



The Midweek

Wednesday, October 25, 2017

From the desk of our Pastors . . .

One of the interesting aspects of my trip to Korea was being with a group of people who were all traveling together. I am used to traveling alone but as part of a large contingent it was likely that someone was always in the same place I was. In the airports, at any of our destinations, or while touring some of the local sites, I was always able to find someone who would watch my luggage, backpack or bags so I could run an errand or use the bathroom without dragging any baggage with me.

It sounds like such a small thing but it was so freeing not to lug all my stuff with me when I was navigating around a small shop or standing in line for the ladies room. My goal became to get rid of my baggage as often and as quickly as possible. I also began to strategize about how to leave as much of it back in my room every day.

Isn't that what we do with our own life style baggage? We load our bags with worry, fears, doubts, addictions, heart break and so much more. We think we have to carry it and then wonder why we are tired from the exertion or something hurts because of its weight.

Thankfully, God has promised to take care of all our baggage for us. Not only will the Lord lighten our loads but the Creator has promised us rest as well. Matthew 11:28-30 reminds us to, "Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your

souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.”

Most of what we carry we don't need or want. Just like I didn't have to bring an extra cell phone battery, multiple bottles of water and an electrical converter in my purse when I was wondering Korea, we don't need to drag anger, jealousy, or any of the other negative feeling. When we get rid of the negatives, life is so much lighter.

While I thank my traveling companions for watching my stuff when I was in Korea, I'm leaving all my baggage with God. I know the Lord will carry it for me.

And to God be the glory forever and ever.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pastor Henry". The signature is cursive and fluid, with the word "Pastor" written in a standard script and "Henry" in a more stylized, flowing script.

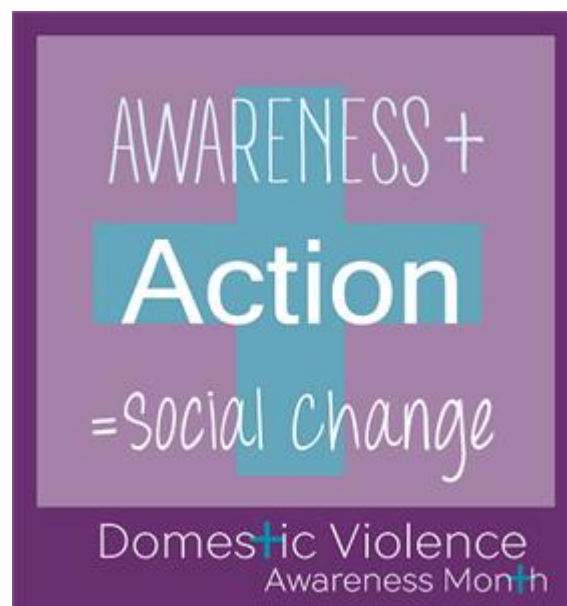
Upcoming Meetings and Reminders

- ◇ Leadership Team Meeting on November 7th at 7:00 p.m. in the Carpenter Room
- ◇ UMW General Meeting/Covered Dish on November 12th at 12:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ◇ Church Council Meeting on November 15th at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ◇ SPRC Meeting on November 16th at 7:00 p.m in the Holzmueeller Room
- ◇ Trustees Meeting on November 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the Grier Room



From the desk of our Bishop.....

Domestic Violence Awareness Month



Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. —Galatians 6:2

October is annually recognized as “[Domestic Violence Awareness Month](#).”

Why? Because of some very shocking and disturbing statistics that more people should know and care about.

Every 9 seconds in the U.S. a woman is assaulted or beaten, according to www.domesticviolencestatistics.com, a website dedicated to educating the public about this terrible scourge.

It's a worldwide problem. In the U.S., 1 in 4, but globally, at least 1 in 3 women is beaten, coerced or abused during her lifetime. And based on reports from 10 countries, from 55 to 95 percent of women who have been physically abused by their partners have never contacted police, safety shelters or non-governmental organizations for help.

Thus, this problem, this burden, is far more devastating—to women, to families, to communities, to

our nation and world—than we know.

