



## *The Midweek*

***Wednesday, September 14, 2016***

*From the desk of our Pastors . . .*

A few weeks ago I was on a plane from Detroit into Philadelphia. It was a commuter jet and there were only 50 seats on the aircraft. Since it was about half full, it was an easy boarding process and we pulled away from the jetway right on time. The flight from Detroit is just a little over an hour so the passengers were expecting a quick, painless and efficient flight.

Imagine our surprise when we didn't get the "usual" pre-flight announcements. We got the speech about the "nearest exit possibly being behind you" and the reminder to "secure your own oxygen mask first" but then we got the detailed directions on how to "assume the brace position in case of a crash landing" complete with a rehearsal. We practiced not once but twice. If it was someone's first time on a plane, it would have panicked them completely. It confused the rest of us who basically have the pre-flight announcements memorized. Needless to say, by the time we took off everyone was feeling a little uneasy.

That concern only got worse in-flight because we were slowed down by air traffic control and we looked as if we were going to be delayed by almost an hour. For some reason the flight attendant took it upon herself to get on the radio and explain to the entire plane how we were "going to be late, how being such a small plane with such few passengers we were not a priority for landing, that anyone with connections less than two hours would probably miss them, that if you were going out of the international terminal (like the five people going on to Greece) you were really in trouble" . . . and the list

went on and on and on. The one “positive” thing the flight attendant came up with was “if you are lucky and your outgoing flight is also delayed, you might make it.”

I was shocked. The poor woman sitting in front of me with her small daughter, was panicking because she was from Greece trying to get home.

Than to make matters worse, she had us practice the brace position one more time before landing. In all my years of flying and as often as I have traveled around the world, I have never had a situation like this come up. By the time we were on the ground and at the gate, we were only 20 minutes late. There was an excellent chance that everyone could have made their connections.

Those of us who were terminating our travels in Philadelphia stayed on the plane so that everyone trying to catch another flight could get off first. That left about 10 people holding back on the aircraft and when it was “just us” and the crew one of the other passengers asked the flight attendant in a “rather pointed” manner what she had been thinking to say and do what she did.

“I was only trying to be practical,” she said. “Why try and pretend that everything would be fine when there was such a chance of things going wrong?”

All I could think was that I was very glad to be part of the kingdom of God where the news is all good! Things on the earth are not perfect and bad things happen but the final outcome for those who believe in Christ as Savior is all good. Acts 8:12 says “But when they believed Philip preaching the good news about the kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ, they were being baptized, men and women alike.”

There is a lot of bad news in the world and so many people are trying to cause others to fear what is happening. What a joy it is for those of us who can share the good news of Christ in this world. As we kick off another season of ministries and events in this church, let us all remember that we have the ability to bring people into the light and the way by sharing the good news of what God is doing in this world.

To God be the glory forever and ever,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pastor Henry". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.



*From the desk of our Conference Director Vicki . . .*

## **Prayer as Connection**

Over the past twelve years, we have camped in 32 states in our little pop-up trailer. A couple of months ago, we decided the time had come to trade it in, as the cost to repair it exceeded its value. So, we bought a “couple’s coach” camping trailer, a trailer designed for just two people. On our first camping trip with my daughter, she said: “Nothing says you are welcome here like an invitation to sleep on the table.” Although I grieve the passing of an era of camping with my children, I look forward to continued adventures with Bo. When a friend recently asked how I liked the new camper, I replied: “I love it! I do not necessarily love the camper itself, but I love the experiences it provides.” We can travel to new places and still feel at home.

We used to store the pop-up in the garage, but the new trailer does not fit. So, we found a rental place to store it. Last week, the owner of the storage unit called to tell us that our camper, along with five others stored there, had been robbed. The person took a crow bar to the door to pry it open. The police had apprehended the man walking down the street with a wheelbarrow full of items, from DVD’s to a television. We expected the worst.

