

Welcome!

ALL WHO COME TO WORSHIP GOD ARE ALWAYS WELCOME HERE.

This is Christ's Church and together we are seeking to love the world as the Beloved did. We also seek to be as embracing as Jesus was. Therefore, everyone is invited into full membership and ministry regardless of age, sexual orientation, race, ethnic origin, or worldly condition.

A special welcome, to those who are visiting us for the first time today, and to our regular visitors. **Please be sure to sign the pew register, where you will also find nametags.** We hope you'll use them so we can introduce ourselves and get to know you during Social Hour. **We use nametags too, so you can get to know us!**

Join us for Social Hour, downstairs in the Social Hall, following worship.

	<u>Serving this Morning</u>	<u>October 29</u>
Liturgist	Brian Anderson	Nan Costello
Sound System	Phil Cheek	Ben Marston
Ushers	Teri Miles Team 4	Usher Team 5
Offering Assistant	Margaret Champion	Van Ackerman
Social Hour	John Tallmadge Agape Group	Marlene Muse Agape Group

OUR CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER REQUESTS

Tim Bick (Dan's brother) surgery on October 16 – his cancer treatment continues, Alfred Bick & Joann Bick (Dan's Parents) Hospice has now been engaged for Al, Bill Porter has been moved to Wellspring recovering from back surgery, Bob Jones hospitalized in St. Elizabeth Ft. Thomas, KY, Peter E. Tuff (Pete's dad) is in rehab following a stroke, Jane Carter recovering from vocal cords surgery, Maria Cabrera's family – her son Jose could be affected if DACA is rescinded, Margaret Standriff and Sandee Ernst & family, Jo Sowash, Charles Miller (Chris Miller's dad), Rosa Channell, Carmie Apel (Earl's mom), Yvonne Hailey (Lynn's mom), Bob & Charlotte Goering (friends of Hanna Carp), Caz (Dave Chalk's grandson), Billie (Lew VanderNaald's mom), Marianne Ignatius, Brian Tansey, Mike Pentz (Jean Snyder's brother), John Finegan (Jean Snyder's son-in-law), Bill Rogers, Beatrice Smith (Diane Smith's mother), Jan Gallagher, Julie Malkin. **Contact the church office to update our prayer list.**



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- 🔗 Visit our website at: www.mtauburnpresby.org, check out our calendar
 - 🔗 Check us out on Facebook @ Mt. Auburn Presbyterian Church
 - 🔗 Questions? Comments? You may contact the church office: (office@mtauburnpresby.org) or (513.281.5945)
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HELP WANTED

Interfaith Hospitality Network Volunteer opportunity November 17th and 18th.

We need volunteers to help families dealing with homelessness by serving them an evening meal or bringing your inner kid to play some games with the guests. Meal service times are (5-7 pm). The meal for the 18th will be hosted by Patricia Boone and crew. Evening/Children's hosts are needed (7-9 pm). If you would like to volunteer or have any questions, reach out to Laura Marsh.

GODLY PLAY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS!

We need volunteer storytellers and door persons for our children's education program, Godly Play. No experience necessary! Find out more and volunteer by contacting Bri Leavitt-Alcántara.

MEETINGS - EVENTS & F.Y.I.

FROM MAPC SANCTUARY/SOLIDARITY... CASA DE PAZ FUNDRAISER – TODAY!

Maria Cabrera, who shared her journey with us in August, invites us to a fundraising event: *Latin Festival of Flavors*, for Casa de Paz (House of Peace) **TODAY, Noon-3 pm, at St. Monica St. George Church , 328 W. McMillan.** “Come and enjoy delicious Latin dishes, folkloric and salsa dances, live music and an inspirational message from Casa de Paz.” Donation is \$30 per person, children under 10 are free.

DEBBIE’S VACATION

Debbie is on vacation October 18-24. **Church Office hours will be modified.** Thank you to the office volunteers: Margaret Champion, Marlene Muse and Mark Schuller!

TRUNK OR TREAT - Saturday, October 28, 2-4 p.m. Taft Elementary School parking lot!!

Costumes? Optional, although we know Pastor Stacey will wear one.

Decorated cars? Optional, but fun for those who have that talent.

Candy/Trinkets? YES! Pack those trunks – remember how you enjoyed Trick or Treating!

What else? We need 10 more MAPC people/cars to sign up today.

