



# The Soo Chimes

First United Presbyterian Church

Welcome  
2016!

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## PASTOR'S MESSAGE

### Take the FUPC challenge

Things have changed in our society; there is no getting around it. There was a time when society practically delivered people to the doors of churches across our country. Businesses were closed and activities were not scheduled because Sunday was "The Lord's Day". Even when businesses started staying open on Sunday, activities were still absent on Sunday. Church was still the place people were expected to be on Sunday.

It is amazing how radical change in our society can occur in just a few decades. Today our society views Sunday as a great day to schedule events and activities. Work, activities, entertainment, etc. act as forces that pull people from church on Sunday. Worse still our society which recognizes the need to devote ourselves in other areas of life, has begun to preach a message that spirituality is something that will just "happen" and we don't need to devote time or energy in this area. The Bible is pretty clear that this is not the case," (Heb 11:6 NIV) And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him."

The Bible does not ask that we be

perfect and that is good news indeed. We are commanded that we need to earnestly seek God in our lives. We are commanded to earnestly seek a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. We are commanded to earnestly seek the leading of the Holy Spirit. Ask a simple question, "Is the time an effort I am putting into seeking God, would it be considered an earnest attempt in any other area of my life?" Would our earnest effort in the last year to seek God, would that have been considered an earnest effort in our work? Our relationships? Our activities? Our hobbies?

Don't despair, this was not written to make people feel bad but to make a plan for 2016. How do we make an "earnest" effort to know God? Modern society is busy but it also affords some advantages. Unless we experience a technical difficulty we have our Sunday worship services posted on line usually by 12:30. Our worship services provide a very tangible way of showing an earnest effort to know God. First, we follow the common lectionary. Why is this important? The Sunday scriptures over a three year cycle will cover most of the Gospels and New Testament and a sizeable portion of the Old Testament. Have you ever

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**The Purpose of the First United Presbyterian Church is to:**  
*Invite people to know and glorify God*  
*Grow together as followers of Christ*  
*Serve others through the power of the Holy Spirit*

*Receive your newsletter by email and in color, too. Call the office to find out how!*

tried to read through the Bible and got lost somewhere? Just going to our website and reading the scriptures in the bulletin, this is up before the service on Friday, when you can't attend will ensure you read through most of the Bible over time.

On those Sunday's you can't attend, the services on our website provide more opportunities to "earnestly" seek God. We usually have both children's and an adult sermon. These are offered to help understand the scriptures for that particular Sunday. I know people are busy. I also know even if we can't attend on Sunday, we can find 15 minutes during the week to look up the scriptures and listen to the children's sermon, the adult sermon or both. I know our kids are busy, but I also know they can stop playing video games, watching something on Netflix or watching funny cat videos for 15 minutes a week to listen to the scriptures and the children's sermon, adult sermon or both. How about making it a family challenge?

Peace in Christ,  
Mark

## Deacon



If you or someone you know are in the hospital and would like a visit from the Deacon's please contact the church office or one of the Deacons



**Our Sunday  
Worship Service  
starts at 10:00 a.m.**

**We hope to see you on  
Sunday!**



**Food Pantry  
Cathy Akre  
and  
Ginger Stratton**



The next Deacon's Meeting will be held on January 17th.



**Freighter View Assisted Living  
605 West Portage Avenue**

- Virginia Blair
- Audrey Bush
- Emily Hamilton
- Jane Kellan
- Margaret Olson
- Carmelita Schrupf
- Delores Swick

**Hearthside Assisted Living  
1501 W 6th Avenue**

- David Shaw

**At Home**

Bea Woodgate  
1008 Johnston Street  
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

