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NEWS & NOTES

January 24, 2020

To be the head, heart and hands of Jesus Christ, driven by God's love for our church and the world beyond.

NOTES WITH NANCY

Please be praying for the Locke and Cooper families.

This Saturday at 3 p.m. there will be a Memorial service for **Noble Stephens**, father of Gretchen Locke; grandfather of Mark Locke, and great-grandfather of Josh, Abby and Ben Locke. Visitation with the family will be in the Narthex from 1:30 until 3:00 p.m. A reception will be held at Bravo Restaurant.

A memorial service for **Ann Cooper**, wife of Charlie Cooper, will be held on Saturday, February 15 at 2:00 p.m. More information will be forthcoming.

Please mark your calendars in advance for February 26, **Ash Wednesday**, at 6:30 p.m., in the CFC. We will have a soup supper, provided by the Worship Team, followed by a service with communion, renewal of baptismal vows, and ashes for those who would like them. This is a special service that prepares us for the coming season of Lent.

THIS SUNDAY

ADULT EDUCATION "THE WALK"

Date: Sunday, January, 12 (for 7 weeks)

Time: 8:45 - 9:45 a.m.

Location: Hospitality Room

Join Pastor and best-selling author Adam Hamilton and deepen your walk with Christ, as we explore the five essential practices of worship, study, serving, giving, and sharing your faith.

Facilitated by Steve Davis

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

YOUTH PARENT MEETING FEB. 2

This Sunday the youth will have Sunday School at regular time but next Sunday February 2, the youth will not meet, as we will have a parents meeting. The meeting will evaluate how youth group is going and the plans for the rest of the year.

EVENTS IN THE COMING WEEKS

CHURCH TOUR

Date: February, 2

Time: 11:15 a.m.

Place: Meet at the Welcome Desk

Guests, newer members, and long-time members---all!---are invited to tour our wonderful facility on Sunday, February 2. Learn about the history of Southminster as we travel along. Meet Cheryl Hartman, at the Welcome Center, following worship for this 45 minute tour.

SCOUT SUNDAY

Date: February, 2

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: Sanctuary

Please welcome Scout Troops 515 and 516 as they help usher and will be liturgist, for our Sunday Service.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING AND POTLUCK LUNCHEON

Date: February, 9

Time: 11:15 a.m.

Place: CFC

The Session hereby calls the Annual Meeting of the congregation to be held on Sunday, Feb. 9, in the CFC after worship. We will gather for a simple potluck luncheon, and the annual meeting will start as we begin dessert. The hope is that this will be a more relaxed way to

have our congregational meeting. Please bring a dish to share. You can leave it in the downstairs kitchen before the worship service.

BLANKET SUNDAY

Date: February, 16

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: Sanctuary

A Church World Services Blanket provides warmth and comfort for those in need. Your support will go towards disaster relief, which includes blankets, hygiene kits, school kits, baby kits and much more.



PB'N J PUPPETS

Date: Every Sunday

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Community Room

(Proud Believers of Jesus) Have fun learning the art of Puppet Ministry and making new friends. Puppet Ministry performs periodically during worship and church events.

NEEDLES & HOOKS

Date: Every Wednesday

Time: 3:30 p.m.

Place: Hospitality Room

If you have any questions please contact Helen Davis at helendavis@woh.rr.com.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

Date: Every Thursday

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Place: Chapel

"Where the Care Connection Prayer Requests are Honored." Meets weekly in the Chapel. Anyone is welcome. For information, contact Dottie Eggers at 433-1488 or Lois Thorp at 859-0327.

NOTES OF INTEREST

STUDY LEAVE

Pastor Laura will be on study leave, for the APCE Conference, from January 29-February 1.

PER CAPITA – 2020

Per Capita is Southminster's support of the larger church. The per capita amount for 2020 is **\$52.20 per member**. Paying this amount, multiplied by the number of confirmed family members, helps us meet our obligations. Please label your payment "per capita" so it gets posted to the right account.

THE FLOWER CALENDAR

The flower calendar for 2020 is up on the bulletin board in the Narthex for those who wish to dedicate flowers on Sunday mornings. You can email your dedication to Elizabeth Taylor at elizabethtaylor333@yahoo.com. Please send your check or payment for \$40 and mark it "flowers," in the memo line.

WHEN IT SNOWS, please use your own discretion about coming to Sunday worship services.

Unless there is a blizzard, Pastor Nancy will plan to be at the church in case anyone shows up. However, she wants you to do what is best for your safety and peace of mind. If the church is ever closed on a Sunday morning, it should be listed on the website: www.whio.com and on the **WHIO**



TV, channel 7 list of closings. (For information during the week about the office closing or activities being cancelled, please check the same listing.)

CONTRIBUTIONS

Southminster Contributions – 2020*

Period	Budgeted Contributions	Actual Contributions	Excess/ (Shortfall)
Last Week	\$10,591	\$3,195	\$(7,396)
Year to Date	\$31,773	\$26,131	\$(5,642)

* as of January 20, 2020

For convenience, you can [pay on-line](#) at our website

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