

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

MISSIONS CONFERENCE

Our 86th Missionary Conference will be from March 12th to 20th. The theme is **“Explore Missions”**, where we focus on learning, discovering and exploring what God is doing around the world through the gospel. Come and explore missions for how you can be involved in reaching others for Christ locally, regionally, nationally and globally.

We will have 8 AUC-supported missionaries, in addition to 10 guest missionaries. Missionaries will share during both the morning and the evening worship services on both Sundays. And, we will have missionaries sharing in all Bible School classes. We plan to livestream the AM and PM services on both Sundays and the Monday Panel Discussion. We are planning three new events as part of this year’s conference.

On Saturday, March 12th, we will have a Family Missionary Event - a time where kids, students, and their parents can get to know an Aldan missionary. On Monday, March 14th, we will have a Panel Discussion with four experienced missionaries discussing trends (past, present and future) in missions.

On Saturday, March 19th, we will have an “Explore Missions Deeper” forum. After having a wonderful week of hearing what God is doing, and learning about world missions, what’s next? You may have been hearing God speak to you about getting involved - maybe even serving somewhere in the world. Or, maybe you are a parent (or grandparent) who wants to better understand what it would mean for their child to serve as a missionary. So now what? You are welcome to a time of open discussion about the next steps you can take to be involved in missions and discerning God’s leading for you. Come with your thoughts, questions, concerns!

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

TONY AND BECKY RIZZO

Thank you for your prayers for us and the ministry. We are all doing well now. We had a tough time with Covid 19 for the past four weeks, and thankfully, we are getting better each day. Our ministry is preparing for our new year of hopefully doing 36 evangelism campaigns. We thank God for the opportunity in Kensington to reach out on the streets there and hold a Youth Safety Zone. Please remember all of our children in prayer. Bethany had a premie this past November 26. Everybody is doing well. Please keep them in your prayers. The baby is doing well and is still in the hospital. Please remember Caleb Rizzo as he finishes college this semester at Liberty University. We have been keeping busy with our Digital Ministry. We hope you will check us out at our Youtube Channel, "Dr. Tony Rizzo / Tony & Friends." Please subscribe as we need subscribers to reach more youth. *You can send a word of encouragement to Tony and Becky at 3usateen@gmail.com*

To learn more about the 50+ missionaries we support, check out our Missionary Wall located in the hallway between the Sanctuary and the Gym.



FEBRUARY SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION: Revelation 15:4

“Who will not fear, O Lord, and glorify your name? For you alone are holy. All nations will come and worship you, for your righteous acts have been revealed.”

CHURCH CENTER CHECK IN SYSTEM

This morning when you sign into the **Church Center App**, go to the **‘Check In’** menu you will see an event for Sunday Morning. We would love to have you check in yourself and your family each Sunday so the Elders can better minister to the congregation. This feature of the app is replacing the “Sign In” tablets that used to be passed each Sunday in the pews. If you have any questions, please contact the church office. You can even do it from home as you watch online via the app, or you can ‘Check In’ at the Welcome Center when you arrive.

INTERESTED IN LEADING OR HOSTING NEW SMALL GROUPS?

As we develop more small groups in the coming months, please let us know if you are interested in leading or hosting a group. You can do that by completing a form on the welcome page of the Church Center App or online at auc.churchcenter.com/home.

NEW MEMBER’S CLASS COMING

This will be a one day class held on Sunday, March 27th following Bible School. More information will be available soon.

EASTER CHOIR

Want to be part of this year’s Easter Choir Concert? Join us as we present *Walking with Jesus*, a collection of varied pieces centered around the good news of Christ’s life, death, resurrection, and relationship with humanity. It's not too late to join! We rehearse on Thursdays at 7:30 pm. *Walking with Jesus* will be presented Sunday evening, April 3. Join us for a great time of prayer and fellowship with other singers in the Worship Arts ministry. All singers High School through Adult are welcomed - no audition or previous choir experience needed. For more information, contact Pastor Michael.

THE CHURCH OFFICE will be closed Monday, February 21st for President’s Day.

NEW ONLINE GIVING: CHURCH CENTER INFORMATION

You can use the Church Center App or give via the website auc.churchcenter.com/giving. Log in with your phone number or e-mail and select the 'Give' option to make a recurring or one time donation. For more information on Church Center, visit www.auc.org/church-center. Any questions, please contact the church office.

HOMESCHOOL FAMILY MEET UP

Look forward to a time where parents can discuss homeschooling topics and kids can play together under supervision! We will gather each month in the Gym on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays from 11AM to 1:30PM and then split into parent and kids groups.

NURSERY HELP NEEDED

We are in need of more nursery helpers to serve our families who have young children. If you're willing to care for our infants and toddlers occasionally on Sunday mornings, please contact Brittni Nelson at brittnijnelson@gmail.com or 717-818-9837.

GRIEFSHARE MINISTRY

The GriefShare Ministry provides grief recovery support to anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one. The program consists of 13 sessions. GriefShare meets on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month at 1:00PM on Zoom. You are welcome to begin attending our group at any point. Register online at www.griefshare.org/groups/124033 or contact a Group Leader at griefshare@auc.org or 610-259-8010.

16 DAY TOUR OF GREECE AND ISRAEL | MAY 6-21, 2022

IMPORTANT UPDATE: If you have considered going with the group to Israel, it is important you to get your reservation secured before February 15th. The number of travelers needs to be confirmed with the airfare. Unoccupied seats come with a charge if we do not reduce our reservations accordingly. If you have questions or want to secure a spot please contact Ed Lochmoeller at 610-256-9060 or at ed.lochmoeller.auc.org.

COME LAUGH WITH US | MARCH 26TH | 7PM | SANCTUARY

Gordon Douglas will be featured in a night of comedy. Gordon is a pastor and father who graduated from Philadelphia Biblical University. Gordon has performed comedy on TV, at national galas, on cruises, and was named Parent of the Year with his wife for the state of PA. Gordon is the president of Therapeutic Construction and Design- making custom equipment for the disabled, and Gordon started Operation Bellylaughs which sends comedy DVDs to troops. Al Smith, comedian, will open for Gordon. We hope you will join us. No tickets or cost to attend.

MEN'S MINISTRY

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY | 6:30-7:30AM | CHAPEL

Our teacher for this week is Bill Pentecost. Coffee is provided.

MAN UP | 9:00-11:00AM | CHAPEL

Man Up is a group of men that meet each Saturday morning to discuss various subjects relating to sermons, book studies, videos, etc.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WOMAN-WISE | THURSDAYS | 9:30-11:30AM | ZOOM

We are doing a study by Jen Wilkin entitled "Better: A Study of Hebrews." Any woman who would like to join us is most welcome! Please contact Lysa Burton at rlrsburton@verizon.net if you would to be part of this study so you can be added to zoom. You can also reach her at 484-995-5165.

MISSIONS

PENNIES FOR PERU PROJECT

The Missionary Committee is starting a special project to raise funds for a new van for BCM's Pennies for Peru ministry. The cost of the van is \$20,000. Our goal is to raise at least \$5,000 to help offset the cost. You can make donations online or use the pew envelopes and mark your gift as 'Peru Van Project'.

HELP NEEDED

Our missionary, Warren Day, in Minnesota is in need of warm winter hats and gloves. They can be handmade or bought. Please put your contribution in the tote next to the Women's Ministry table across from the nursery until March 1. Thank you for your help.

FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF :: Marty Bently, Sister

REMEMBERED BY :: Ann Larkin