**Tendercare— Sault Ste Marie**

**1011 Meridian**

- Jim Schmidt
- Jean Smith

**McKinley Manor**

**2023 West 4th Avenue**

- Vera Steffens
- Jeanne Gantz

**WMH Long Term Care  
500 Osborn Boulevard**

- Lois Myers

**Out of Town**

Della Porter  
2920 Crystal Lane Room 426  
Kalamazoo, MI 49009

Dorthea Allen  
Michigan Masonic Home  
1200 Wright, Room 167  
Alma, MI 48801

June MacInnis  
900 Glen Haven Circle, Apt 2  
Petoskey, MI 49770



Michael Peller (Grandson of Marsha Cross), Kevin Tastor, Jean Smith, Carl Smart, Kady Love, Carolyn Vollick, Jim Schmidt, Gina Gough, Shane Miller, Delphine Porter, Ruth Thesing, Ellen Meister, Wendy (Menard) James, Dorothy Smart, Jane Kellan, Margaret Olson, Robert Jewell, Judy Knutsen, Ellen Woodgate, William Kellan, Colleen Sibbald, Bea Woodgate, Margaret Vonderwerth & her family, and all members of missionaries and the U.S. Armed Forces.

Please keep us up to date on your prayer requests.



SUNDAY  
JANUARY 17TH  
2:00 PM  
Ginger Stratton

### Cookie Walk



### Deacon's Cookie Walk

A huge Success!!!

A variety of baked goods and a generous church Family, a total for \$785 was raised by this event

All the proceeds raised will benefit the Deacon Food Pantry.



Connie Lawrence and a delicious display of baked goods.



### DEACONS' WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE

**Coat Drive**  
*Help someone in need*

The Deacons have been collecting winter clothing throughout the last two months and would like to thank everyone who donated to this worthy cause. The items have been made available to all the participants of the Soup Kitchen and Food Pantry.

### Mitten Tree



The Deacon's would like to extend their gratitude for all the hats, gloves, scarves, and mittens that were donated on the Mitten Tree. The items collected will be distributed to the elementary schools in town. They are much appreciated by both the teachers and students. Thank you for helping keep the children warm, during the long winter months.

### Church Transportation Deacon



Michelle Markstrom



New Year's Day  
Friday, January 1st



Scrip Card Fundraiser

Scrip cards helps to make your gift giving easy! We have over 600 places we can order from. Scrip purchasing is easy and does not cost you any extra money. The more we start to utilize this program, the more we can help out our church organizations such as the food pantry, youth activities, and so much more! We do have many cards available for immediate purchase in the office and orders are always going in! If you have questions, please see Brenda .

Brenda Ransom, elder

[tallulah@lighthouse.net](mailto:tallulah@lighthouse.net)





Thomas and Cheryl Thoresen 01/07  
Charles and Audrey Zane 01/13



*Doris Boogerd & Cathy Akre collaborating on a projects at the Textile Social*



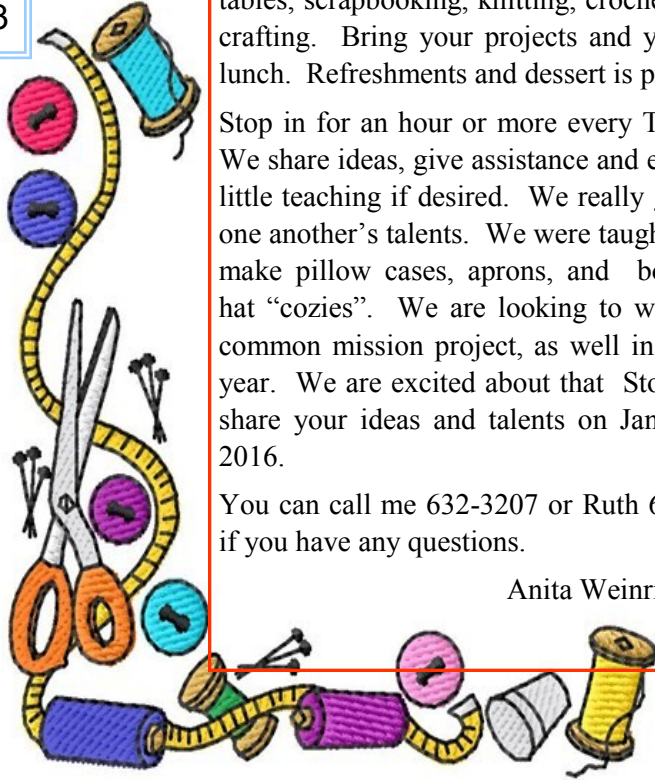
The next TEXTILE SOCIAL will be on Thursday, 01/14/16 from 10 am to 2 pm in the Social Hall. Because of the enjoyment of this activity, the TEXTILE SOCIAL will meet every Thursday!

