



# Welcome to the

# Archbold United Methodist Church

401 Ditto Street Archbold, OH 43502 419-445-5566

Sunday, February 11, 2018

## This Week's Calendar

### Sunday:

- 9:30 a.m. Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Fellowship / Refreshments -
- 10:45 a.m. MS/HS youth class - The Rock
- 10:45 a.m. Faith class - room 203
- 10:45a.m. The Daniel Prayer—Room 201

### Our Upcoming Week:

### Tuesday:

- 9:45 a.m. Women's Prayer Group
- 6-8 p.m. Broadway Beat Practice
- 7:00 p.m. TLC @ Rock

### Wednesday:

- 7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service

### Thursday:

- 7:00 p.m. Leadership Meeting—Rock
- 6:30 pm Grace Small Group

### Friday:

- 7-11 p.m. Friday's @ the Rock

### Saturday:

- 9-11 a.m. Broadway Beat Practice

### This Week's Birthdays:

- Feb. 13:** Gloria Nusbaum
- Feb. 14:** Keri Grooms
- Feb. 15:** Shane Eicher
- Feb. 16:** Caroline Vonier

### This Week's Anniversary's

David & Carol Rupp

Last Week's Attendance: 80

**Prayer Requests:** Kathie Weaver (Connie Nicolen's sister), Evelyn Rubash (Myrna Wyse's Mother) , Dick Gunn (Rachel's Son) , Sanford Thomas (Audrey Burkholder's father) . *Prayer requests can be written on the tear-off response card attached to your bulletin, and left in the offering plate.*

### AUMC Staff:

<b>Lead Pastor:</b>	Pastor Jim Nathan
<b>Director of Music Ministries:</b>	Susie Slawinski
<b>Director of Christian Education:</b>	April Simon
<b>Office Manager:</b>	Mary Hooser
<b>Ministers:</b>	Congregation

Be patient with us. The two Narthex restrooms are being totally redecorated and refurbished. The several steps will stretch out over a few weeks due to reordering and coordinating schedules. Restrooms will remain functional throughout the process.

Trustees

Easter Alter Flowers will be on sale Feb. 18th and Feb. 25th. There will be many types of flowers to select and different colors of those flowers. The orders can be placed in the Narthex at the desk.

### UP-DATE to Women's Fellowship Activities

#### March 14 - 11:00 a.m. PI Day with Pastor Jim & Jami

Typically "PI" is a mathematical symbol  $\pi$  (3.1415), but we will claim the day for "PIE" and enjoy it in a variety of ways. Lunch with Pastor Jim and Jami.

April 24-1:15pm BINGO at Fairlawn Our turn to host bingo for the residents at Fairlawn. Approximately 8 volunteers will be needed.

May 9, 10 & 11: Thrift Sale: ALL HANDS ON DECK! Set up will be May 7-8-9. Sale will open on Wednesday afternoon (the 9th) and run thru Friday. Bag day will be all day on Friday.

Jam will not be meeting on Ash Wednesday, February 14. We encourage all families to attend the Ash Wednesday service in the AUMC Sanctuary.

The JAM kids once again invite our church family to join us for our celebration of love on Wednesday, February 21. The festivities will take place 6:30-7:30 in the Fellowship Hall. We ask those who are interested to please sign up on the sheet that is at the Welcome Center. This is always a wonderful event that our kids look forward to each year. We hope you prayerfully consider joining us!

### Senior Care Group

Next get together will be in March - probably around the 14th.

We can celebrate the passing of another winter. Watch for more info.

**Simon Says**

### **YOU'RE INVITED:**

Route 2G kids would like to invite any member of the congregation who is 65 years or older to attend Sunday School during Sunday School hour with them on February 11th. We will be talking about love and doing a lot of great activities. So grab your coffee and come on down to the basement for fellowship. If you have any questions please contact

**Friday's@theRock:** We are still in need one at least ONE volunteer on Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> and for the remaining months Mar – May. Please consider spending an evening with us at The Rock! Also, we are always looking for donations of games, cards, pop, water and candy. As I've mentioned before, our supplies have dwindled and the games we do have are either missing pieces, missing cards, or well-used. If you are able to help, please let me know!

**High School Sunday School:** We are meeting this Sunday – we are starting a new series, so even if you haven't joined us yet, it is NOT too late to start now.

**Middle School/High School Groups:** We are full speed ahead in our preparations for Ash Wednesday. ***PLEASE NOTE: YOU ARE REHEARSING AGAIN THIS SUNDAY*** for the service during your regular Sunday school time. We will meet for Ash Wednesday's service on the 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary. Please remember to practice your speaking parts – SLOWLY AND LOUDLY.

### **ALL PARENTS OF JAM, RTG, MIDDLE SCHOOL, AND HIGH SCHOOL**

Hopefully by now, you have received a parental, certification, and medical authorization form from the church. This form is extremely important to have on file, with the most up-to-date information available, in the event of a medical emergency, field trips, mission work, etc. If you have not received a form, please either request one from Susan Cheeseman or April Simon. When you complete the form, please return them to April. If you have any questions, feel free to ask Pastor Jim or April.

### **Prayer Partner Gathering #2**

Thank you to everyone who came and participated in our second gathering for the year. We all enjoyed a delicious meal, crazy back-to-back drawings, an insightful discussion, and prayerful one-on-one time with our partners. Communication is key! Don't forget to plan a time and space for yours!

