

DECEMBER 2023

the EPISTLE



Mark your calendars!

CHRISTMAS AT SAINT PAUL'S UMC

Every Sunday in December (including Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve) we will have one combined morning worship service at 9:30 AM in the Sanctuary, rather than our usual 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM services.

DEC 3 **HANGING OF THE GREENS**
7:00 PM Evening worship service in the Sanctuary sharing the meaning of our Christmas symbols

DEC 10 **A SERVICE OF LESSONS & CAROLS**
9:30 AM Join us for a worship on Sunday morning at 9:30 AM where our music ministries will present "A Service of Lessons and Carols."

DEC 10 **"COME TO CHRISTMAS"**
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Make and decorate fun Christmas crafts at different stations around the church campus, share dinner together and take pictures with Santa. Sunday night worship in Sanders at 7 PM.

DEC 13 **KIDS@ART MUSICAL**
6:30 PM The children from Kids@Art, our Wednesday evening worship-arts program, present a musical right after our Wednesday Dinner.

DEC 17 **KID'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT**
9:30 AM During the 9:30 AM worship service in the Sanctuary, our children will be reenacting the Christmas story with a live nativity.

DEC 24 **CHRISTMAS EVE EVENING SERVICES**
5 PM SANCTUARY **7 PM SANDERS**

FOR MORE INFO VISIT US AT
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DECEMBER CALENDAR

- Dec. 1 Crafty Crop, 5:00 p.m., SH
- Dec. 2 Crafty Crop, 10.00 a.m., SH
Ring in the Season (Handbells)
4:00 p.m., First Baptist Church
- Dec. 3 One Worship Service
All December, 9:30 a.m.
Hanging of the Greens
7:00 p.m., Sanctuary
- Dec. 4 Ed Wynn Luncheon,
10:00 a.m., Sanders Hall
- Dec. 10 Service of Lessons & Carols
9:30 a.m., Sanctuary
Come to Christmas, 4:30 p.m.
Sanders Hall, 300 Level
Contemporary Worship,
7:00 p.m., Sanders Hall
- Dec. 11 Care Team, 10:30 a.m. Rm. 326
- Dec. 12 United Women in Faith
11:00 a.m., Sanders Hall
- Dec. 13 Children's Christmas Musical
6:45 p.m., Sanctuary
- Dec. 16 Manna on Meridian
8:00 a.m., Faith Presbyterian
- Dec. 17 Children's Christmas Pageant
9:30 a.m., Sanctuary
Contemporary Worship,
7:00 p.m., Sanders Hall
- Dec. 20 Youth Christmas Caroling
- Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Service, 5:00 p.m.
Sanctuary
Christmas Eve Service, 7:00 p.m.
Sanders Hall
- Dec. 25 & 26 Office Closed
- Dec. 30 Soul Food Distribution,
9:30 a.m., Lake Ella

DECEMBER *events*

CRAFTY CROP

Join us for Crafty Crop with some fun gal-friends **December 1 & 2** in Sanders Hall! Bring your projects and table space will be provided. The fellowship begins on **Friday at 5:00 p.m.** You may leave your projects all set up to continue the fun on **Saturday at 10:00 a.m.** Any questions and/or to sign up, contact Jill Merryday (850-443-9428).

ADVENT and IMPROVISATION!!



Our Advent Celebration will begin on Sunday, **December 3** at 9:30 a.m. with Baltimore-reared, Berklee-based pianist, composer, vocalist, and educator, Dr. John Paul McGee. An assistant chair of piano at Berklee College of Music in Boston, Dr. McGee has worked and

recorded with a wide variety of secular and religious artists including Stevie Wonder, Pattie LaBell, The Clark Sisters, and so many more. In his most recent release of "A Gosp jazzical Christmas," Dr. JP brightens up the holidays with original and classic Christmas selections that reflect his unique Gosp jazzical sound: a pianistic amalgam of gospel, jazz and classical genres. Join us as we enter into the season of Advent by making Music with the Spirit!

