

## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

### MEN'S MINISTRY: I.M.P.A.C.T.

The Men's Ministry was dormant for the past year or so, but a new "team" is in place to run and organize our ministry to men. We are now called **I.M.P.A.C.T.** (inspiring men to pray, act, connect, and teach), and John Sykes is the leader of the group. We want to be a dedicated group of men who inspire other men to grow in Christ through fellowship, prayer, planned events, and Biblical teaching. One of our first events is coming up on Saturday, October 12th. We are having a "Meet N Greet BBQ" from 4-8 PM at Burt Carver's house, and we will have food, lawn games, and fellowship. The deadline to let us know if you will be able to come is October 6th. For more information, please contact John at 610-535-5457 or sykfam1@yahoo.com or stop at the Men's Ministry Toolbox across from the Nursery.

## MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

### WARREN & BARBARA DAY

"Minnesota never really had a summer, but we did enjoy some nice days. Are we eager to see the weather change? - not yet!!! There have been several significant changes over the summer. Warren finished his radiation and hormone treatment for prostate cancer. We are waiting until October when they will do testing to find out if it was effective. Barb was elected to the board of our neighborhood association which has kept her quite busy, but more importantly, given her an opportunity to know all of the neighbors and build relationships with them. Last week we received the news that the Som ministry Warren has been in for 5 years was closing. He is going to be making contact with "Abe" and hopes to continue that relationship. In the meantime we are looking for other ministries in need of help. We are very thankful for the opportunities we have had to meet and build relationships with our Som students. We are grateful for the chance Barb has to develop deeper relationships with our neighbors. Pray for God's guidance as we seek new avenues of ministry with refugees. Pray with us that Warren will not need any further cancer treatment when we get test results in October. We pray the Lord will bless your endeavors in these coming months." *If you would like to send a note to Warren & Barb, please e-mail them at 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 Romans 6:23 - "For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."

### SMALL GROUPS FOR ADULTS

If you are interested in joining a small group this Fall, check out the Small Groups brochure located in the racks outside of each Sanctuary door and in the Information Center on the wall just outside the back of the Sanctuary. If you are a member and you are interested in organizing or leading a new small group, contact Pastor Kevin at kevin.brock@auc.org or 610-259-8010.

### MUSIC: CANTATA CHOIR STARTING

If you are between the ages of 14 and 101 and can carry a tune, **the AUC Choral Ministry wants you!** You don't have to be a trained vocalist to take part in the Choir. If you've never been in the ministry, following a brief meeting with Pastor Joe (*the interim choir director*), you too can be a part of the Choir at AUC! The **Christmas Musical Choir** will begin rehearsing with our traditional Saturday kick-off on **October 5th at 9:30 AM** in the Choir Room, where we will listen to recordings of the Christmas anthems, hear the narrative, and sing a bit together. After that, rehearsals will be on Thursday nights from 7:30-8:30 PM with our performance on Sunday, December 22nd. Come on out for more information.

### MINISTRY HELP NEEDED

**AWANA** needs leaders and helpers on Sunday evenings. Contact Rob Burton at 610-558-8779 or rlrsturton@verizon.net.

**Kindergarten Dept. in Bible School** needs someone to help oversee the department. Must be a member. Contact Pastor Kevin for more information (kevin.brock@auc.org).

**Ushers:** Could use two more ushers in both the Contemporary and Traditional services. Contact Bill Todd (610-544-2343 or famtodd4@comcast.net).

**Xtreme Xplorers** is in need of men who can commit to participating on Monday evenings. Contact Bruce McCollum at bdm151121@gmail.com or 610-717-2891.

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Join us in supporting Operation Christmas Child by packing a shoebox! There's an information table in the main hallway across from the nursery where you can get packing lists, a box, and other great info. You can pack a box yourself, with your family, your Bible School class, and/or your small group! Deadline to turn in boxes is Sunday, November 17th.

## SERMON RECORDINGS

Audio recordings of the Sunday sermons are available (to listen to or download) by clicking on the "Sermons" link under the "Media" tab on [www.auc.org](http://www.auc.org). Alternatively, to get a copy of a sermon on CD, please fill out a Request Card that can be found in each pew rack and put it in the "Worship Service Recording Request Cards" box located at the Welcome Center outside of the back of the Sanctuary

## MEN'S MINISTRY

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

Our teacher in October will be David Grainge. Coffee is provided.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

### MOMS IN PRAYER KICK-OFF MEETINGS

*Start with Prayer!* We are starting a "Moms in Prayer" group here at Aldan Union Church, and want to invite you to have a profound impact on your children and their schools through a time of prayer with other moms, grandmoms, aunts, etc. Entire communities are transformed when moms gather to pray to the only One who can change a human heart. Learn more about "Moms in Prayer", connect with friends, enjoy a time of fellowship, prayer and encouragement and dessert on Monday, September 30th, 7:00-8:30 PM in the Chapel. "Moms in Prayer" will meet the 2nd and 4th Thursday mornings and the 1st and 3rd Monday nights of each month. To get more details about this important ministry, contact Lysa Burton at 484-995-5165 or [rlrsburton@verizon.net](mailto:rlrsburton@verizon.net).

### NEW LIFE GROUP STARTING IN OCTOBER

We are excited to announce that a new Life Group will be starting on Wednesday, October 9th. This group will meet from 7:15 to approximately 9 PM and is open to women of all ages. If you are interested in being a part of this group, please contact Molly Olshefsky ([molshefsky@gmail.com](mailto:molshefsky@gmail.com) or 610-766-1221).

## SIDE BY SIDE

Be in prayer about your participation in our mentoring ministry this year which will begin on November 17! Ask God who it is He would have come alongside you for a six-month period so that you both "may be mutually encouraged by each other's faith" (Romans 1:12). Sign-ups will begin next Sunday, throughout the month of October, and will end the first Sunday in November.

### WM FALL DINNER | TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22 | 6:30 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Our Fall Dinner will be October 22nd at 6:30 PM in Fellowship Hall. Our speaker will be Nancy Roskowski. Stop by the Women's Ministry table to register. Cost is \$10 and all women are welcome. Looking forward to seeing you there!

### CRAFT COFFEEHOUSE | SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26 | 9:30 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for a Craft Coffeehouse on Saturday October 26th for a jewelry making class. Liz Coates Steele will be the leader, and you will learn various techniques and create your own personally designed piece of jewelry. Come to Fellowship Hall at 9:30 AM for coffee and chatting. Class begins at 10 AM. Register at the Women's Ministry table.

## STUDENT MINISTRY

### HIGH SCHOOL FALL RETREATS | REGISTER TODAY

The retreat will take place October 11th-13th at High Point Camp. Cost is \$145. Registration Deadline: **today**. A \$20 deposit is required to hold your student's spot. Scholarships are available. Registration and more info at [auc.org/students](http://auc.org/students).

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**FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF ::** Al & Doris Irwin, Parents  
**REMEMBERED BY ::** Elaine Irwin

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