In Our Prayers... **David Donachie** 

Linda Crish

**Brandon Todd Aldan** (Rehab) Jeanette VanBrocklin (Woodlands)

Sandy Nittinger (Park Vista)

Barbara Moore

Charles **Lucy Stanley** 

**Doris Rice** (Wickshire)

Irene Weaver (Maplecrest, Rehab)

Tammy Creighton (Home)

**Megan Zimmers** 

Robbin Moore (Rev. Del Nagro)

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WIT Group is meeting on Monday, November 27, 2023, at 11:30 a.m. at Thanos Restaurant, located at 6620 Tippecanoe Rd., Canfield, Ohio. Call Sally Covell for reservations at 330-757-1706.

**Mission Committee** will be collecting new or gently used coats, hats, gloves and socks for adults and children of all ages for those served by the Needle's Eye Ministry. Please place your donations in the box located in the narthex or drop them off in the office by December 13th. Thank you for making a difference!

**Salvation Army Bell Ringing** starts tomorrow at 10 a.m. There are still slots available on Kettle 2. Thank you to those who are already signed up to ring.

Our Deacons's Giving Tree started out with 114 tags from the YWCA families, Dry Pantry families, and Poland Schools families. We are now down to 34 tags left. Please contact Erika at (330) 518-8834 if you would like a tag. All wrapped gifts are due back at the church no later than Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please make sure to attach the gift envelope to your packages.

Helpers Needed- Erika is looking for people to help put together shelves in the new Dry Pantry space.

Potluck Dinner RSVP - Please make sure to get your RSVPs in for the dinner before the Children's Christmas Program. The deadline is November 29<sup>th</sup>. The online reservation link can be found in the weekly newsletter. Paper reservation sheets can be found in the Sunday bulletin.

**Operation Christmas Child** - Thank you to everyone who put together a shoebox for Operation Christmas Child. Our goal was to collect 50 boxes and guess what, we collected 50!

**Advent Devotionals** are still available in the narthex.

Advent Study- November 27 – Reading of the famous editorial, Yes, Virginia, There Is A Santa Claus, and a video lesson.

December 4 – Viewing the movie Yes, Virginia There Is A Santa Claus.

December 11 – Discussion of the Biblical ties with the famous editorial.

**Advent-** Please join us on December 18<sup>th</sup> for dinner and a movie. We will be watching A Christmas Carol and enjoying a meal together. Feel free to bring a dish to share. Pizza, drinks, and dessert will be provided.

#### Calendar for the week of November 26, 2022

## Sunday, November 26th 1st Sunday of Advent

No 8:30 Worship Service

No Sunday School/Confirmation Class 9:30- Breakfast Club, CR

## 10:30-Hanging of the Greens Worship Monday, November 27th

10:00-6-Salvation Army Bell Ringing 11:00- WIT Lunch, Thano's Restaurant 6:00-Cub Scouts, YH

6:00- Advent Study, Library

7:30-Scouts, YH

## Tuesday, November 28th

10:00 - 6 - Salvation Army Bell Ringing 6:30-Gentle Yoga, Rm. 24

8:00-Tuesday Evening Group, CR

# Wednesday, November 29th

9:00-Staff Meeting, Zoom 10:00-6-Salvation Army Bell Ringing

4:30-Wonderful Wednesday

## Thursday, November 30th

7:30-Thomas Group, TJ's

10:00-6 -Salvation Army Bell Ring

12:30-PPC Zoom Lunch 6:00- Chancel Choir Rehearsal

7:00-Handbell Rehearsal

### Friday, December 1st

10:00-Parish Life Dinner Setup, FH 10:00-6 -Salvation Army Bell Ring

## Saturday, December 2nd

10:00-6 Salvation Army Bell Ring 6:00-Middlers Christmas Movie

& Cookie Decorating

## Communion Sunday, Dec. 3rd 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent

8:30-Worship Service

9:15- Stewardship, Pastor's Office

9:20- Outreach Mtg, Library

10:30-Worship Service, Sanctuary 5:00-Potluck Dinner followed by

Children's Christmas Program

Our worship service will be livestreamed every Sunday and posted to our website by that afternoon. Please visit the PPC YouTube channel to worship with us live.