HANGING OF THE GREENS

Mark your calendars now so that you don't miss out! **December 3, 7:00 p.m.,** we'll welcome in the Advent season with Saint Paul's rich tradition of decorating our sanctuary, hearing readings/explanations about the history of the symbols of our decorations, singing carols, and hearing all of our performing choirs' anthems. We will need lots of help from individuals, families, and groups, and you will have an opportunity to sign up soon. We will not have our regular evening contemporary service that evening as all are invited to join us for Hanging of the Greens.

"COME TO CHRISTMAS"

On **December 10**, come make and decorate fun Christmas crafts at different stations around the church campus, share dinner together, and take pictures with Santa! Sunday night worship in Sanders Hall at 7:00 p.m.

4:30 - Craft stations begin

5:00 - Santa arrives

5:30 - Dinner service starts

6:30 - Santa & craft time ends

7:00 - Evening worship in Sanders Hall

MEN'S READING COMMUNITY

We continue to have two options for the Men's Reading Community: Tuesdays 8:30 a.m. at Ology Northside led by David Gill, or Wednesday Evenings at 6:15 p.m. in Room 301 at Saint Paul's UMC led by Nic Fugate.

SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

There will not be a Contemporary Worship on December 3, but all are invited to join us for Hanging of the Greens in the Sanctuary. **There will be a Sunday Night Worship Experience on December 10, 17, and 24 at 7:00 p.m.** in Sanders Hall. There will not be a service on the evening of December 31.

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

United Women in Faith will be meeting on **Tuesday, December 12**, in Sanders Hall. Because this is our annual Christmas luncheon we will be meeting at 11:00 rather than our regular 10:00 meeting time. Please bring a salad or a dessert to share.

We are planning to do a Christmas project. Please watch for more details to come.

All women of the church are welcome. If you have any questions please contact Peggy Harter, 850-339-1356 or harterp97@gmail.com.

CHRISTMAS EVE

We will have two worship services on the evening of **December 24** as we celebrate Emmanuel, God-with-us, in the birth of Jesus. Both services will be beautiful, holy, and filled with candlelight. Nursery will be available at the 5:00 p.m. service. The service in the Sanctuary will be traditional music with our choirs, and the service in Sanders Hall will be led by members of our contemporary worship band.

5:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary 7:00 p.m. in Sanders Hall

There is no cost to attend, but donations are always welcome. Please sign up so we have a good headcount through the link in the Weekly Notes. Enter through Sanders Hall in the Upper Courtyard.

CREATION *care*



I'M DREAMING OF A GREEN CHRISTMAS

The holidays are here, and with a little pre-planning, we can make them festive and sustainable! See the tips below to learn how.

1. Shop local businesses as much as possible, and bring your own bags to cut down on plastic.
2. Use and reuse gift bags rather than wrapping paper. Most wrapping paper is laminated with plastic, foil, glitter, or other non-paper materials that contaminate a recycle bin and must be trashed. Festive reusable paper or cloth bags with biodegradable tissue paper are fast to wrap and look beautiful under the tree.
3. Give Fair Trade presents this Christmas. Buying Fair Trade coffee, clothings, chocolate, and jewelry provides the creators—farmers, laborers, and artisans—fair prices and stable incomes, reduces poverty, betters working conditions, and promotes environmentally sustainable practices. Plus, the gifts are unique and meaningful.
4. Give presence, not just presents. Give an adventure, an experience that can be shared, talked about, and remembered long after the usual “stuff” has been covered over in the landfill.
5. In the U.S. alone, coffee drinkers throw away 50 billion coffee cups every year! Check out the Zero Waste Store and other outlets for reusable cups as gifts.
6. Invite children to make decorations for Christmas. Show them how to cut snowflakes from recycled paper or create a collage or ornaments by using greeting cards from a previous year. Encourage them to find joy in reusing rather than trashing. The learning will carry on past the holidays.
7. Cut down on holiday food waste, which is a key driver of climate change. Send leftovers home with guests after a gathering. Bring your own takeout container!
8. Make homemade gifts like baked goods, jellies, and soaps for your friends and family to enjoy instead of buying new things they may not need.
9. Decorate your home with fresh pine branches, pine cones, magnolia leaves, and other foliage from your yard. It will smell great and can be composted after the holidays are over. Explore Pinterest for ideas like these: www.digsdigs.com/southern-style-holidays-30-beautiful-magnolia-decorations/.
10. Remember the reason for the season is the birth of Jesus, and spread the joy with your family by attending Christmas Eve services and other activities at church throughout the month of December.

