

- **Youth Group** - there will be No Youth Group tonight.
- **Church Book Clubs** will meet tomorrow at 10am (Covenant Village) and at 7pm (home of Kathy Martin). Avid readers are invited to join us!
- **Israel Presentation at Covenant Village** - Wednesday, Nov. 28, at 6:30pm.
- **Women’s Ministries Advent Celebration** - Come join us Thursday, Nov. 29 from 10:00-11:30am in the Fellowship Hall for a time of fellowship, teaching and worship. A bus from Covenant Village will depart at 9:40am for the event. RSVP to Betsy Forbes (bforbes@firstarpchurch.org).
- **Congregational Meeting** - Sunday, Dec. 2nd from 9:30-10am to vote on the 2019 ministry budget and to receive an update on the building project.
- **Midweek Advent Worship** - will begin Wednesday, Nov. 28 at 12:15pm and will continue weekly through Dec. 19. Come join us!
- **Dress Rehearsal for Lessons and Carols** - Wednesday, Nov. 28 in the Sanctuary. Children will practice at 5pm. Adults and Youth Choir will rehearse at 5:30pm (children will be dismissed at 5:30 and youth will be dismissed at 6:30). The Chancel Choir will rehearse from 5:30-7:30pm.
- **Service of Lessons and Carols** - Sunday, Dec. 2 - Join all of our choirs and ensembles at 6pm in the Sanctuary for a candle-lit evening of carol and Scripture readings that will prepare your heart for Advent.
- **Girls Night Out** - for Second and Third Grade girls and their mothers! Thursday, Dec. 6, at 4pm - meet at Regal Cinemas to view “The Nutcracker” and head to B.A.M. afterwards for hot chocolate! Respond to: Rebecca Maney (rmaney@firstarpchurch.org).
- **Community Christmas Store Angel Trees** - Pull a tag off of either tree (Elevator Lobby and First Floor Main Entrance); return item or donation to the church office or tree. Our Dec. 12th store needs volunteers! Contact Vicki Marsh (Store Chairman) or Rebecca Maney (Birthday Party for Jesus - for the children of shoppers).
- **Operation Christmas Child** - 337 boxes were delivered to Parkwood to be transported to the OCC Charlotte Warehouse. Your participation with this ministry will put the gospel in the hands and hearts of many children! Our warehouse trip will be Wed., Dec. 5. Adults should contact Leslie Farrar (lfarrar@firstarpchurch.org) if you plan to participate or need transportation. Youth and parents should contact Lynn Haubert (lwhaubert@gmail.com) or Josh Hjenvick (jhjenvick@firstarpchurch.org). All participants must be 13 years or older and have a signed participation waiver.

Welcome to our church community. To receive our newsletter and other mailings, please print clearly and place in the offering plate.

Name: _____ I would like more information about:

Email: _____ Learning about Christianity

Spouse: _____ Becoming a Church Member

Spouse’s Email: _____ Sunday School Community

Children: _____ Journey Groups

Mailing Address: _____ Serving on Sunday Mornings

_____ Please add me to the following lists:

_____ Weekly Email Blast

_____ Monthly Newsletter

_____ Children’s Ministry Newsletter

Preferred Phone: _____ Youth Ministry Newsletter

_____ Ladies’ Circles

SESSION

Matt Kuiken, Moderator	Jeff Morrison, Vice Moderator	Rick Craig, Clerk
2018	2019	2020
Jerry Best	Rick Craig	Micah Bomgaars
Tim Daniels	Mark Forbes	Ellis Fisher
Bill Kelly	Mike Foster	Gene Martin
Randy Mumford	David Jennings	Truscott McLearn
Phil Painter	Ben Morrow	Gary Miller
		2021
		John Connor
		Ken Henry
		Morris Keeter
		David W. Smith, III
		Joe Summerville

ELDERS EMERITUS

Bob Barnhill	Brice Huffstetler
Harry Bryant	Joe Knowles
Tom Campbell	Tete Pearson
Maurice Canaday	Bob Sytz
Charles Ferguson	Joe West
Gene Hanna	Oscar Whitescarver

DIACONATE

2018	2019	2020
Butch Boyd	Russell Cox	Matt Adams
Fred Caldwell	Craig Curtis	Tom Balsom
David Hooks	Todd Friday	Gene Barber
Jim Kelly	Eric Riley	Robert Heussy
Ron Kirkpatrick	Brad Wilson	Frank Hinson
Jack Lear	Danny Wilson	Chris McKay
Bob Rouse		

TRUSTEES

2018	2019	2020
Charles Ferguson	Bob Sytz	Bob Barnhill

CONGREGATIONAL OFFICERS

John Cashatt.....Chairman
Rick Craig.....Secretary
Jerry Best.....Treasurer
Alice Auten.....Asst. Treasurer

FIRST ARP WOMEN’S MINISTRIES

Gayle Goodrich.....President
Jenny Morrow.....Past President
Bonnie Jansen.....Recording Secretary
Alice Auten.....Treasurer

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The members of this church family who, in serving their Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ, extend Deep roots into God’s Word and Wide Reach into God’s World.

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