Imagine our surprise, then, when we went to take a look at the camper and the inventory of the missing items included: 12 DVD’s, two extension cords, two pillows, a blanket, a little cooler, all of our spices, most of our toiletries—shampoo and soap and shaving items, a chess set, and some canned tuna. Who in the world steals those types of items? Then it hit us: a homeless person steals those types of items. Even though the damage to the camper far surpasses the value of the items taken, we found ourselves praying for this man.

At the police station, we learned a bit more about him. His name is Jason. He escaped from a prison work-release, and possibly was living with a friend or on the streets. Bo and I joked about putting a sign on the trailer saying: “If you need anything in here, please call us and we will give it to you.” Still, our hearts ached for Jason. What struggles was he enduring? What events led him to this point of desperation? Does he struggle with an addiction? Did he ever have a support system to help him make the right choices, secure a job, etc.?

More importantly, we asked ourselves how God wants us to respond to

Jason. Somehow, our lives have been connected, first through this robbery, and now through prayer. What does the Realm of God look like in this situation? Might the Spirit want to use this event to draw Jason away from a destructive life and toward healing and wholeness? What does Jesus call us to do with this connection?

Although we do not have answers yet, we have thought about writing to him in prison. We want to attend his trial, if we are able, to establish a relationship with him. And, we want to gather a community together to surround Jason with support when he gets out of prison again. What sort of support might he need? I can think of a few: counseling, drug/alcohol recovery, education, job training, vocational support, prayer, and a community of people willing to offer friendship, time, and grace to Jason. Since he has returned to prison, we have some time to gather these resources and continue in prayer for him.

His action demonstrates that, although God longs for us to live in community, these communities have become disconnected for a multitude of reasons. Yet, our sense of God's vision for our conference (Connected Christians offering the hope of Jesus Christ to today's world) encourages us to work to reconnect those who feel lost. Jesus explained this desire in Luke 15: 1-10, saying that the shepherd would leave the 99 in the wilderness to go after the lost one. Clearly, Jason has lost his way. But, because of the disconnectedness of our community, which leads some to have much and others to have nothing, we have also lost our way. Jesus invites us to offer hope to those, like Jason, who may feel hopeless and display their hopelessness through their behavior.

So, I invite you to take a prayer walk through your community and the community surrounding your church building. Where do you see evidence of disconnection as a community? Who seems lost and hopeless? How might God be calling you to live differently so that all people might experience the hope of Jesus Christ? What action, specifically, is the Holy Spirit prompting you to take? Let's covenant to pray together the phrase from "The Lord's Prayer": "Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven," as we remain open to the calling of God for our churches to offer the hope of Jesus Christ to today's world.

Blessings on the journey,

***Vicki***

The Rev. Dr. Vicki Gordy-Stith  
Director of Connectional Ministries



GriefShare is a network of 12,000+ churches worldwide equipped to offer grief support groups.

The program is nondenominational and features biblical concepts for healing from your grief.

Learn more about GriefShare at [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org)

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### **GriefShare**

has begun and runs thru December 8<sup>th</sup>  
(barring any cancellation due to inclement weather)

Classes run from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Meets in the Grier Room

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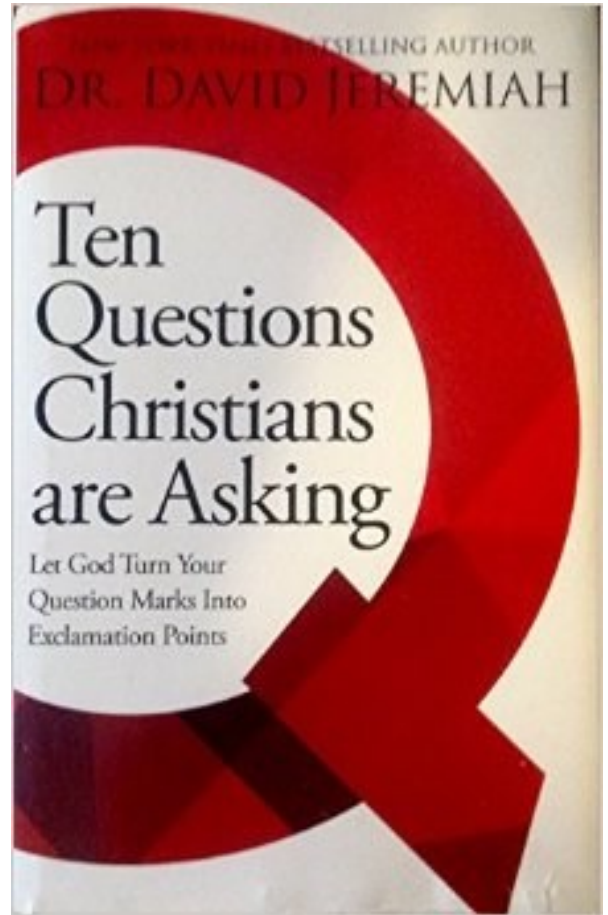