Merry Christmas!

To learn more about Saint Paul's Creation Care group, email us at cares4creation@gmail.com.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 1 Maria Alexander, Stan Etheridge, Danny Nystrand
- 3 Adriana Combs, Kristen Ward
- 4 Wes Getman, Alan Harwood, Gary Mason
- 5 Bridget Chandler
- 6 Eloise Mansell
- 7 Nancy Schildt
- 8 Debby Weldon
- 9 Jo Ellen Brown
- 10 Freddie Schrader, Annie Wilde
- 11 Adam Rokitowski
- 12 Hazel Oliver
- 13 Werner Sachs
- 15 Rachel Epting, Coraline Kline, Haddie Rios
- 16 Nancy Ross, Carl Slaughter
- 17 James Andrews, Angela Murphy
- 20 Julia Cox, Sam Lewis, Crill Merryday
- 21 Tara Hewitt
- 22 Dale Croft
- 23 Peggy Harter, Bekkah Sheetz
- 24 Doris Henderson, Eliza Wirth
- 25 Alicia Batailles, Bob Thomas
- 26 Susan Droessler, Dot Roberts
- 27 Cassie Griesheimer-Fischer, Daren Shippy
- 28 Kristin Dowell, Leslie Scott
- 29 Anne Godbold, Alyssa Griesheimer
- 30 Barbara Jaeger, Norma Nahoom, Lilah Schroeder
- 31 Corinne Waltz

MISSION ministries

MANNA ON MERIDIAN

Manna is a monthly food distribution program managed by Faith Presbyterian, Saint Stephens Lutheran, Saint Paul's UMC, Grace Lutheran and Unitarian Universalist Churches. We have joined with Second Harvest which has enabled us to cut our costs almost in half. They require us to collect number of people served plus demographic information. This has allowed us to count how many people are in each family and therefore how many are being served. So our 280-300 bags of groceries and of produce each month are actually reaching 600 to 700 people!

Distribution is on the **third Saturday of each month from 7:30 - 9:30 a.m.** and on **December 16** Saint Paul's is the lead church, which means we are responsible to provide volunteers. Why not share your time this Christmas season with this wonderful ministry and join us. Donations of cereal are always welcome as well! If you need more information or directions call Barb Block at 850-241-2642 or tallahasseebarb@yahoo.com.

CHILDREN'S HOME 5TH SUNDAY

Thank you to all who are participating in the Christmas gift card drive for the Methodist Childrens Home and Madison Youth Ranch. **I will continue collecting your cards thru December 5** allowing time for the House Parents to receive and wrap them for the children. I am available at the Sunday worship service, Wednesday night dinner or you may leave them at the church office.

We also have one more opportunity to contribute **December 31**, our last 5th Sunday in 2023 with your noisy change offering. I love how excited our children are running thru the isles to collect the money. Many their first opportunity for children helping other children in need.

Thank you, Saint Paul's, for your love and support for our Children's Homes. I am honored to be your LCR, Local Church Representative. Janet Clark

ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS MARKET

Thank you for your gifts of love--for the neighbors in need and for our loved ones—flowed through our Alternative Christmas Market on November 5. To date we have received \$5,395 total of all donations for the following mission projects:

Elder Care	Alzheimer's Project
Sleep In Heavenly Peace	Soul Food
Children's Home	Creation Care
Manna on Meridian	Jail & Prison Ministry
Inter. Refugee Committee	FAMU Wesley Found.
FSU Wesley Found.	Asian Rural Ministries
Capital Area Justice Min.	Our sister church in Yaguaramas, Cuba

If you missed shopping at our Alternative Christmas Market a couple of weeks ago, you may still give a gift to honor your loved one by writing a check to Saint Paul's UM Church and writing on the memo line the mission project (s) you want to bless. Alternative Christmas cards have been created by Pastor Becky for you to send to your loved ones informing them of your gift to missions in their name (available in the church office).

