



## Bayside Helmsman

Week of December 9th, 2018  
2nd Week of Advent

Sunday School  
10 am

Whole Family of God Combined  
Worship Service  
11 am

Office Hours  
Monday – Friday  
9:00 am – 5:00 pm

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*Changing Lives  
Growing Christian Disciples  
Living God's Word*

### Advent Wreath Lighting

Looking for individuals, families, or groups to light the Advent Candles. Why not start a new tradition with family or friends and sign up to light the Advent Candle one service during Advent?

If interested see the Welcome Center for sign up sheet.

### Living Nativity

December 15th & 16th | 5 pm - 8 pm

BE A PART of the Christmas Story

Volunteers needed nightly to serve as characters, narrators, carolers and greeters. Sign up Board is in the Atrium.

**More info about Living Nativity on the backside of the Helmsman.**

### Advent Devotional Study "God With Us"

Wednesday Evenings | 6:00 pm

Devotional Books available on Welcome Center.

### The Quiet Center

Tuesday, December 11th | 7:00 pm

Join us for an evening of Advent & Christmas piano music performed by composer Thomas Keescher.

### Celtic Service

Wednesday, December 12th | 7:00 pm

Join us for an evening of worship and music.

### Longest Night Service

Friday, December 21st | 7:00 pm

The Longest Night Service is for anyone who is experiencing grief, loss, doubt, uncertainty, or wants to seek ways to better support someone going through loss.

### Community Services Annual

#### Virginia Diner Peanut Sale is here!

Peanuts will be available for purchase in the narthex. Prices range from \$9 - \$20. What a great gift for a teacher, postal worker, colleague, friend, Aunt, Uncle, etc.! All proceeds to benefit Bayside's Food Pantry.

### A bit of Good News!

Rev. Jenny McDevitt (who served at Bayside briefly in 2011-2012) has recently been installed as Senior Pastor and Head of Staff at Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, NY.

**Please pray for those who grieve...  
...for our first responders and military...  
...for the ill and recovering...**

Charleen Albertolli, Lori Batten, Mary Jane & Ed Borchers, Stuart Bossom, Frances Butler, Emily Brugger, Amy Culipher, Don Dixon, Carlos Fletcher, Barbara Franklin, Ian Gilchrist, Charlie & Frances Hicks, Tom Hooker, Billie Hurley, Doreen Joyce, Glen Kelsay, Kathleen Killen, Robert Lemay, Steve Long, Nancy Norton, Dot Pennypacker, Marie Parr, Gloria Potter, Mary Phelps, Brenda Reid, Lucy Sizemore, Jackie Southall, Michelle - Dianne Towler's daughter, Gene Wallace, Gloria Wardrup, Becky Wheeler, Zeke Wojcikowski

**...for our brothers and sisters worldwide  
who seek peace...**

*To share Prayer Concerns or Joys with our  
Prayer Chain: baysideprayerchain@gmail.com or call a pastor.*

### From Wed @ the Well Coordinator - Mike Raymer

Merry Christmas Bayside! 2019 is almost upon us, and the 2nd half of Wednesday's at the well is around the corner. We have 3 weeks of cooking in December, then we'll have another 2 week break and start things anew beginning January 9th.

Wednesday's at the well only works when we have cooks to cook meals for up to 40 people and additional helpers to set up and clean up the kitchen and fellowship hall once were done.

If you'd like to share your culinary talents (as you don't have to be an experienced chef), take a recipe and expand it to feed multiples. (Google is awesome for that!)

Please email me at [ekimremyar75@gmail.com](mailto:ekimremyar75@gmail.com) or simply call me to let me when you would like to help cook.

I want to thank everyone who cooked in 2018 and hope they'll come back and share more awesome meals with us.

### Sunday, December 9th

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Whole Family of God  
Combined Worship Service  
5:30 pm Youth Group

### Monday, December 10th

6:30 pm Circle 4 (508)  
6:45 pm Circle 10 (512)  
7:00 pm Circle 8 (Homes)  
7:30 pm Praise Team

### Tuesday, December 11th

7:45 am Men's Breakfast  
9:30 am Staff Meeting  
10:00 am Circle 6  
10:00 am Yoga  
7:00 pm The Quiet Center  
Performance

### Wednesday, December 12th

10:00 am Circle 3 (WC)  
5:15 pm Wed @ Well Dinner  
5:45 pm Children's Choir & JAM  
6:00 pm Advent Devotional  
Study  
6:15 pm Bells of Bayside  
7:00 pm Celtic Service

### Thursday, December 13th

10:00 am Yoga

### Friday, December 14th

1:00 pm Bridge at Bayside

### Saturday, December 15th

8:30 am Work on Bayside  
Grounds  
5:00 pm Living Nativity



### Living Nativity 2018

Our annual **Living Nativity** presentation will be on the evenings of **Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup>** and **Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>** from **5:00 PM until 8:00 PM**. We will serve hot cocoa and cookies again in the fellowship hall both evenings and will begin collecting cookie donations in the kitchen beginning on Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>. Please label them "For the Living Nativity". The bells of Bayside will be ringing during the 5:00 performance on Saturday. We ask that you donate a can food to our Food Pantry to assist those in need. You can deposit cans in the little blue wagon in our fellowship hall. Contact Terri Dannemann (467-4860) or Peggy Damuth (496-0212) if you have questions.



#### TLC on Bayside Grounds! (Unless it snows!)

Saturday, December 15th | 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

Like to garden or play in the dirt? Come on out on Saturday to help us beautify Bayside's grounds! Let's get ready for our guest attending the Live Nativity and our Christmas Eve Services. Bring your garden tools and drink!

#### Pine Straw

We have been blessed this year with an abundance of pine straw. Our efforts to date have covered all the church flower and tree beds with a decent mulch base where the straw is required. That said, for the remainder of 2018, the pine straw that falls on the church pavement or grass areas is available first come – first serve, assuming you gather and pick it up yourself.



#### Sunday, December 2nd - 1st Sunday in Advent

Whole Family of God Combined Service  
11:00 am

#### Sunday, December 9th - 2nd Sunday in Advent

One Combined Service - 11:00 am  
Christmas Cantata

#### Wednesday, December 12th

Celtic Christmas Service - 7:00 pm

#### Sunday, December 16th - 3rd Sunday in Advent

One Combined Service - 11:00 am

#### Friday, December 21st - Longest Night Service

Service of Healing and Comfort - 7:00 pm

#### Sunday, December 23rd - 4th Sunday in Advent

One Combined Service - 11:00 am

#### Monday, December 24th - Christmas Eve Services

##### Family Candlelight Communion Service

4:00 pm

##### Candlelight Service of Lessons and Carols with Communion

7:00 pm & 11:00 pm

#### Sunday, December 30th

One Combined Service - 11:00 am