

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Women's Ministry is so excited about what God is doing at AUC and the opportunities coming this year. Our Sept 25th conference theme is **Entrusted** and will be focused on Matthew 25: 14-30. We have been **Entrusted** with so much from our Lord; our talents, our freedoms, other believers in our church family to worship with, and our families and friends. Women's Life Groups are kicking off for this new year on Sept 14th, and we would love for you to join us. We have many Bible Studies to choose from, and there are opportunities to serve, including in our nurseries, Bible school, and supporting our missionaries. Let's respond together to God's call for faithfulness in the use of our talents, let's learn and fellowship together, and encourage one another as we persevere in running the race that we have been called to run. If you have any questions, or would like to learn more, please reach out anytime to me or one of our Women's Ministry Leadership team,

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MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

WARREN & BARBARA DAY

We have served with AIM for 52 years. We love living near our children. However, I (Barbara) do miss Aldan Union Church and living in Aldan, where I grew up. AUC will always have a special place in my heart. Our oldest daughter, Rachel, and her husband Kurt live about 5 minutes from us and have three children. Michele and her husband Chad live about 15 minutes from us and have two children. Both families are very involved in their church. We are very engaged in our association, where we have lived for four years. I have been on the board for two years and enjoy getting to know our neighbors. Of course, there are some challenges in making decisions. Please pray for our oldest grandson Jake as he heads off to Baylor. Pray for us as we want to be salt and light to our neighbors. Praise God we are admitting clients into the food shelf. We thank God for providing the 20 tons of food we can give out each month in the name of Christ. Now that we can have one-on-one time with the clients pray that the Lord would anoint our conversations. Pray for salvation decisions. We are also praising the Lord for the Bible and Christian literature that is being used. Thank you all for your prayers. You may send a word of encouragement to Warren and Barbara warren.day@aimint.org

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 September is Psalm 119:30 "I have chosen the way of faithfulness; I set your rules before me".

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE STARTING TODAY

We will have our Worship Service from 9:30-10:45 AM, followed by Connection Time in the Gym from 10:45 -11:15. Children's Bible School classes will start at 11:00, and adults will be in their classes and ready by 11:15 with all classes ending at 12:00. (We will remind you at 11:10 during Connection Time to get to class!)

NURSERY MINISTRY

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

NEW MEMBERS CLASS | SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2ND | 9AM-1:30PM

Considering finding out more about Aldan Union Church or considering joining the church family? Join us for our first 1 DAY Membership event on Saturday October 2. Pastor Joe will share various doctrines, practices, and functions of the church that are helpful to know before applying for membership. Lunch will be provided. To sign up call 610-259-8010 or email the church office office@auc.org and let us know you're planning to attend. Also, let us know if you would need nursery care during the event.

VIDEO EDITOR NEEDED

Do you have both the skills and heart for video editing? We are looking for someone in our church family who can edit and refine our monthly announcement videos along with our other video content that we use and post online. If you have gifts and skills in this area please contact Pastor Mike Motta in the church office or at mike.motta@auc.org

TRIP TO GREECE & ISRAEL SPONSORED BY AUC

Have you considered visiting the lands of the Bible? In May 2022, we are planning a tour that will visit the five cities where Paul preached in Greece. In Israel, we will visit numerous sites related to Old and New Testament events. Itineraries are available at the Information Center in the church foyer. If you would like to find out more about this trip come to an informational meeting Sunday Sept. 19 at 12:15 in the GSP room. Feel free to bring a snack lunch to enjoy during the presentation. Contact Ed Lochmoeller at edsmail61@gmail.com, 610-256-9060 or call the church office.

WANTED: ESL SNACK COORDINATOR

Job includes finding volunteers to bring a snack to class, creating a schedule, sending reminders, providing snack selection information and clean-up responsibilities. Contact Molly Olshefsky molshefsky@gmail.com for more information.

