

December 3, 2017

This week: Dec. 3 - 9

Today:	9:45 am	Spirit Choir Rehearsal
	10:30 am	Adult Bible Study
	12:00 pm	FH Nicaragua Meeting
	4:00 pm	Big Tent Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Youth Advent Series
Monday:	9:00 am	Doers at IHOP
	6:00 pm	Finance Meeting
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Tuesday:	10:00 am	Bible Study Sorority Meets
	10:30 am	Parish Nurse on Duty
	7:00 pm	Bell Choir Practice
Wednesday:	9:00 am	Quilters Meet
	1:00 pm	Knitters Meet
	7:00 pm	Trustees Meet
Thursday:	12:30 pm	Doers Game Day
	6:30 pm	Men's Group Meeting
	7:00pm	Praise Team Rehearsal
Friday:	12:00 pm	Birthday Lunch at Adam's Rib
	6:00 pm	Parent's Night Out
	9:00 pm	Youth Christmas Party

Flowers are given to the glory of God and the beauty of our service from Martin and Nancy Dennis in honor of loved ones during this season of the birth of our Lord and Savior.

Parent's Night Out ~ On **Friday, Dec 8th from 6:00-9:00pm**, we will provide an evening of games, arts & crafts, pizza and a movie for your child while you shop, meet with friends or just hang out at home! Register today at kids.huntingtownnumchurch.com or ask your child's Sunday School Teacher for a registration form. *Cost: Bring a new, family favorite board game to donate to a family in Calvert County.*

Youth Christmas Party ~ **Friday, Dec 8th from 9:00-11:00 pm**, youth are encouraged to help provide Parents Night Out from 6:00-9:00 pm and then stay for the Youth Christmas Party afterward! Bring a \$5 wrapped gift for a gift exchange. See you here!

Birthday Luncheon ~ On **Friday, Dec 8th** our monthly birthday lunch will be at Adams Rib in Prince Frederick at 12:00. Please call Jennette Hall at 301-807-7099 to make your reservation. All are welcome.

Poinsettia Orders ~ If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in honor or memory of a loved one, please pick up an order form at the Welcome Center. Plants may be taken home after any Christmas Eve worship service. Orders must be placed by **Dec 13th**.

Caroling Opportunities:

Christmas Caroling to our HUMC Family ~ Sunday, Dec 10th, 12:00-4:00pm

All are invited to join us in spreading Christmas greetings in the homes of our loved ones this blessed season! We will start at HUMC with a light lunch. Then, we will head out to share some of the best-loved Christmas carols and songs. We will gather back at HUMC around 3:30 pm for cookies and hot chocolate as well as a time of fellowship.

Community Night - Caroling, Cookies & Hot Cocoa! ~ Friday, Dec 15th, 6:30-8:30pm

Join us as we partner with Huntingtown Elementary School for our first combined Community Night! We will meet in the Walnut Creek Community and arrange groups to go into different areas singing Christmas carols all along the way. Then, we will gather in a selected common area for hot cocoa and cookies! Won't you join us?

Christmas Cantata ~ HUMC's Sanctuary Choir and friends invite you to a Christmas Cantata entitled "*The Heart of Christmas*", embracing the passion of those who lived the story. Join us on Friday night, **Dec 15th at 7:00pm**, and again on Sunday night, **Dec 17th at 7:00pm**. You won't want to miss this beautiful evening of song.

Children's Workshop - A Gift from the Heart ~ Dec 23rd, 10:00-11:30am. Children will hear about the greatest gift of love, share in the spirit of Christmas, and package up gifts for local families. With caring, kindness, compassion, and generosity children will learn the real joy of giving gifts from the heart. There is so much work to do! Bring a friend and join Santa and the elves on Saturday, December 23rd at 10:00!

Light Up the Farm ~ Do you have extra Christmas lights? Did you buy too many? I am collecting new and gently used Christmas lights (and decorations) to decorate Serenity Farm (Farming 4 Hunger)! I will pick them up from your house or you can drop them off at church. Contact Taylor at 443-975-4009 or humcyoungadultministry@gmail.com.

The Children's Choir will be singing at the 6:00pm Christmas Eve service! All children (and their friends) are invited to participate. The Spirit Choir practices on Sundays at 9:45 - 10:15 in the K-1 classroom upstairs with an extra rehearsal TBD. Come and hear the good news of Christ's birth through the voices of our children

Youth "Advent 140" Devotionals ~ Sign up to receive a daily Advent Devotional starting today through Christmas morning. To sign up, text the message @72874f to the number 81010 or contact Sheila at 443-975-3021 or sisaacson.humc@comcast.net.

From your Financial Secretary: Your 2018 Contribution Envelopes are available in the coffee area downstairs. Please pick yours up today!

THANK YOU church family for the cards, prayers and expressions of sympathy during the loss of my mother. You are a blessing to me, Larry Stommel