COOKIES SAY "I LOVE YOU"

Our Congregational Care team will be baking cookies and bringing them to our meeting on **December 13** at 10:30 a.m. Cookies will be assembled in bags and delivered to all our homebound members. Our Care Team members regularly take flowers to those who are homebound, meals to those who are sick, send cards to those in need of extra cheer, and pray for all the needs of the congregation. If you or someone you know is ill or having surgery, or have transitioned to being homebound or in Assisted Living, please let our team know.

MUSIC

at Saint Paul's

Advent is a busy time for the Music Ministries of Saint Paul's as we are preparing our hearts for the coming of our Savior through various services of worship and programs.

Preschool Music Group (for ages 3-4): will be participating in the Kids@Art musical, "Room for Christmas," on **December 13, 6:45 p.m.** in the sanctuary.

Kids@Art (Children's Worship Arts Program for Grades K-5): will be participating in the Hanging of the Greens service on **December 3, 7:00 p.m.**, the Service of Lessons and Carols presented by the entire Music Ministries on **December 10, 9:30 a.m.**, and will be presenting their own Advent musical, "Room for Christmas," by Mark Burrows, on **December 13, 6:45 p.m.**, in the sanctuary.

As part of our musical, we will be taking an offering to support the Sleep in Heavenly Peace ministry. We ask that you bring bedding items for twin sized beds: sheets, mattress covers, blankets, and/or pillows, or monetary gifts for that ministry. (Contact Stephany Nystrand: stephanymusictherapy@yahoo.com)

Youth Choir (grades 6-12): will be singing for the Hanging of the Greens and the Music Ministries' Service of Lessons and Carols. We will also be caroling to our at-home members on **Wednesday, December 20.** (Contact Gaye Herndon: gaye@saintpaulsumc.org)

Saint Paul's Dancers: will be doing a special processional for the Hanging of the Greens on **December 3.** (Contact Stephany Nystrand: stephanymusictherapy@yahoo.com)

Covenant Chancel Choir: will be singing for the Hanging of the Greens on **December 3, 7:00 p.m.**, and our Service of Lessons and Carols on **December 10, 9:30 a.m.** We will have a Dress Rehearsal for the Service of Lessons and Carols on Saturday, **December 10, 10:00 a.m. to 12 Noon**, in the sanctuary. We will also be singing for the 5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve service. (Contact Cynthia Prescott, Adult Choirs Director: prescottc1360@gmail.com)

Se'lah: will be singing for the Hanging of the Greens and the Service of Lessons and Carols. Dress Rehearsal is on Saturday, **December 10, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.** We will also join the Covenant Chancel Choir for the 5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve service. (Contact Cynthia Prescott, Adult Choirs Director: prescottc1360@gmail.com)

Handbell Choir: will be participating in the community event, **Ring in the Season**, at First Baptist Church, Tallahassee, in conjunction with the community "Celebration of Lights" on **December 3, 4:00 p.m.** Please join us for this delightful way to begin our Advent/Christmas Season, with 5 other Handbell Choirs from throughout the Tallahassee/South Georgia area in this massed ringing event.

We will be playing for our Hanging of the Greens and Service of Lessons and Carols, also.

POINSETTIA SALES

Each year we encourage everyone to purchase Poinsettias to fill the sanctuary during the Advent and Christmas seasons. You may purchase flowers in honor or in memory of someone, and those will be published in the Christmas Eve Order of Worship. Flowers are \$20. Sign up through the weekly notes, or at the table on Sunday morning. Any proceeds will go toward our Congregational Care Ministry.

You may take your purchased flower(s) home with you on Christmas Eve, or you may donate the flowers to our congregational care ministry, and they will be delivered to those in the hospital or homebound who are in need of extra cheer.

WEDNESDAY nights

Wednesday nights are back in full swing with lots of ways for you to grow, serve, and connect! Nursery is available. Please contact Beth Wilde, beth@saintpaulsumc.org to sign up for childcare. Here is the schedule and details:

EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

3:00-5:00 SPARKS
5:10-5:30 Preschool Music Group
5:15-6:30 Dinner in Sanders Hall
6:00-7:00 Kids@Art
6:00-7:00 Rooted Youth Program
6:15-7:30 Adult Classes (no classes in December)
7:00-7:45 Youth Choir

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

The doors open at 5:00 and we serve food from 5:15 until 6:30. The cost is \$7 for adults and \$3 for children 10 and under. Come and enjoy a home-cooked meal and visit with church friends.