So, October is annually recognized as Domestic Violence Awareness Month to shine a light on a very serious, painful but often hidden crisis in our world. In fact, the National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV) recommends this week as a “[Week of Action](#)” in the campaign to end domestic violence.

This problem is not limited to only women. Many men and children are also victims of domestic violence. Sadly, it also happens in clergy families and in the homes of countless lay people in our congregations.

When I served in a local church years ago I was made aware of a serious abuse situation in the home of a family that lived near the church. When I became involved in an intervention I was fearful for my life as well as the life of this young mother and her two small children.

Fortunately for this family there was a local shelter available to help. But I learned quickly that such resources to address this kind of crisis were very limited.

The Eastern PA Conference is forming a Domestic Violence Task Force that we hope will become an official conference committee in the future. The purpose of this task force is to educate our churches about this staggering, hidden reality and to refer people to organizations, services and law enforcement officials who can help.



This is a compelling burden for us all to bear. We encourage churches to have conversations about Domestic Violence and to ask hard questions when anyone suspects that someone is being or has been abused.

We are our brother's and sister's keeper. So, we need to open the eyes and ears of our hearts and extend our hands and our voices to offer lifesaving relief.

[october-is-domestic-violence-awareness-month-island-muse-within-domestic-violence-awareness-month-quotes.jpg](#) Please [search online](#) for more information about domestic violence this month and learn what you and your church can do to shine the light of truth and healing on this widespread problem. And [please let us know](#) what your church is doing or plans to do. Thank you.

NOTE: [Hopewell UMC \(852 Hopewell Road, Downingtown, PA\)](#) will host **Strengthening Families throughout the Faith Community**, “an engaging conference for church ministers, staff

and lay leaders,” on **Saturday, Oct. 21**, from 1:30 to 6:30 PM. This experience will educate concerned participants about ways churches can connect with community resources to support domestic violence survivors and their children.

The [Domestic Violence Center of Chester County](#) (DVCCC) will facilitate the seminar. The cost is \$15, and participants will receive three useful resources:

- DVCCC's The Faith Community Response to Domestic Violence Toolkit
- The FaithTrust Institute's Community Resource Inventory Map
- The Phoenixville Community Health Foundation's Help Book 5

Please [register online](#) today. For information call Courtney, of DVCCC, at [610-431-3546, ext. 134](#). (0.4 CEU certificates are available.) [Download the flyer.](#)

Also, here are links to other recent articles and a video about challenging and helping the church, and men in particular, to offer a faithful response to domestic violence:

[United Methodist Men take on domestic violence](#) by Julie Dwyer (UMNS)

The leadership of the Commission on United Methodist Men recognizes that ending violence against women begins with men. The United Methodist general agency is partnering with AMEND Together, an initiative of the YWCA of Nashville and Middle Tennessee dedicated to ending violence against women and girls. The partnership features an eight-week group series aimed at United Methodist men (that)... aligns perfectly with United Methodist Men's mission to support spiritual growth among men. [Learn more...](#)

[NBA Star Asks Men To End Domestic Violence](#) Former pro basketball player [Shan Foster](#) has seen acts of violence around the world. He now works to [end domestic violence](#) by creating safe spaces for men of all ages to learn about healthy manhood and to discuss their emotions. [AMEND Together](#), a program of the YWCA of Nashville and Middle Tennessee, and the [United Methodist Men](#) have a new partnership that is providing an 8-week group series that will teach men to recognize, respond to and prevent violence against women. Learn more...

[Domestic Violence Awareness Month](#) by Susan Greer Burton, UM Church and Society
October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month. To understand domestic violence, we have to begin to look in — into our behaviors, into our families, into our churches, into our communities and into the policies that impact women and families. [Learn more...](#)

[Domestic violence: We want our churches to be talking about it](#) by Joe Iovino (UMNS)

Introducing a webinar slideshow presentation that church leaders can [download for free](#) and use with their congregations. “Articulating our Theology: Domestic Violence” explores ways United Methodist churches and individuals can work to eliminate domestic violence and minister to victims and survivors. [Learn more...](#)



Peggy A. Johnson

The Love INC mission is to mobilize the local Church and transform lives and communities In the Name of Christ.

