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Church of the Holy Apostles and the Mediator

December 2010



Updates From the Senior Warden



- As we have over the past few years, we will move worship service to the Chapel. With the exception of holiday and special celebrations, we will remain in the Chapel until early spring.
- The Sanctuary doors as well as the HAM wooden sign will be back home in the next week or so. Keep your eyes open for it. A special thanks to the ECW for dedicating resources to make this improvement happen.
- There will be no service on Christmas Day. There will be a service on Christmas Eve as well as the Sunday after Christmas, December 26th.

Advent Bible Study and Dinner Schedule

12/1 Vestry

12/8 Roundtable

12/15 DOK & ECW

12/22 GFS

Study Leader, Evangelist Sonya Furlow

Offering Envelopes



Money Counters December



12/5 Janis Moore, Marit Anderson, Pat Peterson

12/12 Everett Gillison, Boima Sonni, Byron Golson

12/19 Udean Morris, Adele Thomas

12/26 Angela Thompson, Iola Harper, Clare Nelson

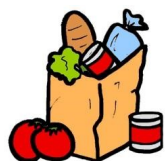
DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



- 2 Chiugo Aghedo
- 4 Kara Davis
- 10 Falika Allen-Morris
Ernest Thomas
- 11 Alyce Marsh
Leslie Esdaile
- 12 Samson Osuagwu
- 13 Patience Osuagwu
- 14 Sandy Fowler
Dorothy Benson
- 17 Katanya Gillison
Loren Murray

- 18 Kimberly Seay Jones
- 19 Stephanie Shands
- 21 Maurine Lawson
Christopher Ingram
- 22 A. Rae Williams
- 23 Ebony Griffin
- 28 Zorey R. Wickham
- 29 Carrie J. Morris
- 30 Estelle Bell
- 31 Yolanda Cox Fraser

Food Cupboard Outreach



The Food Pantry is seeking donations for Christmas outreach baskets to be distributed December 22nd. Especially needed are frozen turkeys or roasting chickens, canned sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce and stuffing. Anything else that will make the holiday special for those who need it is appreciated. Spread some love!

Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, December 11th
10:00AM—4:00PM



Entertainment



Soul Food Cafe



Advent Bible Study

Advent Bible Study begins Wednesday, December 1st at 6:00PM. The weekly study, facilitated by Evangelist Sonya Furlow, will focus on the different aspects of prayer. The series continues December every Wednesday through December 22nd.



12/6 - Vestry

12/13 - ECW

12/20 - BOSA

12/27 - DOK

Lector Schedule December 2010

5 - Joshua Miller & Tyler Robinson

12 - Pat Peterson & Sharida Gillison

19 - Everett Gillison & Richard Warner

24 - Open - Christmas Eve

Jazz On A Sunday Afternoon



Jazz on a Sunday Afternoon

Featuring

Saxophonist Tim Warfield

**Sunday, December 12, 2010
2 o'clock until 4:30 p.m.**

At
**The Church of St. Andrew and St. Monica
36th and Baring Streets
Philadelphia, PA 19104
(215) 222-7606
The Reverend Samuel Adu-Andoh, Ph.D., Vicar**

Donation: \$20

**for ticket information, please contact
Oris Stuart (267) 235-6061
Sharon K. Webster (856) 986-7757
Julia Conway (610) 940-2614**

Transportation Ministry



For van services and Sunday rides please call Janis Moore:
215-471-0815 (Home)
267-322-8795 (Cell)

Life is A Constant Advent Season



Life is a constant Advent season: we are continually waiting to become, to discover, to complete, to fulfill. Hope, struggle, fear, expectation and fulfillment are all part of our Advent experience.

The world is not as just, not as loving, not as whole as we know it can and should be. But the coming of Christ and his presence among us—as one of us—give us reason to live in hope: that light will shatter the darkness, that we can be liberated from our fears and prejudices, that we are never alone or abandoned.

May this Advent season be a time for bringing hope, transformation and fulfillment into the Advent of our lives."

<http://www.appleseeds.org/christmas-quotes.htm>

AFRICAN SUNDAY



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Sunday- Holy Eucharist Services: 10:00 AM Sung Mass
1st Tuesday- Noonday Eucharist & Healing Service
3rd Tuesday- Noonday Eucharist
Wednesday- Advent Bible Study & Light Supper, 6:00PM

Memorials

Mildred L. Dornheim	12/13/80	David Thompson	12/31/92
Mary K. Kawata	12/16/80	Richard Carmichael	12/25/92
Juliet Allen	12/1/81	Wendell E. Collins	12/3/94
Helen L. Peterson	12/13/84	Colleen L. Morris	12/19/97
George MacLean	12/25/91	Lloyd A. Hill	12/2/98

Wayne G. Slaughter 12/23/00

The Vestry

2011

Byron Golson, Director of Music
Angela Harris-Thompson
Patricia Peterson

2012

Clare Nelson
Sonya Riggins Furlow, Evangelist
Boima Sonii

2013

Everett Gillison
Iola Harper
Janis Moore