SIGHT AND SOUND TRIP | OCTOBER 9TH

All Family Trip to see **Queen Esther!** Limited tickets available. We'll leave AUC at 11 am, enjoy lunch at Hershey Farm Restaurant, attend the 3 pm show and return to AUC at approx. 7 pm. Cost of trip, including lunch and transportation is \$110. **Registration and payment must be received in full by Sept. 6.** Register online at <https://auc.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/973297> If you prefer to pay by check, make payable to AUC Women's Ministry and give to Loretta Stott. Please indicate if you will not be using AUC transportation. Any questions, contact Loretta Stott 610-996-6089 or Ed Lochmoeller 610-256-9060.

XTREME XPLOERS

Men of Aldan, Xtreme Xplorers needs you to help mentor and equip the future leaders of the church family. This is a desperate need, so as God stirs your heart for Xtreme Xplorers, please contact Bruce McCollum (bdm151121@gmail.com) or the church office (office@auc.org) to see where you can be plugged in to this exciting program.

EXPLORER GIRLS

Calling all girls ages 4-18 to come to Explorer Girls which begins on Monday, September 13 at 7 PM. For information, please contact JK Williams at 610-623-8483 or jk@egministriesinc.org. We hope to see you soon!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

FAMILY OLYMPICS | FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH | 7:00-8:30PM | GYM

A Friday night event that will kick off the school year and children's ministry! The theme will be Family Olympics so bring the whole family for a time of friendly competition, fellowship with other families & kids, and some snacks!

STUDENT MINISTRY

FALL RETREAT | OCTOBER 8TH-10TH

Fall Retreat is BACK! We're going to High Point Camp in Geigertown, PA for a weekend of Bible study, fun activities, good food, late night, and a bonfire. It'll be a great time to hang out with one another, and focus on Jesus! There will be an option to come late or leave early if needed. To register for the fall retreat visit auc.org/smevents.

MEN'S MINISTRY

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

Our teacher for this week is Tony Rizzo. Coffee is provided.

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

Man Up is a group of men that meet each Saturday morning to discuss various subjects relating to sermons, book studies, videos, etc. This month we are studying in the book of Romans.

GOLF OUTING | TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

AUC Men's Ministry will again be supporting HVMI by attending the HVMI Charity Golf Outing at Tanglewood Manor Golf Club. We will be leaving the church at 10 am and returning by about 8 pm. Cost for golf and dinner is \$125. Please contact Bill Pennington at wkpiii@yahoo.com or John Sykes at sykfam1@yahoo.com to sign up.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY | WEDNESDAY, SEPT 15TH | 10:00 AM

September is a busy month for the missionary apartment. Would you be willing to give an hour to help clean? Please contact Nancy Hill at 610-626-2086 or nancyhill178@gmail.com

WOMEN'S MINISTRY ANNUAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE | SEPTEMBER 25 | 9AM-2PM

Our speaker will be Laura Sommons; a wife, mother, Women's Ministry Leader, well known Christian speaker, and founder of Lavishly Loved Ministry. Laura will deliver her message, **"Entrusted"**, presenting 3 sessions based on Matthew 25:14-29. The conference is open to all women and all ages. We encourage you to bring a friend, neighbor, or relative to hear her message of how God has entrusted each of us to advance His kingdom. There is no cost for the conference and lunch is included. A love gift will be taken to help with the costs. Please contact Pennie Lochmoeller 610-259-1896 or Loretta Stott 610-996-6089 for more information. *Please register before September 19th online at auc.org/womens-ministry*

SAVE THE DATE:

Women's Fall Dinner–October 15th 6:30pm in Fellowship Hall
Craft Coffee House–November 12th 7pm in Fellowship Hall
Game Night–November 19th 7pm in the Chapel

THANK YOU NOTE

Thank you to those that have anonymously been touched by the Lord to help me in the last couple of months. Your generous gifts have helped tremendously. Since I received help from the AUC Relief Fund in July, I have been able to secure employment and now am in search of a new apartment. Praise the Lord for AUC, the church family, pastors and elders. This church had changed my life and helped my faith so much. Thank you, Donna Hughes
