

## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

### GIVING

Here in the office we have been working on making some updates to the systems of the church as well as implementing a new software system. Some of the updates are to the way the congregation can give. First we have reset the envelope number system, and almost everyone's number has changed. This was done to help the future orders of envelopes each year. Secondly we have created a new online giving system through Church Center for those who prefer to make contributions online. There are two ways to use the system, either via the website or via the Church Center app. When using the **website** you can split your donation to various funds in one transaction and specify the funds you intend the donation to go toward. When using the **app** you can make a single donation each time, these donations cannot be split among the various funds. You can set up either a recurring donation or a one time donation. If you have any questions please contact the church office. (office@auc.org or 610-259-8010)

## MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

### CALEB AND KAYLAH OLSHEFSKY

Thank you for your prayers for us and our ministry. Our home is an exciting place! Zion is talking more than ever. Judah is singing all over the place. And, we are eagerly awaiting the arrival of our third child, a son, in December! We pray he comes on time or early because we have a ministry conference we hope to attend in early January. Please pray for safe delivery. Also, pray for the fruit of the conference we had at the end of October! Pray that the seeds of the gospel planted there would reach good soil and bear much fruit in our ministries on campus. Finally, please praise the Lord with us for the energy and momentum so far this fall; we've heard many stories of students investigating Jesus for the first time! *You may send a word of encouragement to Caleb and Kaylah at [colshiefsky@gmail.com](mailto:colshiefsky@gmail.com)*

To learn more about the 50+ missionaries we support, check out our Missionary Wall located in the hallway between the Sanctuary and the Gym.



### SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION: NOVEMBER

Psalm 46:1 - "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY GAME NIGHT | FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19 | 7:00 PM | CHAPEL

Women of all ages are invited. Join us for a night of friendly competition, guaranteed laughter and, of course, snacks to insure you won't run out of energy! This is a great opportunity to meet new friends and connect with old friends. Please sign up at the Women's Ministry table.

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD PACKING PARTY | SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20 | 10:00 AM

We are now collecting items! Visit the Operation Christmas Child website for information on what to bring. Then we will be having a family packing party to pack the shoeboxes. It will be a good time of serving the Lord with your family and with the body of Christ!

### NEIGHBORHOOD CHRISTMAS OUTREACH | SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20 | 1:00 PM

After the Packing Party your welcome to stay for lunch and then we will go into the community of Aldan and pass out our special postcards listing all our Christmas events! We have routes planned and we will go door to door inviting the community to spend some time with us over the Christmas season.

### THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE | WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24 | 7:00 PM

In addition to singing and reading God's Word together, there will be an opportunity to share something about God that you're personally thankful for. Children of all ages will remain with their families for this service.

### CHRISTMAS MISSIONARY GIFTS

Each year our Missionary Committee sends Christmas gifts to each member of our missionary family around the world. If you are interested in contributing, please designate your gift using one of the pew envelopes or electronically by selecting Missionary Christmas Fund.

### NEW ONLINE GIVING: CHURCH CENTER INFORMATION

You can use the Church Center App or give via the website [auc.churchcenter.com/giving](http://auc.churchcenter.com/giving). Log in with your phone number or e-mail and select the give option. It can be recurring or one time. For more information on Church Center, visit [www.auc.org/church-center](http://www.auc.org/church-center). Any questions, please contact the church office.

### **AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM | VOLUNTEERS/SNACKS NEEDED**

Our church is blessed that so many parents entrust their children to us. We have 17 children and hope to have 20. We need help during the homework time, which starts at 5:00 pm until parents arrive at 5:45 pm. The children and parents are so grateful that the homework is done or we discover there is an area that needs further attention. If you can volunteer for one, two or three hours a month, you will be blessed. Also, we could use some packaged snacks, such as cookies, raisins, chips, fruit roll-ups or cups. Pray on it and contact us 484-800-6667 or email us at [AfterSchoolProgram@auc.org](mailto:AfterSchoolProgram@auc.org). Thank you so much.

### **GRIEF SHARE MINISTRY | SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS | NOVEMBER 20 | 1:00-3:00 PM**

Do you know someone grieving? Many people find this time of year so depressing because they are still bound by their pain. Learn how to manage the emotions and changes that occur during the holidays and discover hope for the future. GriefShare at AUC will have a special Surviving the Holidays session in the GSP Room. Feel free to bring other family members and friends or just make them aware of this session. Register at <https://www.griefshare.org/holidays/events/37360> or email us at [GriefShare@auc.org](mailto:GriefShare@auc.org)

### **FALL BIBLE CONFERENCE RECORDINGS**

Recordings from Friday and Saturday are available at [auc.org/fallbibleconference](http://auc.org/fallbibleconference) for those who were unable to attend all or portions of the conference.

### **ISRAEL TRIP | MAY 6-21, 2022**

Have you ever imagined what it was like for the Apostle Paul to establish churches in Macedonia or where was Jesus baptized? If a picture is worth a thousand words, experiencing a place is worth a thousand pictures. Consider joining the group heading to Greece and Israel. Brochures are at the Welcome Center in the Foyer or email Ed Lochmoeller at [edsmail61@gmail.com](mailto:edsmail61@gmail.com).

### **CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL FLOWERS**

It's that time of year again...Christmas Poinsettia Memorials! If you would like to order a poinsettia in memory of your loved one this Christmas, you may see Dianna McCollum in the narthex before or after the morning church service on Sundays November 21, 28, & December 5. 1 plant for 1 memorial is \$10.00. You may pay by cash or check. Please make your check payable to "**Women's Ministry.**" Plants will be available for distribution on Sunday, December 26 after the morning church service.

### **MEN'S MINISTRY**

#### **TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY | 6:30-7:30 AM | CHAPEL**

Our teacher for this week is Sunny King. Coffee is provided.

#### **MAN UP | 9:00-11:00 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 Ephesians.

### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY**

#### **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.

#### **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](mailto:rlrsburton@verizon.net) or 484-995-5165).

#### **ARE YOU PUZZLED? DO YOU LIKE PUZZLES?**

AUC is starting a puzzle exchange. In the lounge there are puzzles if you would like to take or exchange a puzzle, put it together, and then return and pick another puzzle. No need to sign anything out or let anyone know. Any questions call Christine Armentario @ 610-622-2049

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**FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF ::** Walter W. Ward, Beloved Husband and Father  
**REMEMBERED BY ::** Marie Ward and James Ward

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