**NEW BIBLE STUDY:** On Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m., a new small group study led by Gary Powers will focus on the book by David Jeremiah entitled “Ten Questions Christians are Asking.” Along the way the group will discuss answers to:

- Is there a sin God cannot forgive?
- Is there only one way to God?
- How can I be sure of my salvation?
- How can I find forgiveness?
- Why don't my prayers get answered?
- What is faith?
- How can I overcome temptation?
- How can I get victory over worry?
- What is the greatest commandment?
- Why do Christians have so many problems?

If you are interested in joining the group or have questions, call Gary at (302) 422-8821. The group will be meeting in the Holzmüller Room.



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Be Inspired ... Be Transformed ... Become

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**Bishop's Dover District Day**  
**September 15, 2016**  
**Long Neck UMC**  
**32051 Long Neck Road**  
**Millsboro, DE 19966**



Please plan on joining us as we welcome Bishop Peggy A. Johnson to the Dover District

**Clergy Session** - will start at noon with lunch and conclude at 3:00 pm

Lunch - \$7 per attendee

*Note: this meeting takes the place of the September Clergy Gathering*

**Laity Session** - 5:00 to 8:30 pm

includes dinner prepared by District Board of Laity



To assist in planning for this event, please respond to [CMyers@Pen-Del.org](mailto:CMyers@Pen-Del.org) by no later than Thursday, September 8th.

If you have any special dietary restrictions please let Cathy know when you respond.

Please specify if your response is for the **Clergy Session** or the **Laity Session** as we need headcounts for both sessions.



# **FALL KICK-OFF**

## **CELEBRATION**

**Join us for the biggest Sunday of the Fall**

**Sunday, September 18**

**Worship 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00**

**Sunday School 9:30**

**Evening Picnic Celebration 5:00**

**Outside on the Lawn**

**Thursday, September 22**

**New Worship Service 6:30**

**Fellowship Hall**

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Join us for a **Fresh Start** this fall as we kick-off  
a brand new year of ministry here at Avenue Church.  
**Sunday, September 18**, is going to be a very special day.

Three choices for worship in the morning,  
Sunday School for preschoolers through grade 5  
and church picnic in the afternoon, featuring DJ B.E.S.T.,  
inflatable games and mini-doughnuts for desert  
made right on the lawn.

Then on **Thursday, September 22**, the new worship service  
starts in Fellowship Hall.

May God bless this **Fresh Start**!





BENEFITS OF A

# *Fresh Start*

AVAILABLE TO ALL AT  
AVENUE CHURCH

**Have you ever thought about what it would take  
to make a Fresh Start?**

**How about a Fresh Start with God?**

Well, if you haven't now is the time! Join us starting on **Sunday, September 18**, as we begin a brand new sermon series on the benefits of a Fresh Start. Let's embrace the grace that God has lavished upon us in this new year of ministry here at Avenue.

**It's time for a Fresh Start.**



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## Be Inspired ... Be Transformed ... Become

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God is Spirit and his worshippers must worship in the Spirit and in truth.

~ John 4:24

In the Spirit of the Lord, Avenue Church is getting ready to start a fourth worship experience. Beginning on September 22<sup>nd</sup>, this new service will be on Thursday evenings in Fellowship Hall. Start time is 6:30 p.m. and will last about 45 minutes.

