relief**

- If you donate through the Protestant Fellowship, put “Flood Relief” on the envelope or in the memo section of your check made out to “Ann’s Choice – Protestant Fund”. The Protestant Fellowship will forward those donations – half to Samaritan’s Purse and half to Mercy Chefs.
- Both organizations have been on the ground since the day after the floods.





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- **Put this ministry activity on your calendar:**
- **“Christmas in July” Holiday Movie Bingo –**
Friday, July 18, from 12:45 to 3:00 pm in the
Liberty Music Room.





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- **Put this ministry activity on your calendar:**
 - **Food Donation Drive** – Monday, July 28, to Thursday, August 7, donations will be accepted in the IL clubhouse lobbies to benefit the Jesus Focus Food Pantry located in Southampton.





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- Put theis ministry activity on your calendar:

- **School Supplies for PARX Racetrack Ministry** – Bring donations on Sunday afternoons, November 23, to the Chapel



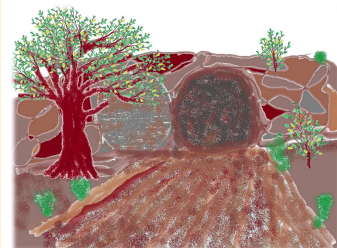


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- Put these ministry activities on your calendar:
- **Community Ecumenical Maundy Thursday Service** on Thursday, April 17, in the Chapel at 11:00 am.
- **Community Ecumenical Good Friday Service** on Friday, April 18, in the Chapel at 11:00 am.
- **Protestant Worship on Easter Sunday** on Sunday, November 23, in the Chapel at 2:00 pm.

He is not here!
He has risen,
just as he said!





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- **National Day of Prayer at Ann's Choice**
 - On **Thursday, May 2**, at 11:00 am the three faith councils at Ann's Choice will sponsor a service in the Ann's Choice Chapel.
 - The Chapel will be open for prayer from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm.





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- **Lent**

- Lent began on Ash Wednesday, February 14, and continues for forty days. The period of forty days does not include Sundays.
- A series of Lenten Readings was available in the February Protestant Newsletter.
- Copies of the list of readings may also be found in the Narthex of the Chapel.



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• Protestant Fellowship Lenten Readings

Lenten Readings for 2024

“There is a Time for Every Matter Under Heaven”

For everything there is a season and a time for every matter under heaven.

Ecclesiastes 3:1(NRSV-Updated Edition)

This very familiar passage was the basis for a popular song a few decades ago. We go through different times and seasons in our lives. And part of our faith is realizing that God is with us during each time. He is with us to uphold us, to comfort us, to care for us, to guard us as we go through the valley.

Use this set of Lenten readings to explore the different times and seasons of life, of living, of journeying this side of the grave.

A Time for Life – Birth, Death, Sowing, Reaping		
Wed., Feb. 14	Eccles. 3:1-8, 2	A time for everything under heaven
Thur., Feb. 15	1 Chronicles 1:1-7	Genealogy from Adam to Abraham
Fri., Feb. 16	2 Chronicles 12	Deeds and death of King Rehoboam
Sat., Feb. 17	Luke 8:4-15	Parable of the sower
Sun., Feb. 18	Leviticus 23:15-22	How much to reap at the harvest

A Time for De- and Construction–Murder, Healing, Destroying, Building		
Mon., Feb. 19	Eccles. 3:1-8, 3	A time for everything under heaven
Tue., Feb. 20	Genesis 4:1-15	Cain and Abel
Wed., Feb. 21	2 Kings 4:8-37	Elisha Raises the Shunammite's Son
Thur., Feb. 22	Luke 13:10-17	Jesus Heals a Crippled Woman
Fri., Feb. 23	Exodus 32:1-20	Tablets are broken
Sat., Feb. 24	Exodus 39:32-43	Tabernacle is completed
Sun., Feb. 25	Nehemiah 2:1-9	Nehemiah begins the great rebuilding

- The Lenten readings for this year are inspired by the verses of Ecclesiastes 3:1-8. This passage was popularized by the Byrds with their 1965 hit “Turn, Turn, Turn”.
- Copies of the readings may be found in the Narthex (lobby) of the chapel and in Pastoral Ministries.