December Menu:

Dec. 6 – TBD
Dec. 13 – TBD
Dec. 20 – No Dinner
Dec. 27 – No Dinner

Dinner also includes salad, drinks, and dessert.
The kids meals are chicken nuggets, fresh fruit
and a cheese stick.

YOUTH rooted

HANGING OF THE GREENS SERVICE

On **December 3**, Rooted will be attending the Hanging of the Greens service at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Join us in Sanders Hall afterwards for cookies and hot chocolate!

COME TO CHRISTMAS

On **December 10**, Rooted will be attending our church wide Come to Christmas event from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.! Come to Christmas is an event where families are invited to walk through a number of ornament making stations at our church. We will need youth to help us run our ornament making room! Following the event, our evening worship service will occur in Sanders Hall, and all are invited to attend.

ROOTED CHRISTMAS PARTY

On **December 17**, Rooted will be having our Christmas party! We are going to start an hour earlier than normal so that we can fit in all of our Christmas party activities from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., before going to our evening worship from 7:00 - 8:00. Make sure you come dressed in Christmas pajamas!

CHRISTMAS BREAK SCHEDULE:

December 17 - Christmas Party at Sunday Night Youth

December 20 - Youth Choir Caroling, No UMYF

December 24 through January 3

No Youth Programming

January 7 - Programming resumes with
Sunday Night Youth

Sunday school will meet throughout the entire break.



FAMILY events

Sunday School for all ages every week from 9:45 -10:40 a.m. including Pre-K, K-2 grade and 3-5 grade classes. Youth and adult classes are also available. Nursery open to children 6 months- 5 years old all morning.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

Nursery – Level 200, Secure access please ring the door bell. Ages 6 months up to 5 years of age available from 8:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. includes Sunday school instruction.

Children's classes are located on the "Foundation Level" (Facing Lake Ella) of the children's wing.

- K-1 grade class led by Mrs. Jo Ellen Brown & Gigi Ebert
- 2-3 grade class led by Mrs. Faye Miller & Volunteers
- 3-5 grade class led by Mr. Kevin & Mrs. Jenni Cox

For Christmas Eve the only Children's class will be K-1. There will be no Children's classes on New Year's Eve.

KIDS@ART

Kids@Art welcomes newcomers to this exciting afternoon of worship arts activities. Happening every **Wednesday** from **4:30 - 5:30 p.m.**, with drop-off starting at 4:00 p.m. Open to all K-5th grade children. **Kids@Art will take a break for the holidays from December 20 to January 10.** Sign up here: <https://saintpaulsumc.breezechms.com/form/kidsart2022-2023>.

KIDS CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

It is that time of year again where we call on our youngest ones to reenact the story of our Saviour's birth. **December 17** at the 9:30 service. This is a very special event and all children are welcome from walking age to 5th grade. Main parts will be assigned, please use this link for more detailed information and to let us know how your child would like to participate. Contact Beth Wilde, our Director of Early Childhood Ministries with questions. beth@saintpaulsumc.org. Sign up for the pageant at <https://saintpaulsumc.breezechms.com/form/christmaspageantdec172023>

PARENTS MORNING OUT & PRESCHOOL

Our Parent's Morning Out and Preschool is a fun and safe place for children of all backgrounds to come together and foster a joy of learning through Christ's love. We accomplish this through cooperative and imaginative play. We also offer formal lessons in phonics, math and social and emotional intelligence. We have limited spots available for little ones to join in on the fun. **PMO/Preschool will take a break for the holidays from December 20 to January 7.** Please let Beth Wilde, our Director of Early Childhood Ministries, know if you are interested in learning more. Beth@saintpaulsumc.org.

