MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

SPECIAL EASTER SERVICES

Our Worship Arts ministries are collaborating to present *The Lamb Has Overcome* at 6:30 PM on Sunday, March 28th. 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.

Our Good Friday service (7:30 PM on Friday, April 2) and Easter Sunrise service (6:30 AM on Sunday, April 4) will also provide opportunities to gather and remember our Savior, in addition to our Easter Sunday Worship Service at 9:30 AM.

In-person seating in the Sanctuary and a livestream option on Facebook and AUC's website will be available for all services other than Easter Sunrise. The Sunrise service will be held in Providence Park (or the Gym, if weather is an issue). We can't wait to reflect on and celebrate these few days that changed the world, and we hope you'll join us!

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

DEE AND MIKE LINDSEY

"We are grateful that we have been feeling well and so far avoided the virus. The BASIS support group that Dee facilitates here at AUC has been low in number. We desire to walk beside bereaved parents. Pray that we will be able to connect with folks and point them to the comfort of our Heavenly Father. Dee keeps in touch with some mothers via phone calls. Dee uses virtual and phone calls to stay in touch with the ladies from Handi*Camp whom she mentors. They have recovered from their bouts with the virus and have started their vaccines. A team from HVMI continues to work with the Akron Borough Council on the Handi*Camp property's land-use plan. There are many details. Please pray as they work through this process. Plans are in the works for Handi* Camp this summer at rented facilities. We are downsizing (still) and getting our house ready to sell. We have been approved and are on the waiting list for a place at Calvary Homes in Lancaster, PA. This move is not imminent. In early April, Mike has another appointment with the oncologist. He will have an ultrasound before that appointment. How very much we appreciate the fellowship of AUC and your prayers for us. "You may send a word of encouragement to Dee and Mike at mklindsey@aol.com.

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:

Parents should note that nursery and Beginners Churchtime/Wee Worship/Kids Worship for children from infants to 5^{th} grade are available during the Worship Service this morning. Parents will need to go and pick up their children after the Service.

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.

AUC ANNUAL MISSIONARY CONFERENCE GIVING

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").

ADULT BIBLE SCHOOL CLASSES ON ZOOM

Most of our Adult Bible School classes are meeting each Sunday by Zoom. If you are not a part of one of these classes but would like to join one by Zoom, please contact the church office (office@auc.org), and you will be put in contact with a class.

A/V HELP NEEDED

Do you know how to partition a hard drive on your pc? What about programming one remote to control all of the components to your living room big screen TV & sound system? Ok, can you at least send a text on your cell phone to the right person once on any given day? If you can answer "yes" to any of these questions then ... WE NEED YOUR HELP! The A/V department could really use your help, and the great news is it will only take a couple of hours on a Sunday maybe once every couple of months (depending how many volunteers come forward). The greatest need is really for helpers to advance the slides during praise songs, but there might be a couple of additional needs that might be arising in the next several months. If you can pass the official a/v test by successfully sending your name and contact information in an email to av@auc.org we will reply to your email with further details or to answer any questions that you may have.

PM SERVICES IN THE PARK HELP NEEDED

Pastor Michael is looking for volunteers to help load, transport, and unpack the various items required to have our evening services in the Park beginning on Sunday, May 16th. No experience necessary, just willing hands! Contact him at michael.nelson@auc.org if you are interested.

COFFEE CONNECTION TIME HELP NEEDED

We are excited to have brought back a little bit of fellowship following our service with the Outdoor Coffee Connection Time, but we need your help! If you are willing and able to join this team and encourage this time of fellowship in the Body, please contact John Sykes at sykfam1@yahoo.com or Dave Peltz at davepeltz57@yahoo.com. Or, if you prefer, simply tell them in person when you see them here at church!

WEDNESDAY PRAYER TIME

The first Wednesday of the month is a time of corporate prayer. On the other Wednesdays the church will be open to any small prayer groups that would like to meet for prayer from 7-8 PM. They do need to contact Pastor Kevin (kevin.brock@auc.org) to be assigned a room. Groups will still need to follow our mask and social distancing guidelines.

CHURCH SOFTBALL

Anyone interested in playing softball for Aldan Union Church softball team should contact Ryan Burton at 610-675-4922.

STAFF OPENING AT AUC

We are looking to fill the position of part time Church Secretary.

<u>Position Summary</u>: Working with the church staff, this team member is responsible for office clerical work. This individual must possess strong interpersonal and writing skills, have a strong Christian testimony, be pleasant and courteous and able to interface with a broad range of personalities.

To request a complete Position Description and to submit resumes for consideration, please send an email to office@auc.org or call the church office at (610) 259-8010. If anyone knows of people outside of our congregation who might be a good fit for this position, please pass this information on to them. We would want the person filling this position to be a member or regular attender of our services moving toward becoming a member.

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.

MOMS IN PRAYER

Moms in Prayer meets on the 1st and 3rd Monday nights each month on Zoom from 7 - 8:30 PM. Any mom, grandmom, aunt, etc. we would love to have you join us. Please contact Lysa Burton at rlrsburton@verizon.net or 484-995-5165 and let her know you will be joining.

MOTHERWISE

Moms of all ages and stages are welcome to join us on the 1st and 3rd Thursday mornings each month on Zoom from 9:30 - 11:30 AM. We are studying Priscilla Shirer's *Armor of God*. Please contact Lysa Burton (rlrsburton@verizon.net or 484-995-5165).

FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF :: Marty Bentley-Sister

REMEMBERED BY :: Fran & Ann Larkin