

CONNECT

We're Glad You're Here!

We want to know who we are connecting with so we can serve you better. Please complete the front and back of this slip and drop it in the offering plate. If you have filled one out before, simply write your name and any new information.

Names: _____

Children: _____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (h) _____

(w) _____

(cell) _____

E-Mail address: _____

This is an address change

This is your: First Time Second Time

Third Time Fourth Time

Reg. Attender Member

Are you: Married Single

Single again Widowed

Age Group: Under 18 18-22

23-30 31-35

36-40 41-50

51-60 60+

How did you hear about Valley?

Drove by Newspaper

Yellow Pages Friend

Website

Other _____

Visiting with _____

Please contact me about a visit from the Pastor.

Valley UMC
Worship Service
5:00 p.m. December 15, 2018

***OPENING PRAISE** "Glory (Let There Be Peace) Christmas"
"Joy to the World"

WITNESS IN MUSIC A Joyful Noise Bell Choir
"Jesu, Sleep In Heavenly Peace"

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH Lynelle Meyer
"Silent Night"
"Angels We Have Heard on High"
"Winter Snow"

MESSAGE "Rejoice, Be Joy-filled" Gary Forster
Isaiah 35:1-2, Luke 1:46-47, Philippians 2:2-4

JOYS/CONCERNS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CLOSING PRAISE** "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"
"Carols in Three"
"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

CLOSING PRAYER

Worship has ended.....now the service begins!

***Please stand as you are able.**

"Rejoice, Be Joy-filled"



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Calendar

Today, Sunday, December 16, 2018-Third Sunday in Advent

9:00 a.m.	Worship Service Christmas Cantata	Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.	Fellowship Time	St. Andrews Hall
10:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School	Downstairs
10:30 a.m.	Adult Sunday School	Downstairs-Yth Rm
10:45 a.m.	thrive UMC Worship	Sanctuary

Monday, December 17, 2018

7:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts	St. Andrews Hall
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Tuesday, December 18, 2018

6:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts	Downstairs
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Wednesday, December 19, 2018-Deadline for Sunday Bulletins

4:00 p.m.	Prayer Group	
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Thursday, December 20, 2018

6:30 p.m.	Blue Christmas Service	Sanctuary
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Friday, December 21, 2018

Saturday, December 22, 2018

5:00 p.m.	Contemporary Worship Service Meal	Sanctuary
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Next Sunday, December 23, 2018-Fourth Sunday in Advent

9:00 a.m.	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.	Fellowship Time	St. Andrews Hall
10:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School Large Group Activity	Downstairs
10:30 a.m.	Adult Sunday School	Downstairs-Yth Rm
10:45 a.m.	thrive UMC Worship	Sanctuary

December COG Item: Shampoo
Place your items in the Mission Corner of St. Andrews Hall

Welcome, Visitors!

Nursery care, large print hymnals, large print bulletins are available by contacting an usher.

Today's Worship Servants: Worship Leader: David Canaday; Computer Operator: Phil Nicolino; Worship Servant: Phyllis Pearson; Nursery attendant: Jaden Vega; Nursery Assistant: Jaci Vega; Church open and close: Lynelle Meyer.

Children in Worship: We welcome your children and are glad you have chosen to bring them to church! Childcare is provided for infants and toddlers up to 5 years of age. After the Children's Message, our nursery attendant, Jaden, will be at the back of the sanctuary to lead the children to the nursery for their special time. If your child is over 5 years of age, there are activity bags located at the back of the sanctuary or pick up one of the Children's Bulletins.

Next Week: Fourth Sunday of Advent. Micah 5:2-5a, Luke 1:47-55, Hebrews 10:5-10, Luke 1:39-45.

Announcements:

Advent Missions: Larry Kies * Women at the Well * Heifer

Blue Christmas Service Thursday, December 20 6:30 p.m.

2019 Pledge Cards: Please remember to turn in your 2019 pledge as soon as possible. You will find extra pledge sheets on the usher table.

Habitat for Humanity: No Room at the Inn has wrapped up with another amazing event to celebrate the birth of our Savior and to help those less fortunate in our community! We are pleased to report that over \$3500 was raised during the three day event and the opportunity to support Habitat continues. You may still donate by making your checks to Valley UMC with "Habitat for Humanity" in the memo line of your check. We will be presenting the check to Habitat after the first of the year. Contact Margaret Forster or Deb Stensrud if you have any questions.

Holiday Gift Cards for WDM Human Services: Help those in our community by placing your donated food gift cards in the basket on the sound booth or if you would like to make a monetary contribution, make your check payable to Valley UMC with Holiday Gift Cards in the memo line. Contact Teresa Cleveland if you have questions. Deadline is **Sunday, December 16** for Christmas giving.

Ministry Opportunities @ Valley UMC

Pastoral Needs:

- _____ I would like information concerning membership or baptism.
_____ I would like to speak with the Pastor concerning accepting Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior.

I would like prayer for:

_____ **This prayer request is for Pastor only.**
_____ **Please share this request with the Grapevine Prayer ministry so others may pray with me.**

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES AND ATTENDANCE AT EVENTS

Valley View Newsletter: Please sign below or on the list outside of the church office if you still wish to be mailed the monthly Valley Views. Remember, you will still be able to pick one up here at the church and/or will be able to view it via the WIND email or on our website: www.valleyumc.org. Contact the church office if you have questions.

Name: _____

Address: _____

If you are not receiving the WIND emails and would like to, please list your email address below:

Email: _____

I Need a Name Tag:

Name: _____

All are encouraged to complete the Connect portion of the bulletin. Please place your form in the offering plate.