Our vision is to see Christian churches united in purpose and fully engaged in actively living out their faith by lovingly serving people in need in their communities.

What is your body part?

Just as the human body cannot function properly unless the eyes, ears, and hands each do their part, so the Body of Christ—the Church—cannot function as God intended without each person doing his or her part.

We are all the Body of Christ and by working together through Love In the Name of Christ, we can each do our part to help people in need see and experience God's love.

Will you be an eye to see neighbors in need and connect them to Love INC? Or how about an ear to listen with compassion? Maybe gentle hands to serve? Our neighbors need arms to deliver food, elbows to do household repairs, knees for praying, and even foreheads to wrinkle thoughtfully in planning. Whatever your skills, gifts, or interests, you can help meet the needs of those who are struggling. You are part of His Body and His work. **YOU** are Love In the Name of Christ.

Yes, I would like to do my part to help people in need see and experience God's love! (Check all that apply)

Talents and skills I would like to share:

- ☐ Help with transportation to job interviews, work, food closets, medical apt., CODE PURPLE SHELTER, etc.
- ☐ Visitation or phone outreach to shut-ins
- ☐ Pray for the Love INC ministry and clients
- ☐ Be a mentor to a person in our community
- ☐ Transport furniture or help with the furniture ministry
- ☐ Help struggling neighbors with their budget (learn a budget technique called Faith and Finance)
- ☐ Volunteer at a CODE PURPLE w/ intake, overnight, fellowship, set/up cleanup or meal preparation
- ☐ Become a B.R.I.D.G.E.S. Community Navigator and help with the Addiction Epidemic
- ☐ Help with Holiday time projects such as Thanksgiving food boxes and Christmas gift programs for the children
- ☐ Other talent or skill:_____

**Love INC Clearinghouse volunteer opportunities:
(Needed Monday – Friday between 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)**

“ Conduct *telephone* interviews with people in need

Contact Information

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone (day) _____

Email or mail these Talent tithes back to our office [302-629-7050](tel:302-629-7050). Mail to P.O. Box 542
Seaford, DE 19973.

The Mispillion Children's Chorus

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

**Tuesday evenings 6:15-7:15 p.m.
in the Music Room here at Avenue**

*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 PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!



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

QUESTIONS

themispillionchildrenschorus@gmail.com

Kevin B. Chamberlain (302) 422-8111

Sharon Starling (302) 422-2785



"Made by Hand Showcase"

Fellowship Hall

Friday, November 3rd

10:30 a.m. thru 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 5th

9:00 a.m. thru 12:30 p.m.

Drop-off Date:

Thursday, November 2nd

8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Proceeds benefit:

Avenue United Methodist Women Missions

A Day To Give Thanks

(Outdoor communion service)

Seating available

Communion will be served by Pastor Tom Pasmore, Avenue United Methodist Church.

Where: 10287 Memory Rd.

When: October 29, 2017

Time: 3:00 pm

PRAISE – WORSHIP - MUSIC

RSVP Welcome

flagstoneproduce@gmail.com

Donny Hopkins

302-349-5252 – 302-381-1083 (cell)



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: If you want to reserve a Sunday please call the church office then call Milford Plant, Flower and Garden Shop at (302) 422-4961. Flowers are placed in the altar vases up by the cross.

PRAYER CONCERNS PAST WEEK: The family and friends of Steve Billings, family and friends of Tom Fredrick, family and friends of Don Meyer, Larry Eisenhouer, Shirley Longmaker, Penny Rodmick, Kevin J., Kristina Perfetti and family, Jacob, the victims of the Las Vegas shootings, the victims of the California wildfires, those in Puerto Rico awaiting aid, Julia, Bill Gaskill and family, Bill's father, Bill and Jill Gustin, Manny, Neil Parker, Chris, Colton, Colleen Dunham, April McIntyre, Christopher, Ruth Foski, Howard Haverkamp, Kirsten Pearce, Charlie Harding, Dave and Sharon Dawson, Kevin, Matthew Wilkins.

Recently hospitalized: Janice Abbott.