Tables are set up for sewing machines, cut tables, scrapbooking, knitting, crocheting and crafting. Bring your projects and your sack lunch. Refreshments and dessert is provided.

Stop in for an hour or more every Thursday. We share ideas, give assistance and even do a little teaching if desired. We really glean off one another's talents. We were taught how to make pillow cases, aprons, and bowl/plate hat "cozies". We are looking to work on a common mission project, as well in the new year. We are excited about that Stop in and share your ideas and talents on January 14, 2016.

You can call me 632-3207 or Ruth 632-9355 if you have any questions.

Anita Weinrick



"Remind me never to ask the Youth Group to help fold the church bulletins again."



Connie Wanzer	01/02	Aubrey Agar	01/05	Fred Amarose, Jr.	01/19
Lee Myers	01/03	Marjorie Ackerman	01/08	Carol Brawley	01/20
Paul Sabourin	01/03	Barbara MacLaren	01/12	Jase Averill	01/21
Julie Walsh	01/03	Ronald Kerzner	01/14	Jacklyn Johnson	01/21
James Larke	01/04	Danna Sanderson	01/14	Benjamin Reattoir	01/21
		Carla Nicholls	01/16	Treyce Sanderson	01/25
		Sarah McLarahmore, IV	01/17	Kristen Martinchek	01/26
		Cheryl Thoresen	01/17	Mary Lee Schmidt	01/27
		Danika Martinchek	01/18	Carl Smart	01/27



Promises are a way to start any new year, and 2016 is no exception. No matter what we promise, most promises are broken before we even get started.

However, that doesn't mean we should give up or quit trying to fulfill our dreams for a fresh start in any given year.

The most common goals or promises deal with personal determinations like to quit smoking, or go on special diets, have stronger faith, establish better moral values, gain better personal relationships, and being able to forget about what has happened in the past.

Many wish to be able to live longer in their homes and not be dependent on others such as in a care facility. We all like to be independent and free as we have always been, but there may come a time when our choices become limited.

In the book of Isaiah (43:18) it states clearly, when the Lord said, "Forget about what has happened before. Do not think about the past. Instead, look at the new things I am going to do."

God is much more interested in our future, than our past, and we should follow His example. We should always strive to eliminate excuses from our vocabularies, and work to solve what exists before

us. Those of us who can admit when we are wrong or make a mistake will certainly prosper in the long run. Proverbs 28:13 states clearly, "A man who refuses to admit his mistakes can never be successful. But if he confesses and forsakes them, he gets another chance."

When we look back we can recognize our errors and strive to do better. Forget about what has happened before because we have experienced so much in our lifetimes. We are full of successes as well as failures and we remember them well.

Let's make sure that our pride and egos don't get in our way. I don't know of anything that is more devastating than having too large of an ego or using pride as a prop.

We might even start the New Year off by just accepting our own responsibilities, and being a better listener is one way that will help us to know what others feel about some of their responsibilities, mistakes, and how corrections were made in their lives. All of us have so many experiences, we can share our thoughts.

Since we believe in God and believe in the Christian faith, we realize that faith will guide us along His path, and he can take us by the hand and say, "Come follow me." Our lives will never be the same.

Let's look forward to a new beginning in this New Year!

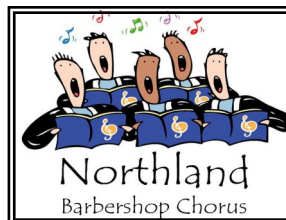
Don Myers, CRE

Soup n'  
Sandwich



**Adult Choir**

January 24th  
Northland Barbershop  
Chorus



Come enjoy, during our January 24th  
Worship Service as the Northland  
Barbershop Chorus joins us to present  
energetic and entertaining music.

