

Announcements for Sunday, January 3, 2016

New Announcements

We welcome to Faith Church Cheryl Onesky and Ed Krzes, the EKCO Handbell Duet, who are providing our special music for this morning's worship. Based in Middleburg Heights, the EKCO Ringers have been ringing since the late 1990's, and currently ring with three church choirs. They are also members of the Stow Heritage Ringers. We are grateful to Cheryl and Ed for gracing our Epiphany worship with their beautiful music.

Beloved Faith Community: Thank you for the lovely worship service, the potluck, and your generous gift. Most importantly, thank you for your support during the past six years. Each of you is a blessing. Love, Karen.

Christmas Fund Offering: Our congregation has contributed a total of \$268.00 for our Christmas Fund Offering (formerly Veterans of the Cross) for 2015. This money benefits church workers in need of assistance. Thank you to all who contributed.

The Women of Faith will meet on Friday, January 22nd, at 6:30 p.m. in the Social Hall for an Old Fashioned Potluck Dinner. The evening will include a Planning Session for 2016 and a "Blanket Bee" to tie blankets for Providence House. Please bring a friend, the more the merrier. If you have any questions please contact Doris Becka at 440-442-5965. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board across from the kitchen.

Previous Announcements

Stick Up for Faith by adding a sticky note to the poster in the entry hall, containing a word or two, to tell us what you love about Faith UCC! What keeps you coming back for more? You can "like" a word that's already stuck up by adding an "x" mark to its sticky note. We'll be using these words to identify our strengths as we "re-vision" our future as a Christian community.

Faith Friends on Tuesday, January 19th, will be taking a trip across the street to St. Gregory of Narek Armenian Church at 678 Richmond Road. They will prepare lunch for us. After lunch, Fr Hratch will take us into their sanctuary for a brief history and overview of their faith and some liturgical and other traditions. The menu will include chicken kebabs, rice pilaf, salad, cheese triangles, dessert, and maybe other items. Cost is \$15.00 and payment is due by Sunday, January 10th, to Barbara Garris. Time is 12:00 noon. Please sign up on the bulletin board across from the kitchen.