

ALDERSGATE INSIGHT AUGUST & SEPTEMBER, 2019

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Greetings Aldersgate Family:

It certainly feels a little strange to be here only one day a week and preaching only one Sunday. I have had some phone calls letting me know when you have had illness and, of course, the sadness of Joyce Ramsey passing. I am really glad that you have called and let me know when you are in need of Pastoral care. Thank you. Please keep it up!!!!

I thought that I would do a short reminder about the ministry going forward as a satellite campus of Dayspring UMC. The Teams met on July 22nd and we have added the head of Trustees and the head of finance from both churches. We are in phase two. Most of you received the plan and steps, but it's always good to read them more than once.

Rev. Susan Brims, Our District Superintendent is on medical leave for her knee surgery and recovery.

Phase 2

1. Pastoral Support:

- a. We have a revolving schedule for worship and Martha has it in the office.
- b. I, Pastor Ruth, am the pastoral care minister for Aldersgate UMC and thanks again for keeping me in the loop.

2. Organizational Structure:

- a. Amy Notbohm has been preaching and working making relationships in the community.
- b. Aldersgate maintains responsibility for the AUMC Foundation.
- c. Aldersgate maintains responsibility for our campus/Trustees.
- d. AUMC maintains responsibility for their membership records.
- e. Financial Responsibilities
 - i. AUMC maintains responsibility for AUMC bookkeeping.
 - ii. AUMC maintains responsibility for AUMC Financial Secretary.

3. Next Steps in Planning

- a. Elijah Teams Study book of Discipline 2016 paragraph 2535, 2641.
You can borrow from the church or look up on-line if you want to read these for yourself.
- b. Continue to design and implement plan of vitalization for Share Ministry.
- c. We will need to plan ways to build relationships. Get to know each other.
[ANY IDEAS?](#)
- d. Plan a celebration of Aldersgate Legacy. [ANY IDEAS?](#)

If you have some ideas, write them down and place them in Pastor Ruth's mailbox. See you soon!

Blessings to you all!!, Rev. Ruth



*For August: Sarah Burke, Paula Carmosino,
Faye Mills, Stacey O'Rourke*

For September: LaVon Ulrich, Don Smith

Announcements

COMING UP IN AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER

Every Sunday	Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Every Sunday	Fellowship Hour	12:00 NOON
Every Sunday	Tai Chi Beginning Class	4:00 p.m.
Every Wednesday	TOPS Meeting	9:00 a.m.
Every Wednesday	Men's AA Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Every Friday	Tai Chi First 17 Moves Class	9:00 a.m.
Every Friday	Tai Chi Continuing Class	10:15 a.m.

Ministers for August are:

Chuck Winkler – August 4
Amy Notbohm – August 11;
Rev. Joel Bullock - August 18;
Rev. Ruth Blum - August 25

Ministers for September are:

Rev. Chuck Winkler, September 1
Rev. Joel Bullock, September 8
Amy Notbohm, September 15
Rev. Ruth Blum, September 22
Jim Fountain, September 29

Next Trustees' Meeting is scheduled for August 20th. Next Council Meeting is scheduled for September 8.

Fry's Rewards rebate for 01-Mar-2019 to 31-May-2019 from 16 Households & Total Donations was \$39.34.

Poster found in a Church in France... (translated):

"When you enter this church it may be possible that you hear "the call of God". However, it is unlikely that He will call you on your mobile. Thank you for turning off your phones. If you want to talk to God, enter, choose a quiet place and talk to Him. If you want to see Him, send Him a text while driving."

*Church is a home
away
from
home — for everyone.*

*Yours in Christ,
Carmen*



I want to say
Thank to all of
you for your
loving thoughts,
Prayers and Good
wishes for my
recovery.

I really appreciate
all the love.

Thank You
all.

You are so
Special to me.

Sending lots of
Love

Della Mae

CHURCH OFFICE SUMMERTIME OFFICE HOURS:
SUNDAYS – 10:00 A.M. TO 11:00 A.M.
MONDAYS AND TUESDAYS - 9:00 A.M. TO 2:30 P.M.

Our Children painting the joy rocks on July 7th!



Received this from UMOM thanking us for all the school supplies we collected. Thank you for helping fill basket for UMOM you're light is shining. *Darlene Dominguez*

BACK TO SCHOOL



624! backpacks distributed through UMOM's Back to School efforts!

On Tuesday, July 23, more than 150 families attended Back to School Night! Each child received a backpack stuff with school supplies donated by community members and companies. There were activities all around the gym for the kids to engage in; crafts, reading, games, hanging out with local mascots, snacking on cotton candy, and more. Your support made this event possible, thank you!

Thank you to our donors!

USI Insurance - Viasat - StateFarm - Insight - NYDJ - Cox Communications - Southwest Airlines - Capital - umber - DPR Construction - AZ Family Florist - Monica Stern, CPA - Aldersgate UMC - Liberty UMC - Sage Advantage - Toyota Financial Services - Boys Team Charity - Hayden Building Corp - StrataTech Education Group - Vantage West - Matrix Medical Network - TFS Credit Analyst Phoenix - Devenney Group - Our Savior's Lutheran Church - Tuft & Needle - Garcia Family Foundation - Sante Chandler - Central Arizona Trophy Dealer's Association - Veyo Call Center - Dove of the Desert - BHHS Legacy - Goodmans Interior Structure - Shepard of the Valley UMC - Wells Fargo Women's Group - PV Republican Women's Club


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August 7, 2019

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Dear Community Partner,

On behalf of UMOM New Day Centers, thank you for your organization's recent in-kind donation of school supplies that we received on 7/23/2019.

Your donation will help us to provide the families, individuals, and youth we serve in Maricopa County with access to the basic resources they critically need to help them as they work to overcome barriers and end their homelessness.

We are dedicated to providing immediate basic needs like shelter, food, clothing and hygiene items. Your donation allows us to continue to provide these items and access to services with long-term impact like healthcare, case management, education and workforce development.

Your support allows us to demonstrate through tangible evidence that our families, individuals, and youth are not alone - they are valued, supported and have the community rallying around them as they build their bridge to self-sufficiency.

Thank you for partnering with us as we continue the work we started over 55 years ago to break the cycle of homelessness.

Most Sincerely,


Melissa Steimer
Chief Development Officer

Thank you for supporting UMOM's Back to School efforts!

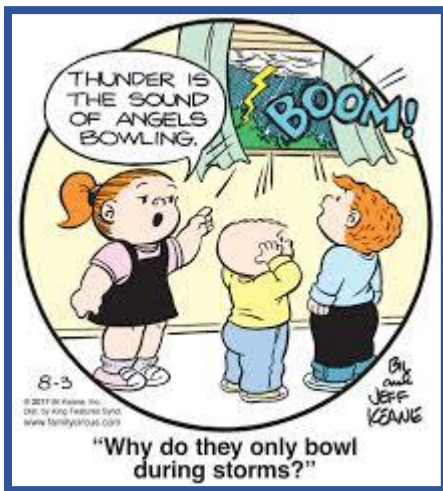
Berkley Harris
Community Outreach Coordinator

P.S. Want to learn more about our services here at UMOM and see the impact of your gift in person? Please contact Berkley Harris at bharris@umom.org for interest in a tour of our location or interest in engaging further with UMOM. Visit our website for further information at umom.org.

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A Loss in Our Church Family

Joyce Ramsey passed away recently. Her Celebration of Life memorial service is scheduled for Saturday, August 24 at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. A brunch reception in Strivings Hall follows the service.