So what's different about the Thursday program from Sunday worship and who is this for? It's for everyone! While we recognize that some people work Sundays or need public transportation that is not available on the weekend, this worship is not just for people who can't make it to church on Sundays. It's also for anyone who wants that midweek boost of spirituality and fellowship.

What makes it unique is that the service will be more introspective and reflective. The Word will continue to be at the heart of worship but the message will be contemplative. The music will be changing weekly and offer eclectic, new pieces. Some weeks may include acoustic piano and other services might have cultural aspects like instruments or melodies. It's also possible that the music will be a different type of genre altogether. There will also be plenty of time to pray.

Mark your calendars and come prepared to "be inspired . . . be transformed . . . become."

If you are interested in being part of the worship team contact Pastors Wendy or Kevin. Let any of us know if you have questions. God bless you all.

*Pastor Wendy*

*Kevin B.C.*

*Call to me and I will answer you  
and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know.*

~ Jeremiah 33:3

## **PRAY, PRAY, PRAY**

**Saturday, September 24, 2016**

**9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

**Conley's United Methodist**

The theme of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Dover District Revival Prayer Day will be "Why Pray?"

Why do we pray?

Do you pray to be restored?

Do you pray to reach out to the nations?

Let's gather to listen to God's answers!

This day-long prayer session will focus on praise, worship, the teaching on "Why Pray", practice of corporate prayers as we lift up the Church, our country, the world, and one another, along with the Holy Communion and anointing. You will experience the power of prayer and spiritual breakthroughs during this event.

Come, and be blessed to see the Holy Spirit at work in our midst.

**All clergy and laity are welcome to attend.**

### **REGISTRATION FORM**

REGISTRATION FEE: \$5

Lunch will be provided by the Dover District Board of Lay Ministries.

Please enclose check, or money order and **return no later than September 17, 2016** to:

Dover District Office Attn: Cathy Myers, 30 Loockerman Plaza Dover, Delaware 19901

Please call the District Office with any questions at [\(302\) 526-2629](tel:3025262629)

**Please print**

Attendee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note any special dietary requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

# COMING THIS SEPTEMBER TO AVENUE **The Mispillion Children's Chorus**

All students AGES 6-12 years old  
are invited to begin attending  
rehearsals here at Avenue Church

**Tuesday evenings 6:15-7:00 p.m.**

*Also available at the original rehearsal location:  
The Milford Boys & Girls Club  
Tuesday afternoons 4:30-5:30 p.m.*

***NO AUDITIONS!***

***NO FEES!***

***NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!***



*Just a commitment from parents and  
guardians that students attend regularly  
and participate in performances.*

## **QUESTIONS**

[themispillionchildrenschorus@gmail.com](mailto:themispillionchildrenschorus@gmail.com)

Kevin B. Chamberlain (302) 422-8111

Sharon Starling (302) 422-2785



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**HOSPITAL VISITS:** Please help the pastors by calling the church office at (302) 422-8111 when someone from the church is hospitalized.

**ELECTRONIC GIVING** is being offered at Avenue Church. An *Information Sheet with Authorization Agreement* is available on the table in Fellowship Foyer. Simply fill out the authorization agreement and return it to the church office.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** The following dates are available in **2016:** December 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>. If you want to reserve a Sunday please call the church office then call Country Flowers. Flowers are placed in the altar vases up by the cross.

**PRAYER CONCERNS PAST WEEK:** The Clendaniel family, George Carey, Mande Staub, Katie Ray, all affected by Tropical Storm Hermine, everyone dealing with the massive wildfires, Barbara Vederose, Bill and Shannon, Bud Tucker, Linda Scott, our country, all Christians who seek to be mindful of God, Bill and Jill Gustin, for all involved with the Chrysalis and Emmaus weekends, Yvonne Nelson, April McIntyre, Jim Greenly, Colleen Dunham, Joe Burgess, John Siegrist, Bundy Simms, Gale Livingston and family, Shelley Swain, Alice, Frank, Mary, Wayne and Fay Farissier.

