MONROE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CHILDREN'S MINISTRY EVENTS NOVEMBER 2017

Shining the light on the hill by connecting with Jesus Christ, with each other, and with the world.



MONTHLY LESSON SERIES:

NOV 5: Bell/Play Practice @ 9:15am; Donuts & Sun. Scl. NOV 12: Bell/Play Practice @ 9:15am; Donuts & Sun. Scl. NOV 19: Bell/Play Practice @ 9:15am; Donuts & Sun. Scl. NOV 26: Bell/Play Practice @ 9:15am; Donuts & Sun. Scl.



Samaritan's Purse Shoebox Ministry

Pick up a red and green (flat) shoebox to fill and give. Return your gift by Sunday, November 12th.



Caroling and Ringing Performances:

<u>Friday, Dec. 1st</u> (TBA) at Monroe's Community Tree Lighting Ceremony (Historical Society Event)

Sun., Dec. 10th during 9:30 AM Praise Service & 10:45AM (parents, please plan to stay until ~11am this day)

AND ALSO @ 3:45 PM at Mount Pleasant (no afternoon play rehearsal at church).

Christmas Play Rehersals start at 9:15 AM

This year's Christmas Program led by our Children's Director, Gina Craft, is sure to be a lot of fun! Sleepover at the Stable showcases what it may have been like for the animals of the Nativity to witness the birth of Christ! Please plan to participate!

Sleepover at the Stable Rehearsal Schedule:

Nov. 5 – Dec. 17th at 9:15 (S.S. lesson begins at 10:10) and also from 5 – 6 PM (no PM rehearsal on Dec. 10th – go to Mt. Pleasant @ 3:45) / Dec. 23rd - dress rehearsal from 10 AM – 1 Pm (lunch provided)

Invite friends and family to this Christmas fantasy on Sun., Dec. 24th at 10:00 AM (children in the play need to arrive at 9:15, please).

Advent Workshop

Saturday, December 16th, 10AM – 1:00PM

Let the children learn all about Advent while they make gifts for the family. Parents are welcome to stay (or go Christmas shopping). Lunch will be provided.

Outreach Opportunity:

Donate books to the Slinky Tutoring Center! Your gently used (3rd – 5th grade) chapter books will be put to very good use! Please find the Slinky Book Box in the narthex and entry ways of the church.