Rejoice with: Joe Lear, Bill Salvin, the family of Aubrie Marlana, the family of Issac Calvin, and the 14 new Chrysalis butterflies, all of God's children.

PRAYER CONCERNS CURRENT WEEK: The family and friends of Tom Fredrick, The family and friends of Don Meyer, The family and friends of Steve Billings, The family and friends of Dave Dawson who passed away on Monday, The family of Ruth Foski, age 97, who passed away this week, The family of Howard Haverkamp who passed away this week, Marlene Clark and family, Our preschool and its teachers who are dealing with many issues, Larry Eisenhouer, The victims of the Las Vegas shootings, The victims of the California wildfires, Those in Puerto Rico still waiting for aid, Julia, Bill Gaskill and family Bill's father, Bill and Jill Gustin, Betty Ziesel's son, Sally Winebrenner, Debbie Topolski's cousin, Tom Hanrahan, Neil Parker, Pearl Bock, Craig, Steven Cawby, Leslie White, Leah Faber, The Hanna family, Ronnie Wharton, Collen Dunham, April McIntyre, Kris Lawson, Christopher, Kirsten Pearce, Charlie Harding, Barbara Gallagher, Brady Worthy, Those killed and injured in the Mogadishu truck bombing, and Ginny Clendaniel.

Recently hospitalized: Chuck and Sandy Culotta whose first grandchild Aubrie Marlana was born, Bob and Janet Clendaniel whose first grandchild Isaac Calvin was born, Maureen English, Steve Warren and All of God's children who get to serve him.

Rejoice with: Janice Abbott, Joanne McKay, Mary Ann Sharp and Adie Pack.

SYMPATHY TO:

The family and friends of **Howard Haverkamp** who passed away on October 23, 2017. Howard joined Avenue on October 28, 2012.

The family and friends of **Dave Dawson** who passed away on October 23, 2017. Dave joined Avenue on October 12, 2014..

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.

UPCOMING

A HEALTHIER YOU CLASS: In this class you will learn a) weight loss through Christ, b) detoxification—cancer and c) spiritual fasting. Class will be taught by Bonnie Glenn on **November 8th and 15th at 10:00 a.m. in the Grier Room.** To register, please call the church office.

WEDNESDAY DISCIPLE CLASS meets at 7:00 p.m. in the HolzmueLLer Room starting **October 25th.** Over the next 34 weeks the class will be exploring the Bible. To register, please call Josh Willey at (302) 422-8952.

OCTOBER 31ST SPECIAL EVENT: Avenue United Methodist Church has been invited to receive and host a once in a lifetime event, an exciting event. Our Bishop Peggy Johnson invited Bishop Daniel Lunge and Dr. Adolphe Yamba Yamba from the Central Congo, along with Jonathan and Donna Baker, of our missionary partnership, to share and speak to our congregation and friends. This is a great honor. Bishop Lunge is the newly elected Bishop of the Central Congo where all the projects are happening that Bakers support. They will be at Avenue in the late afternoon and will be served a dinner by UMW and UMM. They will present to us **from 7:00 – 9:00 pm that evening.** It will be an evening full of stories and blessings from these distinguished men of God, our Bishop and missionaries. Be sure to mark your calendar now and plan to attend this event on Tuesday, October 31st evening.

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY: Do you like working with Flowers? Looking for help arranging flowers during services on **All Saints' Sunday, November 5th**. Contact Sandy Culotta at swculotta@gmail.com.

AUTUMN HARVEST SALE: The United Methodist Women Autumn Harvest Sale is coming soon. You can expect to see handmade and home-made items from craft items to wreaths to knitted and hand sew items and cheese. Baked goods are welcome too. It is not too late to start making crafts or handmade garments to donate. Small plants, paintings, boutique type things and jewelry all are welcome. Please contact the church office, Peggy Hughes or Linda Keller to donate. Mark your calendar to come pick up some wonderful Christmas gifts at this year's Autumn Harvest Sale in Fellowship Hall on **Friday, November 3rd (10:30 a.m.—3:00 p.m.) and Sunday, November 5th (after all 3 services)**

SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES/MINISTRIES

UMW BOARD will meet on the **2nd Monday of each month**, The next meeting will be **November 13th**, at 4:00 p.m. in Room 207 upstairs. Please plan to attend this meeting to get all the latest information to take back to your Circle.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: United Methodist Women welcome you to come visit one of our small groups called Circles. Circles meet monthly in homes and at Avenue to do hands on mission work, Bible, book and magazine studies, snack, pray, and enjoy the fellowship and company of other women growing in their faith. Mary/ Martha and Sarah Circles meet the **3rd Tuesday** each month at 1:30 p.m. and 9:45 a.m. respectively. Esther Circle meets the **2nd Wednesday** (new change) at 7:00 p.m. This month Esther will meet on **November 8th** and Mary/Martha and Sarah will meet on **November 14th**, a week early, due to Thanksgiving. Please check the Midweek and the Worship Folder for locations. In addition, there is an electronic circle which receives all the UMW news by e-mail. For more information on any circles, please contact Beth Parker at bparke42@comcast.net or [302-382-5581](tel:302-382-5581). We would LOVE to see you.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD / SHOEBOX MINISTRY IS HERE. If you or a group you are part of would like to pack a shoebox, please pick up information on How to Pack a Shoebox on the Fellowship Foyer table. We have some shoeboxes for you to use or you can use your own standard size one. Pack one nice small toy, such as a doll or stuffed animal or ball and add other small school supplies, hygiene items and toys. NO toothpaste or candy allowed anymore and no liquids or lotions. Decide on a girl or boy, age group and enjoy packing. If you want to support this ministry but no time to shop or pack, then let Brenda Beissel do it for you. Brenda will pack a box for you and will be in Fellowship Foyer on Sunday, **October 22nd** to take your order. She buys items, pays for shipping and donates to Relay for Life. **Every single box must have \$9.00** enclosed (or paid online) to pay for shipping. If you are packing individually, the last day for bringing your shoebox to church is **Sunday, November 12th**.

UMW IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT: The next UMW General Meeting is on **Sunday, November 12th**. We will welcome Craig Warrington who will speak on the needs of the Homeless Children and youth in the Milford school system. Come be informed and learn what

you can do to help. A basket is located in Fellowship Foyer to place items that are needed for the kids. The “yellow” list is available to help you remember as you shop. You might want to pick up shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, school supplies like book bags, scissors, markers, highlighters and folder. Thank you in advance.

TUESDAY MORNING SISTERS’ BIBLE STUDY: . On **October 31st–November 14th**, we will study 1st and 2nd Peter which will be led by Pastor Wendy. Please join us at any time. Contact 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 will meet in the Grier Room at 10:00 a.m.

SUNSHINE ADULT BIBLE STUDY: The Sunshine Bible Class meets at 9:45 a.m. every Sunday in the Grier Room. For October the lessons center on "Called Into Covenant with God." October 29th, "God's Covenant with the Returned Exiles." Come and be part of the exciting discussions on these topics.

EXPLORING FAITH BOOK CLUB meets on the third Sunday of the Month at 12:15 p.m. in the Grier Room. Our next meeting is **December 17th**. We shall continue our study of the “Screwtape Letters” by C.S. Lewis by looking at letters 10 through 18.

ALZHEIMER’S SUPPORT GROUP: The Alzheimer’s Caregiver’s Support Group will meet the **2nd Monday of each month**. The next meeting will be **November 13th** at 4:00 p.m. in the Grier Room.

OUTREACH

MILFORD COMMUNITY PANTRY: We will not be collecting in November and December so we can focus on collecting for Thanksgiving baskets and Chrismon Tree.

AVENUE PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR THE 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR. Registration is ongoing for a limited number of spots for the 2017-18 school year, which is the preschool's **50th** year providing early education services in the community. To be eligible, a child must be at least 36-months old on or before August 31st, unless entering our new "Young Beginners" program--see next section for those details. Registration must be done in person. Contact the Preschool Director, Paula Yeich, and at (302) 422-8775 for information or send an email to: office@avenuepreschool.org. Be sure to visit our Facebook page and website at: www.avenuepreschool.org.