**Rejoice with:** Ray Hendrick, Ron Hearn, Bill Combs and the Avenue Pastors.

**PRAYER CONCERNS CURRENT WEEK:** The families and friends of those lost fifteen years ago on 9/11, Barbara Vederose, a family in need of protection and guidance, a son and family who are in Japan, Layla Messick, V. Paul Sherwood, Fran Scott, The family and friends of David Wagner, Sr, Donna Robinson, April McIntyre, Colleen Dunham, Jim Greenly, Our world and country for peace, Upcoming Chrysalis and Emmaus weekends, Calvin Baker, Shelby Swain, Ed Hilligoss, Jacob Kimmey, Joan, Laura, Bernie, For all of our farmers as they prepare for harvest, For the Dufendach family who lost their daughter, B J Ennis, Morgan Vezmar The family and friends of Ila Myers who passed away on Thursday, Robert Mercer, Jerry Jackson, Kim and Mike for God's help, Yvonne Nelson, The Kurlak family in the loss of their daughter in law in the 9/11 tragedies, Bill Gustin and Millie Remick.

**Recently hospitalized:** Charles Clendaniel, Ramie Zeisel, V. Paul Sherwood, B. J. Ennis and Morgan Vezmar.

**Rejoice with:** Morgan Roberts who celebrated her birthday this last week, for God's blessing of each new day and The Nelson family who had a fundraiser last week and raised \$85,000 to fight colon cancer in memory of Bob Nelson.

## WEEKLY MUSIC REHEARSALS:

### ♪Handbells

Mondays at 6:30 p.m., Sanctuary

### ♪MomentUM Praise Team

Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

### ♪ **Mispillion Children's Chorus**

Tuesdays at 6:15 p.m., Music Room

### ♪ **Praise Team**

Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

### ♪ **Sanctuary Choir**

Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m., Music Room

### ♪ **AveNotes**

Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Do you like to sing? Do you play an instrument? If you are interested in using your musical gifts here at Avenue Church please contact Kevin Chamberlain, kbchamberlain@avenueumc.com or (302) 236-1276.

## **SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES/MINISTRIES**

**GRIEF SHARE:** Regardless of the circumstances, grief recovery is a difficult and painful process. If you are hurting from the loss of a loved one, please prayerfully consider attending GriefShare—a Christ-centered, biblically based support group for people grieving the loss of a loved one. This 13-week cycle continues on **Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup>** from 6:30–8:30 p.m., in the Grier Room. Please call the church office for additional information or to register.

**MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY** will resume its study of God's Word on **September 19<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 p.m. with *The Patriarchs – Encountering the God of Abraham Isaac and Jacob*, by Beth Moore. We welcome and encourage anyone interested to join our group. Please call Cheryl Pusey (302) 381-2474 or the church office.

### **TUESDAY MORNING SISTERS' BIBLE STUDY:**

On **September 20<sup>th</sup>** we will begin a 6-week study "Anointed, Transformed, Redeemed" with presenters Priscilla Shirer, Kay Arthur and Beth Moore. Please call Ginny Van Tine (302) 422-4282, Brenda Powers (302) 422-8821 or leave a message in the church office if you would like to join us. We meet at 10:00 a.m. in the Grier Room.

**TUESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY:** A class on Christianity and World Religions will begin on Tuesday, **October 4<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00 p.m. in the Holzmueller Room and will last for 6-weeks. We will be using the book **Christianity and World Religions** by Rev. Adam Hamilton. If you are interested in attending this class, please contact Rev. John Van Tine at 422-4282.

**WIDOW/WIDOWERS/LOST AND FOUND GROUP** will meet Wednesday, **October 5<sup>th</sup>** at 4:00 p.m. in the Grier Room. Come join us. Contact Janice Abbott at (302) 422-1863.

**ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP:** The Alzheimer's Caregiver's Support Group will meet the **2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month**. The next meeting will be **October 10<sup>th</sup>** at 4:00 p.m. in the Grier Room.