Let us welcome the Northland Barber-  
shop Chorus as they share their talent  
during the Worship Service.

*We Sing, That They Shall Speak.*





# SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

December 13, 2015

A huge thank you to everyone who helped make our Christmas program a great success! What a great way to celebrate the Christmas season with our children sharing the birth of Christ.







## ELF BREAKFAST

A big ELF thank you to everyone who helped make our first Elf Breakfast such a huge success. It was such a blessing to see so many of our families and friends attend the event. We especially want to thank all of you who helped to make it a possibility. There were many hands and hearts that assisted in so many ways to see this vision come to life...You just have to **BELIEVE!**



Music filled the FUPC Sanctuary as the Sault Area High School performed in their Annual Christmas Concert.



# Christmas Cantata



Thanks to the Choir for a wonderful, song filled Christmas Cantata to proclaim the real reason behind this season. Not only did we have a beautiful Service, but then we partook of a delicious meal prepared by the Endowment Committee. Thanks to all who prepared this meal fit for kings & queens and thanks to all those who helped in decorating, serving, and cleaning to complete this wonderful morning.

# Endowment Dinner



As we approach the new year, it is time to look at the budget of our church. Thanks to the nice weather, we have been able to save money on our heating bill and our snow plowing bill. Yet we still must remember that the daily operations of the church still take place. If you would please keep your church giving in prayer. In order for us to continue God's work, we must be good stewards and make sure our financial responsibilities are taken care. Thanks to our faithful givers, we are able support our church finances. But we must make sure that our giving in continuous in order for this to continue. We thank you for your membership and faithfulness to First United Presbyterian Church of Sault Ste. Marie

**May God bless you in 2016 with health and happiness.**

Stewardship Committee



## ANNUAL COMMITTEE REPORTS'

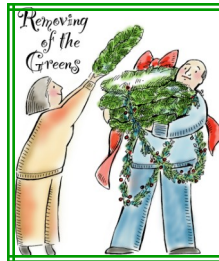
Please mark your calendars for January 31, 2016 for our annual church meeting immediately following the worship service. This is a very important time in our church and ALL members are encouraged to attend this meeting. Reports will be available on January 24th. All committee members are asked to have their reports to Audrey no later than January 8th.



**Sunday  
January 31, 2016**



Year-to 12/21/15 offerings	\$166,272
Year to 12/21/15 expenses	\$165,409



Unfortunately, the Christmas season is drawing to a close and that means the sanctuary decorations will need to come down soon and we will be removing them after the January 3rd service. If you can help with this, please plan to stay after service. Thanks.

Dear friends and participants of Three Lakes Lay Academy,

As most of you know we have taken a semester off, but with great excitement and anticipation we will begin another round of classes starting in January 2016. Below you will find the classes that will be taught in the winter term. We are still looking for one person to complete the roster of teachers for the winter term. There are some things you can do for us for this term.

**Spread the word**

**Register yourself**

**3LLA academy exists to be a ministry of the Northern Great Lakes Synod** of the Evangelical Lutheran Church and the Presbytery of Mackinac. People are invited to participate for whatever reason works for them.

**We have two classes each Thursday.** They are held at Zion Lutheran Church, St. Ignace and begin at 4 pm. We take a break at 5:30 for a shared meal and worship. This winter, Leslie Henderson has volunteered to prepare meals for the last 5 weeks, but we need volunteers to fill in the first 5 weeks. So if you can provide a meal for one of the weeks we will appreciate that. Please get hold of Dave Van Dam if you would like to volunteer.