See Marlene Muse at Coffee Hour and sign up.

PROGRESSIVE EDUCATION – ENCOUNTERS

Adult Encounters meets every Sunday in the Geier Room from 9:45 to 10:45 AM, and adults of all ages are welcome.

Next Sunday, October 29. Join us for a discussion of *What if Presbyterianism disappears?* Faye Burdick will lead us in a discussion of Janet Edwards' article by the same name. On Reformation Sunday, we'll think about our heritage as Presbyterians and what it would mean if it were gone. No advance preparation is needed!

TOMA (Teens of Mt. Auburn) for middle and high school aged youth, meets monthly for dinner and discussion about faith and our call to live as God's people. Contact Heather Graden or Ben Marston for information about how you or your youth can get involved!

Godly Play, our education program for younger children (age 3 or so) through the primary grades, **meets in the Education Wing during worship.**

Childcare is provided 9:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Contact Ruth Anne Van Loon re our Encounters programs.

SHOWER OF SAINTS

Is there someone that has passed on who has been a saint in your life? Someone who has affected you and/or those around you in simple and profound ways? **Sunday thru November 5**, we will feature our annual Shower of Saints display in the sanctuary. During this time, we display images and descriptions about the saints in our lives – relatives, friends, colleagues, and renowned local, national, or international figures that have touched our lives in some way and made a difference. We will reserve a special section for our children to display their saints – family, friends, or even pets that may have been special to them. As always, we are looking for new saints to add to our shower. To submit a saint, **complete the Shower of Saints bulletin insert** and mail or give to Brian Anderson.

NOVEMBER'S BOOK CLUB

Book Club meets next on Friday, November 3, at the home of Carol Igoe. Gather at 7pm with discussion at 7:30.

“*A Gentleman In Moscow*” by Amor Towles. The author plunges us into the life of a Russian aristocrat who in 1922 is imprisoned and sentenced to live out his life in an attic room of a well-known hotel. We follow his adventures, which at first may seem mundane living in one building, but as we discover, are anything but.

ANNUAL THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON

Mark your calendars now - the annual Thanksgiving Luncheon will be held on **Sunday, November 12th, in the Social Hall, following worship.** Come celebrate the end of the stewardship campaign and reflect upon all we have to be thankful for as a faith community. 1-2 volunteers are needed to coordinate this very special time together. Please see Susan Thomas if you are interested.

Set-up, food, and clean-up volunteers will be recruited closer to the event.

TRANSGENDER DAY OF REMEMBRANCE

The Transgender Day of Remembrance will be held on **Monday, November 20, at 7 p.m. at the Woodward Theater, 1404 Main St., downtown Cincinnati.**

MAPC COOK BOOK TO CELEBRATE OUR 150TH ANNIVERSARY!

If you haven't submitted your favorite recipe yet for our 150th Anniversary Cookbook, please do so. We need more recipes! Also, tell us if the recipe has special meaning for you – especially if it is one that you received from another MAPC member. Email your recipe(s) to Elizabeth or Floy Ann Marsh. Please be sure to include all of the recipe instructions:

RECIPE TITLE & CONTRIBUTOR
NUMBER OF SERVINGS & PREP TIME
INGREDIENTS

DIRECTIONS FOR PREPARATION
OVEN TEMPERATURE & BAKING TIME
STOVETOP COOKING TIME

RECIPE DEADLINE... SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19!!

MAPC CALENDAR
OCTOBER 22 - 29

Date	Time	Group/Purpose	Room
Sunday October 22	8:30 AM 9:45 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM 12:30 PM	AA Encounters Worship Social Hour Justice-Seeking Community	Geier Rm Geier Rm Sanctuary Social Hall Conference Rm
Monday October 23	6:00 PM 7:30 PM	GLSEN Crossport	Social Hall Geier Rm
Tuesday October 24	9:30AM-3PM 6:00 PM	Planned Parenthood Communications	Geier Rm Conference Rm
Wednesday October 25	5:30 PM 7:00 PM	Woman's City Club Session	Social Hall Geier Rm
Thursday October 26	6:30 PM 6:30 PM 7:30 PM	GLSEN Volunteer Mtg. Handbells Choir	Geier Rm Music Rm Music Rm
Friday October 27	5:30 PM	Organist practice	Sanctuary
Saturday October 28	2-4:00 PM	Trunk or Treat	Taft Elementary
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