Protestant Fellowship Announcements

November 23, 2025

- **We Need You to Help Lead**

- Forms are available in the Narthex and in Pastoral Ministries for suggesting yourself or others for this important ministry in our fellowship.
- We ask that you pray to discern if you are called to this ministry of leadership.
- Forms may be returned to Pastoral Ministries or to cubby TC-107. The nominating committee will contact the people suggested for this ministry for further discussions.





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- **We Need You to Help Lead**

- The Protestant Fellowship Council only has eight elected, voting members for 2024, and the work of the council needs to be spread among more people.
- The Council has called a special meeting of the Protestant Fellowship immediately following the worship service on February 11. One of the purposes of that meeting is to elect additional members to serve on the Council.





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- **Save the Date: St. John's Ivyland UMC Choirs Return**
- On **Thursday, December 28**, the vocal and bell choirs from St. John's Ivyland UMC will return to the Chapel.
- They will present a Christmas and Holiday program at 7:30. Doors will open at 7:00.
- All are welcome to this program.
- A freewill offering will be received at the conclusion.

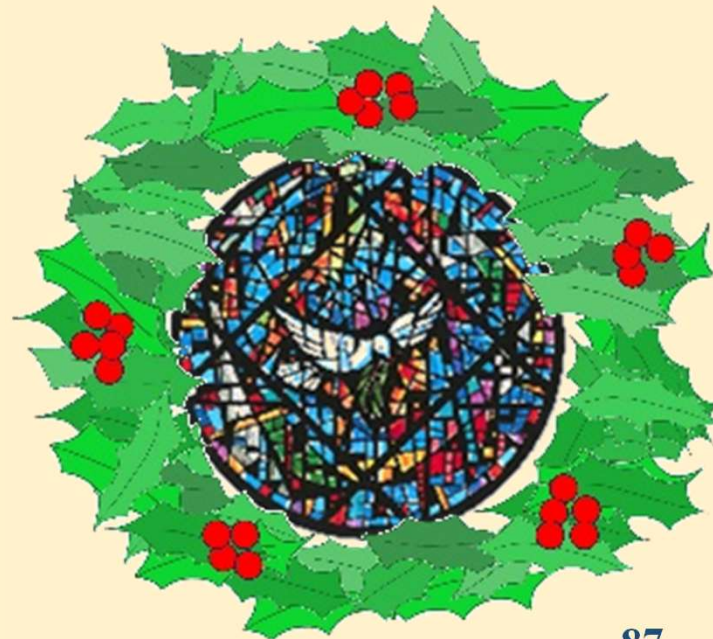




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- **Save the Date: Community Christmas Service**
- On **Friday, December 29**, there will be an Ann's Choice Community Christmas Service in the Chapel at 11:00 am.





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- **Operation Christmas Child**

- On Wednesday, eighty-four shoeboxes were packed and transported to Covenant Church in Hatboro, which is the collection point for this area.
- Fifteen volunteers from all faith groups at Ann's Choice participated in this ministry project.
- This ministry effort will reach millions of needy children around the world as Samaritan's Purse collects and distributes the shoeboxes.





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- **Campanology Handbell Trio**

- On Wednesday, November 23, Campanology Handbell Trio will present "An Eclectic Program of Songs You Will Enjoy".
- The program will begin at 7:30 pm in the Chapel.
- This free event for residents, guests and staff is sponsored by the Protestant Fellowship.
- A free-will offering will be received after the program.





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- **Ecumenical Christmas Service,
December 28, 11:00 am**
- The Ecumenical Christmas Service will be held in the Ann's Choice Chapel on Tuesday, December 28, 11:00 am.
- Come and share in this special service of the season.

