

**Advent Wreath Making
Sunday, December 3, 2017
4:00 to 5:30 p.m.**

Name: _____
Attending: _____
of wreaths I want to make: _____
Name/Age of child needing Child Care: _____

**Christmas Caroling
Tuesday, December 5th**

Name: _____
Phone # _____
Attending: _____
Return by Sunday, Dec. 3rd

**Forever Young
Lunch at Springfield Place
Wednesday, December 6th**

Name: _____
Attending _____
Return by Wednesday, Nov. 29th

**Christmas Luncheon
December 17th, 2017**

Name: _____
Eating: _____
Return by Sunday, Dec 10th

**Advent Candlelighting
Volunteers**

Please check the appropriate date and time you wish to participate and return by Nov. 26th.

Name: _____
Phone #: _____

- _____ December 3rd
- _____ December 10th
- _____ Dec. 17th (Joint Service)
- _____ Dec. 24th (Christmas Eve)
- _____ 9:15 a.m. Service
- _____ 10:30 a.m. Joint Service
- _____ 11:30 a.m. AWC Service

November 19, 2017:

Total Service Attendance: 129
Sunday School: 84

Financial Figures:

Tithes and Offerings for
Nov 19, 2017: \$5,170.25
Tithes and Offerings through
Nov 19, 2017: \$298,360.99
Needed to meet budget through
November 30, 2017: \$311,050.00

Children's Church for Nov. 26:

Nursery: Vonnie Purcell
Children's Church: Betty & Michelle
Bundrick
AWC: Peter Hill

Children's Church for Dec. 3:

Nursery: Shellie Norris
Children's Church: Matt & Jessica
DeWitt
AWC: Sherry Swindler

Bread Ministry today is Karen
Chasteen

Flowers in the Sanctuary this
morning were placed by Melvina
Busby

**See someone at worship you
don't know?** Be sure to introduce
yourself and say a word of
welcome.

Need a hearing device? Ask an
usher, and please remember to
return the aid before you leave.

Please note: Pastor Mitch's cell
phone #: 944-0416 and e-mail:
drvanmetre@gmail.com

**Aveleigh sermons are on
YouTube!** You can watch Aveleigh
sermons at [https://
www.youtube.com/user/
TheAveleighWC](https://www.youtube.com/user/TheAveleighWC). Thanks to
Michael Coleman, Ray Cheeks and
Dr. Mitch Van Metre for sharing our
message in this way!

FOR OUR GUESTS

WELCOME! We hope that this service will be an encouragement to you. If we can be of special service to you, please let us know. We ask that you fill out the "Connection Card", located on the tear-off section of your bulletin, so that we might have a record of your attendance.

AVELEIGH'S blended worship service begins at 9:15 a.m.; Sunday School begins at 10:45 a.m.; Aveleigh Worship Center Service begins at 11:30 a.m. **NURSERY CARE** is available for babies and young children who may become restless during the worship service. An usher will be happy to direct you to the appropriate room.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETINS are available for ages three through Grade 5 at all entrances.

We Believe: Jesus Christ is the world's singular saving Lord. No one comes to the Father but through Him. The Bible is God's holy Word. Christians are called to live a holy life, which includes the biblical standard of chastity in singleness and fidelity in marriage. Since all fall short of the Glory of God, all are accepted

