



The Good News Weekly

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Clarksburg

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Week at a Glance

- 11/18 Tuesday: **Youth Choir** at 5:15 p.m.
- 11/19 Wednesday: **Bible Study** at 10:30 a.m.
- 11/20 Thursday: **Yoga/Meditation Class**
at 8:30 a.m.
- 11/20 Thursday: **Eucharist at Maplewood**
at 3:00 p.m.
- 11/23 Sunday: **Voice Choir** at 9:00 a.m.
Worship at Christ Church at 9:30 a.m.
with guest preacher, the new
Diocesan Youth Minister, Sara
Gunter.
Coffee in the parlor at 10:30 a.m.
Youth meet with Sara Gunter
at 10:45 a.m.
Christian Education at 10:45 a.m.
Pack Backpacks after Sunday
School.
Worship at St. Barnabas at 5:30

Serving Ministries for November 23, 2014

9:30 a.m. at Christ Church

Chalicerist / Lector: Bill Saviers
Ushers : Carol Johnson and Pam Riggs
Crucifer: Caleb Limbers
Altar Guild: Jean Hardesty and Pam Riggs

10:45 a.m. Christian Education

Children: Kipp Martin
Teens: Anne West
Adults: Guy, Ashley, and/or Luke

5:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas

Lector / Chalicerist: Kipp Martin
Altar Guild: Kipp Martin
Usher : Nancy Cotten

Homemade with Love

26 days and counting!

til Dec. 12-13

So many ways to help!!



Advent Wreath Making Event

Please join us on Advent I,
November 30, following the
9:30 service for our annual
intergenerational advent wreath making event.



... knowing, living, and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Check List

There is a lot planned
for the upcoming weeks.
Don't get caught unprepared.

- Have you returned your pledge card?
- Have you called the church office to let Beth Ann know you will be eating breakfast at the Advent Retreat on December 6?
- Have you started reading *The Handmaid and the Carpenter* in preparation for the book discussions at Thankful Tuesdays on December 9 and 16?
- Have you decided what you are going to make for the holiday bazaar, "Homemade with Love," and made your shopping list to get the ingredients?
- Have you taken time to give thanks for your many blessings this Thanksgiving season?

Advent Retreat

led by The Rev. Dr. Francis H Wade

Saturday, December 6

9:00 a.m. breakfast

10:00 a.m. to noon retreat

- * Save the date
- * Invite family and friends
- * Call church office and let Beth Ann know you will be there for breakfast.

The Rev. Dr. Francis H. Wade, now retired, was formerly the rector of St. Alban's Episcopal Church on the grounds of the National Cathedral in Washington, DC.



Important Dates

- November 27 - Church office is closed for Thanksgiving.
- December 6 - Advent Retreat
- December 8- Vestry Meeting
- December 12 and 13 - Holiday Bazaar
- December 14 - Annual Meeting following a combined service at 9:30 a.m.
- December 21 - Christmas Pageant at 9:30 a.m. service
- December 24 - Christmas Eve Services
5:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas
7:30 p.m. at Christ Church
- December 25 - Christmas Day Service at 9:30 a.m.
- December 26 thru January 2 - Church office is closed.