

## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

### NEW MEMBERS CLASS

The song "I'm So Glad I'm a Part of the Family of God" is often sung at churches. It reminds us we are each a part of a bigger unit. The song identifies us as washed, cleansed and joint heirs with Jesus. All who have trusted Christ as savior are a part of that family. The new members class at AUC is intended to provide a clear understanding of the doctrinal positions and policies of the church. The class structure informal, and the material is taught by a variety of AUC leaders. It is a means by which a potential member can get to know AUC better and confirm they would like to serve as a part of the AUC family in reaching our community and the world for Jesus Christ. If you are considering making AUC your church home, feel free to attend the next New Members class on March 28 from 10:45 to 11:30 AM. For more information, contact the church office or Pastor Ed (cell 610-256-9060).

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## MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

### ARLENE CHEYNEY AND CAROLYN HART (RETIRED)

**Arlene:** "This is like talking to my family on Zoom. There's not a whole lot of "news," but the time spent together is delightful. You're in my thoughts and prayers, and every remembrance of you is very special. You have been so good to me. Thank you! Virtual church services viewed at my sister's with my sister-in-law and myself in attendance, working at Resale at "half-speed," and attending a card-making class of six is about it. I'm through with PT on my arm/shoulder, so there's a lot of time to read, rejoice in the Word, and times of prayer. So thankful for the love He lavishes on me. Pray that I will reflect His love to others."

**Carolyn Hart:** "She recently received both doses of the Covid vaccine. My sister has been able to visit in-person a couple of times throughout this ordeal, but it has been very hard not to see Mom regularly. I've FaceTimed with her a little. I haven't been able to travel to Little Rock since 2019. We do have a hospice nurse that can see Mom weekly. She reports that Mom is doing well physically and is content (even happy) where she is. My sister has seen a decline in Mom's cognitive abilities. She participates in the activities in her facility, but I don't know if they've allowed people to do the chapel services as they used to do. We know that the Lord is caring for her and have every confidence that when He calls her home, she'll be ready for Heaven! We are so thankful for Aldan's support of Mom. "

To learn more about the 50+ missionaries we support, pick up a copy of each week's *Missionary Moments* located at all of the Sanctuary doors and check out our Missionary Wall located in the hallway between the Sanctuary and the Gym.

### SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

Our memory verse for March is Psalm 67:3 - 4, "Let the people praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you! Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the people with equity and guide the nations upon the earth."

### INFORMATION FOR VISITORS

If you are visiting Aldan Union Church for the first time today or you would like to receive our weekly church email correspondence, please fill out the Welcome Card on the table by the entrances and place it in an offering box. We would like to acknowledge your visit. If you have items you would like to place on the churchwide prayer list, you can either fill out a Prayer Request card (on the table by the entrances) and place it in an offering box or call the church office at 610-259-8010.

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES THIS MORNING:

Bible School (with nursery) for children from infants through high school will be offered today from 10:45 - 11:30 AM after the morning Service. Though our regular Adult Bible School classes continue to meet by Zoom and not meet onsite, we do offer a class in the Gym for all adults who are here while the children are in Bible School.

### COFFEE TIME

We will be offering coffee in the back parking lot after the morning worship service. Come enjoy a cup and a bit of fellowship before you leave.

### "THE LAMB HAS OVERCOME" | MARCH 28TH | 6:30 PM

Our Worship Arts ministries are collaborating to present *The Lamb Has Overcome* at 6:30 PM on Sunday, March 28. Solos, dramatic readings, our virtual choir, and congregational songs will take us on a journey back to the final hours of Jesus' life, his death, and his resurrection. We can't wait to reflect on and celebrate these few days that changed the world, and we hope you'll join us!

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## 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 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of each month at 1 PM via Zoom and free conference calling. You are welcome to begin attending our group at any point. Register online at [www.griefshare.org/groups/124033](http://www.griefshare.org/groups/124033) or contact a Group Leader at [griefshare@auc.org](mailto:griefshare@auc.org) or 610-259-8010.

## AUC ANNUAL MISSIONARY CONFERENCE | MARCH 14-21

We will have a lot of information sharing about what God is doing from our AUC missionaries during our Missionary Conference. This is your chance of the year to become familiar with the diversity of ministries that AUC supports worldwide. Three missionaries will be sharing during Sunday AM services, in addition to a keynote speaker.

Seven missionaries will be sharing during our virtual Wednesday evening missionary roundtable at 7 PM on March 17. You won't want to miss this, so join the livestream from our Missionary Conference webpage ([auc.org/missionaryconference](http://auc.org/missionaryconference)). And we will have different missionaries sharing in the Bible School classes. For the full details of who will be sharing when, see the "Conference Schedule of Missionaries" on the Conference webpage. If you would like to attend a Bible School class that you don't normally attend, please contact the Missionary Committee at [MC@auc.org](mailto:MC@auc.org) to get the zoom link.

As in other years, you have the opportunity to contribute to the expenses of this year's Missionary Conference. Although this year's Missionary Conference will be very different with fewer activities and with most missionaries being virtual, we will still have expenses associated with the honorariums that we share with the missionaries in appreciation of their participation in the Conference. If you want to help with these expenses, please designate your gift to "Missionary Conference" (or if you use online giving, use "Missions").

## MEN'S MINISTRY

### MEN'S TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY | 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM CHAPEL

Our teacher for this week is Pastor Kevin Brock. Coffee is provided.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

### WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY | 9:45 AM -11:00 AM CHAPEL

Women are welcome to join us each Wednesday from 9:45 AM -11:00 AM. We meet in the Chapel due to COVID-19, and masks are required. No refreshments will be provided. Any questions call Nancy Armentario at 610-622-2049.