

## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

### NAOMI'S MINSITRY

Our group meets on Tuesday nights from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm here at the church. We offer spiritual, emotional, & practical support to new widows as well as ongoing fellowship to all widows at AUC & surrounding communities.

For more information you can reach Denise Sweeney at 610-955-1257 or [ma-masweeney48@yahoo.com](mailto:masweeney48@yahoo.com) or contact Carol Eskridge at 484-557-0826 or [carole-skride46@gmail.com](mailto:carole-skride46@gmail.com).

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## MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

### JANET MORRIS

"One of my two cats has some severe health issues and has lost a lot of weight. Chunky has been through some extensive tests to look for a diagnosis, and the vet discovered he has pancreatitis and inflamed bowel. They're prescribing special food and probably some medicine. Both are very dear to me, so please pray he will eat this special diet so he'll gain some weight and heal from his ailments and that I'll be able to get him to accept the medications (cats are notorious for not swallowing pills!). Please also pray for various college job fairs coming up that students and alumni will sign up for one-on-one interviews with our staff and that some would want to take the following steps toward membership. Another job I'm doing is posting open positions on various websites, so pray we'll get some good responses from people who want to apply for these or similar roles. Praise God for the stimulus check which covered the veterinary expenses. I'm grateful I've been able to get both vaccine injections and feel more comfortable stepping out into the world again (though still taking precautions). I praise God that when I hit a deer on Easter afternoon, I wasn't hurt, and the damage to the car isn't too extensive. I'm also grateful for your support." You may send a word of encouragement to Janet at [janetmorriswbt@gmail.com](mailto:janetmorriswbt@gmail.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.



# AUC CONNECT

THE WEEK OF APRIL 25, 2021

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

Our memory verse for April is Psalm 23:6 "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever."

### 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 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 (weather permitting). Come enjoy a cup and a bit of fellowship before you leave.

### STAFF OPENING AT AUC

We are looking for someone to fill the position of Children's Ministry Director. At this time we are looking for someone to serve up to 29hrs/week to oversee and develop all aspects of the Children's Ministries (nursery-5th grade), including programs and curriculum, and working with AUC staff, volunteers and parents. The candidate should be well organized and have experience serving in children's ministries, with a degree in Childhood/Elementary Education. Please be in prayer for an excellent fit for our church family and staff here at AUC! For inquiries please contact the church office ([office@auc.org](mailto:office@auc.org) or 610-259-8010).

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The 2022 Nominating Committee is requesting input from the congregation for possible nominees for the Boards of Elders and Deacons. The nominees need to be members of AUC. Please contact Dan Lefferts at 610-544-6701.

## WORK DAY ANNOUNCEMENT

Church Work Day will be held this Saturday, May 1st from 9 AM to noon. This is a great opportunity to come together as the Body of Christ by serving the Lord and one another. Coffee and doughnuts will be available at 9 AM, and lunch will be served at noon. All food will be prepackaged. Please make sure to wear your mask, but masks will be available if needed.

## A/V HELP NEEDED

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](mailto: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 16. No experience necessary, just willing hands! Contact him at [michael.nelson@auc.org](mailto: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](mailto:sykfam1@yahoo.com) or Dave Peltz at [davepeltz57@yahoo.com](mailto:davepeltz57@yahoo.com).

## STUDENT MINISTRY

### SMALL GROUP INTEREST MEETING | TODAY | 11:30 AM

Come learn about an upcoming small group opportunity just for teens! The meeting will take place in person, but students can also join in virtually. Zoom info went out with Bible school zoom this past week.

### SPRING WEEKEND LITE | SATURDAY, MAY 8TH | 8:30 AM-12:30 PM

This will be a Saturday event similar to the Winter Weekend lite that took place in January! We'll have Bible study, small group discussion, an activity, and a to go type lunch for students at the end as they leave. The cost will be \$10 a person. For registration and more details head to [auc.org/smevents](http://auc.org/smevents).

## MEN'S MINISTRY

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

Our teacher for April is Carroll Wynne. Coffee is provided.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY SPRING LUNCHEON | SATURDAY, MAY 15

Women's Ministry cordially invites all women to the Spring Luncheon on May 15, 2021 from 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM. Our guest speaker will be Susan Winterode who will bring a message of encouragement to **"Press On"**. So, if life's got you down or if you have ever felt like giving up and saying "I just can't do this anymore" or felt like your ship came in but you were at the airport and missed out, then you will want to join us! We'll laugh, cry, and maybe even laugh until we cry as we hear Susan's life story of pressing on. Bring a friend! There is no charge for the luncheon, and a love offering will be taken to help defray costs. Please remember to wear a mask as we are still observing social distancing and Covid precautions. If you have any questions, please contact Loretta Stott @ 610-996-6089 or Pennie Lochmoeller @ 610-955-9744.

**Please register at [www.auc.org](http://www.auc.org) by May 10, 2021.**

### 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](mailto:rlrsburton@verizon.net) or 484-995-5165 and let her know you will be joining.

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**FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF ::** Kathryn Williams, Mother

**REMEMBERED BY ::** JK Williams

**FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF ::** Anne Egitto

**REMEMBERED BY ::** Allan Rogers

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## THANK YOU NOTE

"The Motta family would like to thank everyone for all of your love as we welcomed baby Caleb in February! We greatly appreciate all the cards, gifts, and prayers that have been sent our way. We are so grateful for our AUC family!" Mike & Katherine Motta

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