**BOOK CLUB:** We will be meeting on **October 16<sup>th</sup>** at 12:15 p.m. in the Grier Room. Bring your lunch. We will continue to read "Finding My Way Home" by Henri Nouwen. New to the group read through page 85. If you were with us last year, then read pages 53-85. All are welcome.

**UNITED METHODIST MEN (UMM)** are proud to serve the first Pancake Breakfast of the year on **October 9, 2016**. Pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, orange juice, coffee and tea will be **served immediately after all three services. A free-will offering will be accepted.** Funds from this meal will help provide a Boy Scout college scholarship to a high school graduate from Troop #186. Other mission projects will also be funded. Join us for a most excellent breakfast and fellowship.

**UNITED METHODIST WOMEN (UMW)** are ready to gather in small group Circle meetings and at large quarterly Unit meetings for the fall of 2016. If you are part of one of the Circles that meet on the third Tuesday each month in the morning, afternoon or evening, that is wonderful. If you would like to be part of a UMW Circle, please just come out to one of the meetings. We meet at 9:45 a.m. (Sarah), 1:30 p.m. (Mary/Martha) and 7:00 p.m. (Esther).

Check the weekly calendar to find the Circle that best fits your needs. UMW is about mission and working to enhance the lives of women and children, in particular. UMW serves, educates, loves God and grows in relationship to Christ. Too busy for a meeting, then consider the electronic circle (e-circle). E-Circle members are informed about meetings, service projects and have an opportunity to be a part of activities when you are able. UMW will be working with the whole church to expand our commitment to our missionaries, Donna and Jonathan Baker in the Congo. We have a new exciting project to participate in. Come join us. If you have questions, contact the church office.

## **OUTREACH**

**THE MILFORD COMMUNITY PANTRY:** The Milford Community Pantry is so thankful for the folks at Avenue who support us with gifts of food, gifts of time and gifts of money. The need has grown over the years and currently we feed over 100 families every month. We are okay *right now* with our volunteer help but I will put the call out if that changes.

Let's make September CEREAL month. If we serve 105 families that means we use at least 105 boxes of cereal! You were so helpful last time we asked so this is our wish for the next two months.

**AVENUE PRESCHOOL** has a limited number of openings for the 2016-17 school year. To be eligible, a child must be at least 36-months old on or before August 31<sup>st</sup>. We are a Star Level 5, Delaware Stars rated program offering a high quality early education experience. For more information contact [office@avenuepreschool.org](mailto:office@avenuepreschool.org) or (302) 422-8111. Be sure to visit our Facebook page and website at: [www.avenuepreschool.org](http://www.avenuepreschool.org).

**MATTHEW PROJECT** is in need of a bed and television. If you can donate either one, please call Joanne at (302) 422-6152.

## **COMMUNITY**

**COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:** *Community Questionnaire*

The City of Milford is in the process of updating the City's Comprehensive Plan that will guide growth and development in Milford for the next ten years. Please share your thoughts and opinions with us by completing the community survey before September 30, 2016. The link to

the survey can be found at the City’s website: [www.cityofmilford.com](http://www.cityofmilford.com) or <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MilfordCompPlan>  
 In addition to the online survey, paper copies are available at City Hall, 201 S. Walnut Street, and the City’s Customer Service Center, 119 S. Walnut Street. Results from the questionnaire will be used to guide discussions during the Comprehensive Plan update process and will be shared with the Planning Commission and general public during upcoming meetings. Feel free to contact Rob Pierce in the Planning & Zoning Department if you have any questions at (302) 424-3712 ext. 311

**CHRISTIAN MART:** The Christian Mart (formerly the Mustard Seed) would like to invite you to stop in to browse the through the new store. More merchandise comes weekly, so come check us out. They are now accepting applications for a few part-time employees. If you are interested please stop in for more information. Located in Airport Plaza on DuPont Highway in Milford. (302) 422-8808