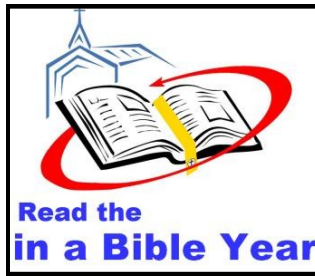
You can register anytime. Call or send a message to either pastor Dave Tielbar ( [david.tielbar6@gmail.com](mailto:david.tielbar6@gmail.com) 906-643-7870 ), or pastor Dave Van Dam ( [davidvandam68@gmail.com](mailto:davidvandam68@gmail.com) 231-439-5069 )

**Winter** – January 14 – March 17, 2016

1. **Genesis – Nehemiah** - 10 weeks from 6:30 – 8
2. **Creedal Formulations** – 5 weeks 4 – 5:30 pm, Jan. 14 – Feb. 11
3. **Ministry at the End of Life** – 5 weeks 4 – 5:30 pm, Feb. 18 – Mar. 17



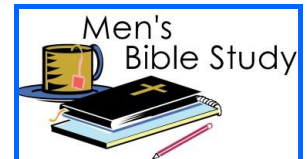
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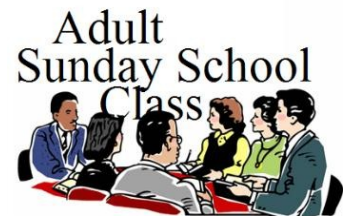
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2	Luke 6:1-26	Genesis 3-5	Psalms 2
3	Luke 6:27-49	Genesis 6-7	Psalms 3
4	Luke 7:1-17	Genesis 8-10	Psalms 4
5	Luke 7:18-50	Genesis 11	Psalms 5
6	Luke 8:1-25	Genesis 12	Psalms 6
7	Luke 8:26-56	Genesis 13-14	Psalms 7
8	Luke 9:1-27	Genesis 15	Psalms 8
9	Luke 9:28-62	Genesis 16	Psalms 9
10	Luke 10:1-20	Genesis 17	Psalms 10
11	Luke 10:21-42	Genesis 18	Psalms 11
12	Luke 11:1-28	Genesis 19	Psalms 12
13	Luke 11:29-54	Genesis 20	Psalms 13
14	Luke 12:1-31	Genesis 21	Psalms 14
15	Luke 12:32-59	Genesis 22	Psalms 15
16	Luke 13:1-17	Genesis 23	Psalms 16
17	Luke 13:18-35	Genesis 24	Psalms 17
18	Luke 14:1-24	Genesis 25	Psalms 18
19	Luke 14:25-35	Genesis 26	Psalms 19
20	Luke 15	Genesis 27:1-45	Psalms 20
21	Luke 16	Genesis 27:46-28:22	Psalms 21
22	Luke 17	Genesis 29:1-30	Psalms 22
23	Luke 18:1-17	Genesis 29:31-30:43	Psalms 23
24	Luke 18:18-43	Genesis 31	Psalms 24
25	Luke 19:1-27	Genesis 32-33	Psalms 25
26	Luke 19:28-48	Genesis 34	Psalms 26
27	Luke 20:1-26	Genesis 35-36	Psalms 27
28	Luke 20:27-47	Genesis 37	Psalms 28
29	Luke 21	Genesis 38	Psalms 29
30	Luke 22:1-38	Genesis 39	Psalms 30
31	Luke 22:39-71	Genesis 40	Psalms 31



**Sara Jones**  
and  
**Mary Moran**



Men's Bible Study every Friday morning at 9:00 am.  
Studies begin again on January 8th  
All men are welcome to join us!

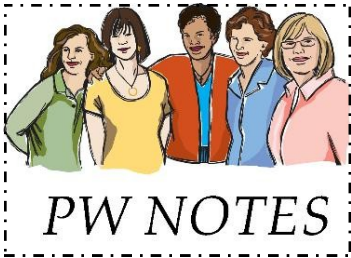


**9:00 am**



**Women's Bible Study**

Woman's Bible Study every Wednesday morning at 9:30 am  
All women of the church are invited to join us.



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Hour

**Tuesday at 9:30 am**  
**January 19th**  
*(the 3rd Tuesday),*  
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 join us for an informal  
 gathering.

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**PW Bazaar Wrap-Up**

If we're to have a tea & bazaar in November 2016, we need to have a Chairperson and a Decorating Person in place as soon as possible. Please consider volunteering for this annual event.



**THANKS**  
*from the*  
**HEART**

**THANKS FOR GIVING**

Thanks to everyone who brought in copy copier and janitorial supplies throughout the year. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and helps keep down our expenses.

