

# NORTHMINSTER NOTES NOVEMBER 20, 2016

## TODAY IS SAMARITAN SUNDAY!

*Choir Practice is at 8:30 in the Sanctuary*

Childcare for infants through 2s is offered in the Nursery at 9:15

Prekindergarten for 3s through young 5s is at 9:25 in Room 2 downstairs

Elementary Kids (K–5th grades) Begin in worship with parents at 9:30 then head with teachers to the Music Room 2 downstairs after “A Time with the Children”

Junior High Youth (6th–8th grades) Begin in worship with parents and leave to go to the Jr. High Room after “A Time with the Children”

*Worship/Samaritan Sunday begins at 9:30 in the Sanctuary*

Fellowship Time is after the worship service in Logan Hall

Northminster’s Fair Trade Coffee Sale is during Fellowship Time in Logan Hall

*Challenge Class meets at 11:00 in the Senior High Room*

*Adult Ed Today: Samaritan Center Discussion on Grief is in the Guild Room at 11:10*

### **Adult Ed Today: Samaritan Center Discussion on Grief**

After Fellowship today, come to the Guild Room at 11:10 for Adult Ed. The speaker, Rev. Dr. Joellen Hosler from the Samaritan Center, will focus on understanding the complexity of grief and how we can support each other through the grieving process.

The Samaritan Center provides mental health counseling in a Christian context, integrating mind, body and spirit. Nearly one third of all clients receive subsidies. The counseling spans grief, depression, anxiety, parenting and marital relations. Northminster has supported the Samaritan Center for more than 40 years.

### **All-Church Advent Dinner November 26th**

Please join the Fellowship Committee, Christian Education Committee, and Family Ministries at 5 p.m. in Logan Hall for fellowship and a delicious dinner of lasagna and macaroni & cheese, followed by a festive craft activity, an Advent wreath-making workshop, and wreaths for all! Questions? Email Meredith Rogowski (ce@northminpres.org).

### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

#### **November**

- 21st** 10:15 a.m. Al-Anon, Library  
6:00 p.m. Bell Choir Practice, Bell Room  
7:30 p.m. Deacons Meeting, Guild Room  
8:00 p.m. Old Men’s Jazz Band (OMJB), Logan Hall
- 22nd** Mom’s Morning Thanksgiving Recess Begins  
10:00 a.m. Bible Study, Westminster Place  
7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts, Room 2 & Challenge Room
- 23rd** Northminster Nursery School Recess Begins
- 24th** Happy Thanksgiving! Office Closed
- 25th** Office Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday
- 26th** 8:30 a.m. Greening of the Church, Begin in Logan Hall  
5:00 p.m. All-church Advent Dinner, Logan Hall

### **Welcome First Time Visitors!!**

Stop by the visitor table for NPC information and then join us downstairs in Logan Hall for fellowship time!

### **Adult Ed November 4th: Immigration & Advent**

Dr. Osvaldo Vena, Professor of New Testament at Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, will be presenting at the Adult Ed hour on December 4th in the Guild Room at 11:10 a.m. The title of his presentation is "Advent through Immigrant Eyes."