**STOCKINGS FOR SOLDIERS:** *Avenue Church is partnering with Volunteer Delaware 50+* September 11<sup>th</sup> has been designated as a National Day of Service. Sussex Volunteer Delaware 50+ is partnering with Stocking for Soldiers as a project for 9/11. We are collecting requested items to fill the “stockings”, which are personalized for soldiers. We are partnering with other organizations who have agreed to collect. Then we will deliver the collected items to Stockings for Soldiers. Last year they sent 10,000 stockings filled with goodies. The Official collection dates will be from Monday, September 19<sup>th</sup> thru Monday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. (A list of items the table in the Fellowship Foyer)  
 Thank you for your participation in collecting donated items for The Stocking for Soldiers Program. What a wonderful way for us to give back to those that are sacrificing their lives for us! We sincerely appreciate your dedication to this, and look forward to seeing how many items we can collect. Interested in making stockings, please contact Linda Rogers at (302) 381-2571 or at work (302) 515-3020.

**LAST WEEK AT AVENUE**

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|---------------|------------|------------|
| Attendance:   | 2015       | 2016       |
| 8:00          | 57         | 60         |
| 9:30          | 206        | 217        |
| Sunday School | 100        | 63         |
| 11:00         | 78         | 76         |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>441</b> | <b>416</b> |



# CALENDAR

## SUNDAY 9/18

8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship  
 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship  
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship  
 12:15 p.m. Book Club, Grier Room  
 5:00 p.m. Church Picnic

## MONDAY 9/19

11:00 a.m. AA, Wesley Room  
 6:00 p.m. Webelos 2, Room 206  
 6:00 p.m. Tigers, Fellowship Hall  
 6:00 p.m. Men's Emmaus Meeting, Carpenter Room  
 6:30 p.m. Bible Study, Grier Room  
 6:30 p.m. Handbell Choir, Sanctuary  
 7:00 p.m. First State Harmonizers, Music Room  
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts, Fellowship Hall  
 7:00 p.m. Monday Night Bible Study, Holzmüller Room  
 7:00 p.m. Trustees Meeting, Heritage Room  
 8:00 p.m. AA, Room 206

## TUESDAY 9/20

9:45 a.m. Sarah Circle, Mary Jo Lear's residence  
 10:00 a.m. Archives Comm. Meeting, Archives Room  
 10:00 a.m. Sister's Bible Study, Grier Room  
 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting, Conference Room  
 1:30 p.m. Mary/Martha Circle Meeting, Grier Room  
 6:00 p.m. MomentUM Praise Team Rehearsal, Wesley Room  
 6:00 p.m. Covenant Discipleship Group, Wendy's Office  
 6:15 p.m. Mispillion Children's Chorus, Music Room  
 6:30 p.m. Church Charge Conference, Fellowship Hall  
 7:00 p.m. Central Delaware Chess Club, Room 206

## TUESDAY 9/20 [continued]

7:00 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
 7:00 p.m. APS Board Meeting, Grier Room

## WEDNESDAY 9/21

10:30 a.m. Writing Group, Grier Room  
 1:30 p.m. Knitting Group, Grier Room  
 3:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir, Sanctuary and Music Room  
 5:00 p.m. Instrumental Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
 5:00 p.m. Women's Emmaus Reunion, Room 202  
 6:00 p.m. AveNotes, Sanctuary  
 6:00 p.m. Esther Circle, Fellowship Hall  
 6:30 p.m. Webelos 1, Wesley Room  
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal, Sanctuary

## THURSDAY 9/22

11:00 a.m. AA, Wesley Room  
 2:30 p.m. Women's Emmaus Reunion, Room 202  
 6:30 p.m. GriefShare, Grier Room  
 6:30 p.m. New Worship Service, Fellowship Hall

## FRIDAY 9/23

8:00 p.m. AA, Wesley Room

## SATURDAY 9/24

7:00 p.m. AA, Wesley Room

## SUNDAY 9/25

8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship  
 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship  
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship  
 5:00 p.m. Fusion, Wesley Room

*"A Dynamic Faith Community Growing in Hope, Love and Service"*