SPARKS

SPARKS hands on Art & Science afterschool ministry every Wednesday, we welcome all K-5th graders to join us and offer church bus pick up from Gilchrist and Sealy elementary. Drop in any time after 3:00 p.m. at Generations Park. **SPARKS will take a break for the holidays from December 20 to January 10.**

3:00 - 3:35	Supervised Park Play
3:40 - 3:55	Snack & Scripture Sharing
4:00 - 4:25	Hands on Art Making with Ms. Courtney and Ms. Megan
4:30 - 4:55	Science Experiments with Ms. Leslie, and Ms. Kjersten

For more information contact beth@saintpaulsumc.org.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 115 CHRISTMAS TREE SALES

The Boy Scout Christmas Tree lot is open **through December 24**. Hours are **Monday - Friday 5:00 - 8:00 p.m., Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. and Sunday 12:00 - 6:00 p.m.** Trees of all sizes, as well as wreaths, are available. Buying your Christmas tree from Troop 115 supports young men in our church and community. Cost range depends on tree size.

My Dear Saint Paul's Family,

For decades my husband and I had dreamed about moving up north (yes, where it is cold and snowy). We knew we wanted to wait until I had been ordained because switching conferences before that can be complicated. When that happened in 2022 and with Kaden graduating this year, we prayerfully began exploring the possibility this past summer. I researched different conferences, talked to friends who lived in the areas we were considering, and began conversations with leaders in those places. Many things came together in very providential ways, and though things are happening sooner than we anticipated, we are excited for this next step in our journey. There was an immediate need in the Wisconsin Conference and I have accepted a mid-year appointment that will begin January 1, 2024 at Mount Horeb UMC, about 20 minutes west of Madison, WI.

There are no words to fully express my love and gratitude for my time at Saint Paul's and toward each of you. Even though I feel like this is the right path forward, and that we are following God's leading in our lives, saying goodbye is so hard. There has never been a moment where I haven't felt surrounded by love and support here. I had the amazing privilege of serving alongside two extraordinary women (Rev. Dr. Kandace Brooks and Rev. Dr. Latricia Scriven). All the staff and leaders have been a joy and delight to work with. I have held your hands as you have held mine and we have grown together in the Lord... through a pandemic, through the loss of loved ones, through the joy of births and new friends. I will miss you tremendously.

Our eldest, Kaden, is staying here and finishing their senior year at Sail High School and plans to stay in Tallahassee after graduating, so you will continue to see Kaden at church. I thank you in advance for your continued love and care.

I know that God has great things planned for Saint Paul's UMC! MaryAnn is a wonderful pastor and I know you will show her and Jim the same love and welcome that you showed us. Whether we are here or in Wisconsin, The Rokitowskis will always be a part of this family and will worship, grow, serve, share, and give WITH JOY!

With Abundant Thanksgiving,
Rev. Becky Rokitowski,
Associate Pastor at Saint Paul's UMC

STAFFING UPDATES... from SPRC

It is an exciting time at Saint Paul's – but it is also a season of change. Here's an update on staff changes from your Staff-Parish Relations Committee (SPRC)...

- Director of Children's & Family Ministries – Bridget Weisbrod stepped down recently from this position; we are pleased that Bridget is still with us and continues to be involved. With excellent leadership from existing staff and volunteers in place to keep things moving forward for now, we expect to fill this position in 2024.
- Kitchen Coordinator (Wednesday Night Dinner "Chef") – We have been blessed by the culinary talents of Ted Rokitoski, but as he leaves us to accompany Pastor Becky to Wisconsin, we are now looking for a new Kitchen Coordinator to keep our taste buds happy on Wednesday nights. If you or someone you know might be interested in this paid position, please let us know ASAP.
- Communications Coordinator – Among the MANY duties faithfully carried out by Pastor Becky, is the coordination of our church communications – the Weekly Notes, Social Media, and much more. As she departs, church leadership has determined that we should move quickly to hire a Communications Coordinator to take on overall responsibility for communications. This part-time individual will work with our Communications Committee and other volunteers, plus the pastors and other staff members, to assure that we keep information flowing within our congregation and beyond. We are pleased to announce that we have selected Amy C. Leach to fill this new position; Amy brings significant relevant experience, including several years at Trinity UMC, to the role; we'll introduce her more fully next month.
- Associate Pastor – Rev. MaryAnn Piccioni has been appointed as our new Associate Pastor beginning January 1.

If you have questions about these positions, or would like to get more involved in any of these areas during this important transitional time, please contact the pastors or any member of SPRC.

Your SPRC: Gary Eggebraaten (chair), Flo Dickinson, Lyn Shoffstall



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9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
7:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Contemporary Service

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday - Closed
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