AVENUE PRESCHOOL NEW-OFFER: Children who will turn 3 after August 31st but before December 31, 2017 are now able to register for our beginners program. They will be in our 2 day program that is on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Children must be potty-trained before the first day of school. Children in our preschool program are actively involved in a curriculum that stresses the social, emotional, physical and academic aspects of their development. For further information please see the contact details in the Avenue Preschool section above.

CODE PURPLE: With the Fall chill in the air, we can't help but be reminded that Code Purple will be back in full swing before we know it. We need to begin filling the calendar with meal sign ups now, so that there will be less to worry about when the season begins. Joyce Bonnoni is seeking assistance from the community by reaching out to other churches, business, organizations, and local families. Please consider joining with coworkers, other families, or having an organization that your family is involved in sign up to prepare a meal once, or once each month during our open season, November through March. Meals can be prepared and brought hot to serve, prepared and frozen, or purchased, but should feed 20-25 people.

We are also needing a meal coordinator, and a donation coordinator at this time. If you are interested in sponsoring a meal or filling one of the coordinator positions, please contact Joyce Bonnoni at jbonnonicp@gmail.com or 302-242-8968.

STOCKINGS FOR SOLDIERS: *Avenue Church is partnering with Volunteer Delaware 50+* September 11th 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 11th thru Wednesday, November 2nd. (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.

COMMUNITY

CUB SCOUT PACK 186 is having a fundraiser on **Thursday, October 26th** at Grotto Pizza in Milford between 4:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. The restaurant will donate 20% of each check (dine in or carryout) to Pack 186. Vouchers must be presented and are available in the Fellowship Foyer or from any Cub Scout..

CALENDAR

SUNDAY 10/29

8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal, Music Room
 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
 1:00 p.m. Troop Committee Meeting,
 Grier Room
 6:00 p.m. FUSION, Wesley Room and
 Fellowship Hall

MONDAY 10/30

11:00 a.m. AA, Wesley Room
 6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts, Wesley Room
 6:30 p.m. Handbell Choir, Sanctuary
 7:00 p.m. 1st State Harmonizers,
 Fellowship Hall
 7:00 p.m. AA, Room 206

TUESDAY 10/31

10:00 a.m. Sister's Bible Study, Grier Room
 4:30 p.m. Bishops Dinner—Fellowship Hall
 6:00 p.m. MomentUM, Wesley Room
 6:15 p.m. Mispillion Children's Chorus,
 Music Room
 7:00 p.m. Central Delaware Chess Club,
 Room 206
 7:00 p.m. Celebration of the Congo
 Partnerships, Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY 11/1

10:00 a.m. Dover SLT Meeting,
 Holzmuehler Room
 10:30 a.m. Diabetes Prevention Program,
 Heritage Room
 1:30 p.m. Knitting Group, Grier Room
 3:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir, Music Room
 5:00 p.m. Women's Emmaus Reunion,
 Room 202
 6:00 p.m. AveNotes, Sanctuary
 6:30 p.m. Arrow of Light Den Meeting,
 Wesley Room
 7:00 p.m. Disciple 1 Class, Holzmuehler Room

THURSDAY 11/2

8:30 a.m. Men's Reunion Group,
 Conference Room
 11:00 a.m. AA, Wesley Room
 2:00 p.m. Women's Emmaus Reunion,
 Room 202
 6:30 p.m. Bear Den Meeting, Wesley Room

FRIDAY 11/3

10:30 a.m. Autumn Harvest Sale,
 Fellowship Hall
 5:00 p.m. FUSION Lock In
 8:00 p.m. AA, Wesley Room

SATURDAY 11/4

7:00 p.m. AA, Wesley Room

SUNDAY 11/5 ~ All Saints' Sunday

8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
 9:00 a.m. Autumn Harvest Sale,
 Fellowship Hall
 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal, Music Room
 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
 3:30 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 272, Heritage Room
 6:00 p.m. FUSION, Wesley Room and
 Fellowship Hall

LAST WEEK AT AVENUE

Attendance:	2016	2017
8:00	66	55
9:30	174	160
Sunday School	103	53
11:00	81	66
<u>FUSION</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>42</u>
Total	485	376