THIS WEEK'S OPPORTUNITIES

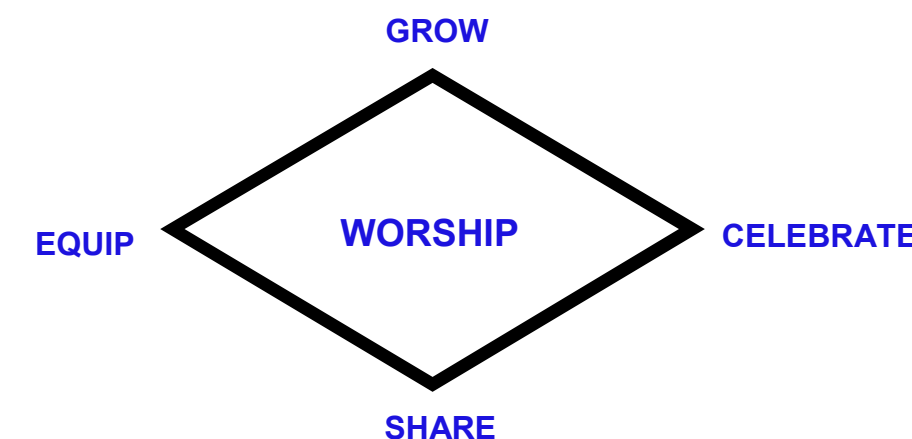
Sun (11/26)	8:45 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 5:15 p.m.	Abraham Prayer Partners Worship Service Sunday School AWC Service Aveleigh Ringers
Tues (11/28)	9:00 a.m.-Noon 10:00 a.m. Noon 7:00 p.m.	Mother's Morning Out Chapel Prayer Group Lewis Davis Men's Bible Study Women's Bible Study
Wed (11/29)	5:00 p.m. 5:15 p.m.	Aveleigh Singers Christmas Choir

NEXT WEEK'S OPPORTUNITIES

Sun (12/3)	8:45 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Abraham Prayer Partners Worship Service Sunday School & Advent Adventure AWC Service Advent Wreath Making
Tues (12/5)	9:00 a.m.-Noon 9:15 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Noon 4:00 p.m. 4:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Mother's Morning Out Young Women's Bible Study Chapel Prayer Group Lewis Davis Men's Bible Study Advent Wreath Making Caroling-Springfield Place Women's Bible Study
Wed (12/6)	11:50 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Lunch-Springfield Place Aveleigh Singers

Aveleigh Fellowship of Presbyterians

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www.aveleigh.org
November 26, 2017



**Our mission is to ...
CELEBRATE God's presence
GROW closer to God's Son
EQUIP God's people
SHARE God's Good News**

Aveleigh Fellowship of Presbyterians

Christ the King Sunday
November 26, 2017

Prelude “Fanfare Acclamation on MAJESTY” Thallander/Wilkin

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

***Hymn #370** “Rejoice, the Lord Is King”

*Affirmation of Faith -

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the Church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting, Amen

Gloria Patri

Prayer of Confession and Lord’s Prayer

***Hymn #10** “Majesty”

Reading: Isaiah 62:1-7 pg. 802

***Hymn** “When the Stars Burn Down”

Children’s Message: The children of the congregation are invited to come to the front of the sanctuary for the Children’s Message. Children, three years old (and potty trained) through kindergarten, are invited to attend Children’s Church at this time.

Offertory “Jesus Shall Reign!” Ore

***Doxology and Fourth Stanza of “America”**

Reading: Revelation 19:11-16 pg. 1339

Sermon: “Who Is At The End Of The Circle?”

Rev Dr. Mitch Van Metre

***Hymn #45** “Crown Him With Many Crowns”

Benediction

Postlude Variations on DIADEMATA

Aveleigh Worship Center

Welcome and Announcements

“Oh Praise Him” David Crowder Band

Silent Prayer

“No Other Name” Joel Huston and Jonas Myrin

Children’s Church Dismissal (three years old - kindergarten)

Offering

Action/Sharing

Prayer Requests

Reading: Is. 62:1-7 pg. 802 & Rev. 19:11-16 pg. 1339

Sermon: “Who Is At The End Of The Circle?”

Rev Dr. Mitch Van Metre

“Lord I Lift Your Name On High” Mark Hayes

Prayer

Challenge and Dismissal

Announcements

Christmas is on the way! Let’s remember our friends at Presbyterian Communities again this year with our gifts of love and care. A list of needed items is included in this bulletin and also located on the table outside of the church office. Deadline is Sunday, December 3rd.

