



THE FISHERMAN

January 2019

St. Andrew By-The-Sea Holiday Season



Christmas Eve

2018 WORSHIP

Bluffton, SC



WELCOME TEAM #2



COOKIE TEAM!



Cares & Concerns

Our Ill or Convalescing:

Bunny McCoy, Dean Beckelhimer, Rick Castle, Ray Beebe, Carol Pfeifle, Mary Ann Hannah, Maggie Molony, Bobby Marzbanian, Jerry Lewis, Marian Jackson, Brody Cooke, Jane Giddings

Our Condolences:

- to the family of Frank Ruehling, 84, who passed away on December 29. A memorial service was held Thursday, January 3 at Pope Avenue.
- to the family of Jean J. Nelson, 76, who passed away December 21. Funeral arrangements are pending.
- to Gene Luntey upon the death of his 100 year-old sister, Betty Keck, in Seattle, Washington on December 30.
- to Barry Fransen at the passing of his grandmother in December.



St. Andrew By-The-Sea church offices will be **closed** for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Monday, January 21

Fellowship Friends

Fellowship Friends will meet **Tuesday, January 8 at 10 am** in the Wesley Room of the Celebration Center. Glenn Neff will speak about the Hilton Head Island Hospital Chaplain Services. Everyone is invited.

Fisherman Next Deadline



The Deadline for the next *Fisherman* is **Tuesday, January 22 for our February edition.** Please submit your articles and photos to: standrewbytheseanews@gmail.com

Interim Parish Visitor Named

If you were in worship at either service on December 23 at our Hilton Head campus, you were introduced to Glenn Neff, who has graciously stepped forward to fill our need for a Parish Visitor until a new Associate Pastor is selected. This was one of the roles previously performed by Jim Morrison and Glenn has agreed to assume this responsibility until mid-2019, when we hope to have a "permanent" successor to Pastor Morrison.

The Staff/Pastor Parish Relations Committee is very grateful for Glenn's willingness to help us through this "gap" period to supplement the efforts of Pastors Neil and Daniel.

Glenn is well known to many of us because of his years of serving on community organization boards and committees, mostly with organizations serving people in lower socio-economic situations. Of special significance to this role for our church, Glenn has served with Jim Morrison for more than 10 years as co-director of the Chaplaincy Program at Hilton Head Hospital, making him very familiar with the intricacies of hospital visitations.

Welcome New Members



Barbara Bernstein joined on December 9 at our 9:00 am service.



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A Winter Concert

The Low Country Chapter of the American Guild of Organists will present a Winter Concert on January 11 at noon at St. Andrew By-The-Sea United Methodist Church (20 Pope Ave., HHI). Three organists, including Debby Graves (St. Andrew By-The-Sea United Methodist Church, HHI), Linda Hamilton (Holy Family Catholic Church, HHI) and Beth Corry, and nine other vocalists and a violinist will warm your heart with familiar pieces of organ music and various vocal and violin solos.

Debby will play a gospel arrangement of GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS, a men's quartet will sing THE BATTLE OF JERICHO, an organ duet of SOFTLY AND TENDERLY will be performed by Beth and Linda, Laura Floyd and Jack Gatlin will sing THE PRAYER and a violin/organ arrangement of AMAZING GRACE will be performed by Brian Stuligross and Debby.

Save the date! You won't want to miss this event. The concert is free with donations accepted.



New Study on Hilton Head

UNAFRAID

LIVING WITH
COURAGE AND HOPE IN
UNCERTAIN TIMES

ADAM HAMILTON
AUTHOR OF THE BESTSELLING MAKING SENSE OF THE BIBLE

Join us for a 6-Week
COUPLES BIBLE STUDY
Mondays, January 7 - March 11
5:00 - 6:00 pm
In the Wesley Room
\$15 for your book / Call the Church Office to sign up

Our Monday evening **Couples Group** is starting a new study and looking for some new faces to share in this short-term study beginning January 7. The study will be based on Rev. Adam Hamilton's book, *Unafraid-Living with Courage and Hope in Uncertain Times*.

Some of our fears are real, but the vast majority—fear of others, of failure, of the future—have almost no basis in reality, yet tie us in knots and steal our peace of mind. These fears, experts say, are often vestiges of primitive 'fight, flight, or freeze' instincts that, mostly, no longer apply. Making matters worse, our hyper fractious era of hate media, divisive politics, and multiplying natural disasters wreak havoc on our state of mind, leaving us troubled and unhappy. Fortunately, we can escape the echo chamber of anxiety and dread. With insight, intention and faith, we can learn to overcome what oppresses us, and live with courage and hope. For anyone struggling with fear, worry, or anxiety, or who wonders how families and communities can live as peacemakers in troubled times, Unafraid offers an informed and inspiring message full of practical solutions.

If you would like to join this timely and relevant study and get to know a great group of St. Andrew folks, call the church office to sign-up. A limited number of books are available on a first-come basis. (Please read the first chapter prior to the January 7 meeting.)

Scholarship Sunday is Coming

What a way to begin the New Year! On Sunday, January 13, Jim Reeves, the Scholarship Committee Chair, will make a presentation to the congregation regarding the six scholarship recipients that SABTS is currently supporting for this 2018-19 school year. This is possible because of the generous contributions of the Missions Committee and individual members of the congregation.

On Sunday, January 6, there will be special envelopes in the bulletins and pews for you to take home and return on January 13 with your scholarship contribution. Last year we were able to raise about \$5,000! This is just another wonderful way in which we can "Out Reach" to help make a difference in people's lives. Your generous support will be appreciated by many.





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Upcoming Events in Bluffton

**First Friday FunNight
January 4**

Join Ms. Monica and friends in Bluffton on Friday, January 4 from 6-8 pm for dinner, games and fun!

All children, all ages are welcome!

Contact
Monica Barricks at
864-838-5227
for more info



Life Quotes

NEW JANUARY BLUFFTON WORSHIP
MESSAGE SERIES

10:30 AM / 39 PERSIMMON ST #203

*"Life begins at the
end of your comfort zone."*

**Worship. Learn. Serve Night
January 10**

Please join us **Thursday, January 10 at 6:30 pm.**
We will gather for worship, music,
break-out groups and dinner!.

Childcare is provided — All ages are welcome!