

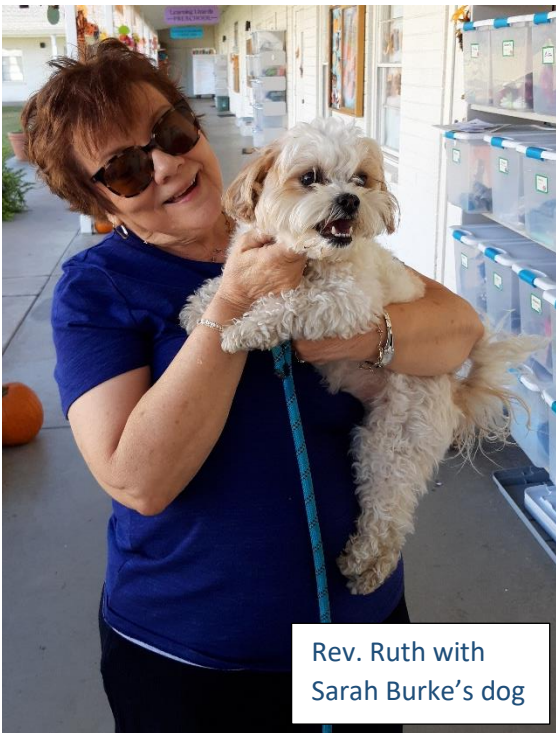
ALDERSGATE INSIGHT

NOVEMBER, 2019

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Greetings Aldersgate Family: We are saying so long to Rev. Ruth Blum. Thanks for all of the great service that you have provided to our church. And now we are saying Hello and welcome back to Rev. Tom Kiracofe. We are looking forward to your ministry.



Rev. Ruth with Sarah Burke's dog

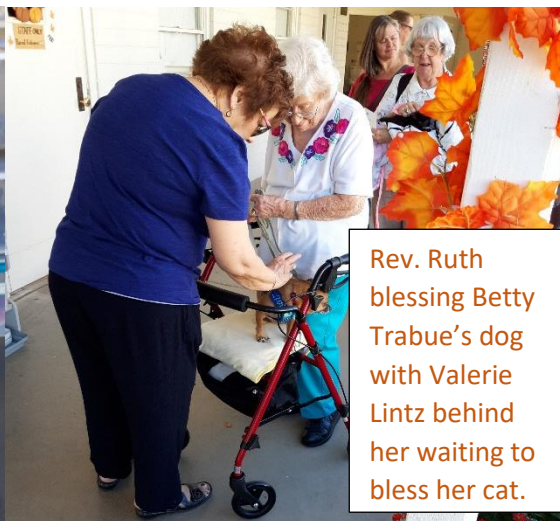


Rev. Ruth with Richard Starmer & his dog.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



Rev. Ruth blessing Nasir's little turtle!



Rev. Ruth blessing Betty Trabue's dog with Valerie Lintz behind her waiting to bless her cat.



Rev. Ruth blessing Stacey & Megan's dogs



For November: Maureen Stevenson & Martha Stowe

Preaching Schedule: November 3 – Amy Notbohm; November 10 - Chuck Winkler; November 17 – Joel Bullock; and November 24 – Tom Kiracofe



Announcements

COMING UP IN NOVEMBER

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.

Children's Sunday School: The children will come to worship and leave after the children's time, then they will meet in the church office conference room. We are pleased to have leaders for this - Stacey O'Rourke, Sarah Archibald, and Emma Rodriguez. They are planning a Christmas Children's program on December 22nd during worship time.

AmazonSmile: Did you know that when you shop for the holidays at smile.amazon.com/ch/86-0173490, AmazonSmile donates to Aldersgate Methodist Church?



#1 holiday hack:

When you buy your gifts at smile.amazon.com, Amazon donates.



Fry's Rewards rebate for the period of June, 2019 to August, 2019 from 16 Households & Total Donations was \$27.84.

Our mission project for October/November will be collecting hygiene products for UMOM as they have a need for the homeless people arriving: shampoo/conditioner, soap or body wash, tooth paste/tooth brushes. FULL sizes are preferred. We will have the UMOM Christmas Cards for sale in November. Thanks, let's shine our light for Jesus. Darlene

Justa Center, a day resource center for homeless seniors, nearly became homeless itself. Donations have not kept up with the increased need for services. Then several months ago, the owner of the building put it up for sale. Area Agency on Aging has come to the rescue by purchasing the building for Justa Center. Services for homeless seniors will continue.

We are still doing move-in kits. Anybody interested in helping?

Valerie Lintz



Borderlands P.O.W.W.O.W. will be meeting for food events once per month, which are scheduled for each third Saturday in, November and December through next June, 2020, so let your friends and neighbors know about these sessions during the fall and spring. **If you are able to volunteer to help out, please contact the church office regarding your availability.**



Fall Church office hours: Sundays: 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. & Mondays/Tuesdays: 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.