I would like to thank all the members of the First United Presbyterian Church for all that you do. It is a pleasure and honor to serve you as your secretary.

**May God bless and shower His favor upon each and everyone in the New Year.**



# Circle 3

# 65th Anniversary Party



*It seems like this happens every year. They laughed and called him names but they never let poor Rudolph play any reindeer games*



*Snowwomen??????????  
How can this be, There is no snow in Sault Ste Marie.*



*Donna Blair, Ardith Bawks, Sharon Sheppard, & Lois Hillock relaxing in comfort.*



# GUIDING LIGHT

Make this flashlight to remember that God, our light, always shows us the way.



### What you need:

- Flashlight with handle strap
- Yarn (6 to 8 inches)
- Colorful pony beads
- Stickers (including foam letters)
- Batteries

### What you do:

1. Tie the yarn through the flashlight's handle strap so two equal lengths hang down.
2. String the pony beads onto the two yarn lengths, and secure the ends with knots.
3. Decorate the flashlight with stickers. Use letters to spell "God is light."
4. Keep the flashlight by your bedside as a reminder of God's guidance. Use the flashlight to read a Bible verse before bed each night!



# LET THERE BE LIGHT

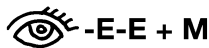
In a world of darkness, God guides us so we can walk in his ways.

*Directions: Write the name of each picture, subtracting and adding letters as indicated. Then fill in the blanks to complete 2 Samuel 22:29, NIV.*

“ Y O U , \_\_\_\_\_ , A R E





\_\_\_\_\_ ; T H E



\_\_\_\_\_ M Y



\_\_\_\_\_ D +  +  - T + S

I N T O \_\_\_\_\_ .”



2 SAMUEL 22:29, NIV

Answer: "You, LORD, are my lamp; the LORD turns my darkness into light." 2 Samuel 22:29, NIV





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	<p align="center"><b>January</b></p> 				<p>1 New Year's Day Office Closed</p> 	<p>2 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.</p>	
<p>3 <b>Epiphany of the Lord</b> <b>Removing the Greens</b> 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:00a Removing of the Greens 12:00p Soup Kitchen 6:30p Youth Group</p>		<p>4 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp</p>	<p>5 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry</p>	<p>6 9:30a Women's Bible Study 6:30p Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8 9:00a Men's Study Grp</p>	<p>9 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.</p>
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<p>17 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:15a Deacons Meeting (Lib) 12:00p Soup Kitchen 2:00p Firefighter View Worship 6:30p Youth Group</p>		<p>18 <b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</b> 5:30p Trustee's Meeting 5:30p Session Mtg (WR) 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp</p>	<p>19 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry 9:30a Ladies Coffee Hour</p>	<p>20 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:30p Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>21 10:00a Textile Social (SH)</p>	<p>22 9:00a Men's Study Grp</p>	<p>23 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.</p>
<p>24 <b>Annual Report Distribution</b> <b>Northland Barbershop Chorus</b> 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:30a Soup N' Sandwich 12:00p Soup Kitchen</p>	<p>25 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp</p>	<p>26 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry</p>	<p>27 9:30a Women's Bible Study 6:30p Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>28 10:00a Textile Social (SH) 6:30p Boy Scout Leader Mtg</p>	<p>29 9:00a Men's Study Grp</p>	<p>30 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.</p>	
<p>31 <b>Annual Congregational Meeting</b> 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:00a Annual Congregational Mtg 12:00p Soup Kitchen 6:30p High School Youth Group</p>							

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Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Monday through Friday

(closed 11:30-12)

**Sunday Worship Schedule**

Adult Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School (all grades) 10:00 a.m.

**Church Staff**

Rev. Mark Gabbard, Minister

Don Myers, CRE

Brenda Ransom, CRE

Kay Boyne, Music Director

Denise Goldade, Financial/Administrative Assistant

Jesse Witte, Sexton

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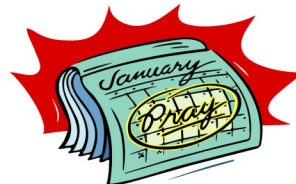
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January 20**

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