Aveleigh’s **Advent Wreath-making** will be held on Sunday, December 3rd in Truesdell Hall (gym) anytime from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to come and make their own Advent wreath (the cost is \$3 per wreath. Bring a pie tin and snippers if you can). **Childcare can be provided if requested** by Wednesday, Nov. 29th. If interested in participating, fill out the Connection Card found in today’s bulletin and then place it in the offering plate or return it to Cindy, Aveleigh’s DCE.

This year our **Advent Adventure** for children ages 3 through High School, will take place on Sunday, December 3rd, during our Sunday School hour (10:45 a.m.). They will be participating in an Advent lesson, craft and service project.

Aveleigh friends and family are invited to come **Christmas caroling** on Tuesday, December 5, and help spread some Christmas cheer to our residents at Springfield Place. If interested in attending, we will be meeting in the parking lot of Springfield Place at 4:15 p.m. Please sign up (by Dec. 3rd) on the Connection Card in today’s bulletin so Ginny will know how many caroling sheets to prepare. For more information, contact Ginny or Cindy at 276-3534.

Forever Young will be having lunch at Springfield Place on Wednesday, December 6th and then sing a few Christmas carols for some of our Aveleigh residents there. The cost will be \$5.50 per person (pay there and please bring correct change). We’ll meet at Springfield Place at 11:50 a.m. (NO BUS) and then have lunch at 12:00 p.m. Springfield Place **needs a count for the food by Wednesday, Nov. 29th**. If you cancel after Nov. 29th, payment for the meal cost will be required. Please fill out the Connection Card found in this week’s bulletin to make a reservation.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Sunday, Dec. 17th - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship & Christmas Musical
11:30 a.m. Luncheon
Sunday, Dec. 24th - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship & Children’s Christmas Program
6:00 p.m. Candlelight Service
Sunday, Dec. 31st - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship

Aveleigh’s **Advent Candle Lighting** is a special tradition where each Sunday in Advent and on Christmas Eve night various individuals light the candles on our Advent Wreath to help us remember our patient waiting and preparation for the coming of Jesus Christ. We need volunteers to participate in both services. The script is provided. Volunteers will read it in front of the congregation. If interested, please fill out the Connection Card in today’s bulletin and then place it in the offering plate or return it to Cindy, Aveleigh DCE, by Sunday, November 26th.

ATTENTION ALL CHILDREN OF AVELEIGH:

Would you like to participate in an old-fashioned Christmas Pageant in the Christmas Eve Morning program? We also need adult helpers. Contact Betty Bundrick: 364-3047

The Angels are here! The angel tree is up and ready for you to choose your own personal angel to make his or her Christmas as blessed and memorable as possible. These children have a parent in prison and need extra love during this special season. Please keep your gift around \$20.00-\$25.00 since there might be several children in the same family. If you are willing to help deliver these gifts, please let Pat Ehney know ASAP. Return wrapped gifts by December 17th.

Aveleigh is having a **Luncheon** on Sunday, December 17th. Lunch will be immediately following our Joint Service Christmas **Hymn Festival** at 10:30 a.m. **Note** there will be no AWC Service this day, and **Sunday School** will be at **9:30 a.m.** See the Connection Card in today’s bulletin to sign up by Sunday, Dec. 10th. Pastor Mitch’s Luncheon team is serving turkey, gravy, dressing, all of the trimmings and pumpkin pie for dessert. Cost is \$7 per person (children 12 years and younger eat free).

Sunday, January 7th is our **annual service of ordination and installation** of new church deacons and elders and Aveleigh’s first communion service for 2018. Sunday School will begin at 9:30 a.m. Communion service will be at 10:30 a.m. followed by a “Get to Know New Officers” lunch in Truesdell Hall.

Ushers for November are Chuck Counts & Beverly Summer
Elder for November is Rita Yarbrough

Connection Card

Welcome to Aveleigh

If you are visiting with us, we welcome you as our guest.

Please fill out the Guest Information and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

GUEST INFORMATION

Date _____

Name _____

Street _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone # _____

Email _____

___ Guest

___ I am a student.

___ I am a new resident.

___ I wish to become a member of Aveleigh.

___ I would like to talk with someone about the Christian faith.