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Aldersgate United Methodist Church

"sharing the living Christ through life-changing service and love"

The work of Christmas

by Howard Thurman

When the song of the angels is stilled, When the star in the sky is gone, When the kings and princes are home, When the shepherds are back with their flock, The work of Christmas begins:

To find the lost, To heal the broken, To feed the hungry, To release the prisoner, To rebuild the nations, To bring peace among people, To make music in the heart. And, the work of Christmas begins....I love this piece by Howard Thurman.

I think that this is at the heart of what we are to be about as Aldersgate United Methodist Church for the coming year...and, beyond.

For the past forty days, I have invited you to pray about the "Something Bigger" of your life and how that will move Aldersgate United Methodist Church into her next 40 years.

On **Sunday, January 1st**, you are invited to share in The Wesley Covenant Service. This is a beautiful service in the richest sense of the Wesleyan tradition. It centers around the individual's calling and commitment to Jesus Christ. The sermon title for this Sunday is, "A New Year and A New Future."

On **Sunday, January 8th**, you are invited to a very special morning at Aldersgate UMC. The morning begins at 9:00 AM with a time of celebrating the connection that each of us has to Aldersgate United Methodist Church and our calling to that connection...and, a special Epiphany breakfast (see the article "So why doesn't anything Epiph anymore?." We will move from the

breakfast into our morning worship and share in the Re-affirmation of our Baptismal Vows. I am really excited about these services and I think that they are both excellent ways to begin the New Year.

I am taking this opportunity, as your pastor, to invite you to share in these beautiful services of renewal and recommitment at the January 8th service. There will be an invitation for those desiring to be baptized. If you have never been baptized, this will be a wonderful opportunity to do so. Please call Rev. Tracy L. MacKenzie to discuss this before the service.

If you have already been baptized, there will be an opportunity to "remember your baptism."

At the end of our service, there will be an invitation extended to Christian Discipleship "for all who would like to unite with our congregation either through profession of faith or transfer of membership from another denomination or another United Methodist Church." As United Methodists, we acknowledge and affirm all baptisms in the Christian Church and do not require a "re-baptism" into the United Methodist Church. At this service, there will also be a "re-affirmation" of our vows for existing members. In the 2008 General Conference of the United Methodist Church, there was a change in the wording of the membership vows for all United Methodists…the word "witness" was added to the vow. Therefore, the question asked of those who desire to become a member of a local congregation is: "Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service and your witness?"

I cannot tell you how proud and thankful I am to be your pastor at Aldersgate UMC. I affirm the greatness of this church and her desire to answer the call to be a part of the mission and ministry of the gospel of Jesus Christ. To be a member of Aldersgate United Methodist Church is to be part of a rich history of "faith-ful and faith-filled" people seeking to make disciples of Jesus Christ. In the Book of Discipline, this covenant is defined as follows: "A member is bound in sacred covenant to **shoulder the burdens**, **share the risks**, and **celebrate the joys of fellow members**." In this covenant, members are called to lead and serve the church in mutual love. This is the membership to which you are being invited to join.

If I can be of any help, please contact me and let me know.

Peace and grace to you,

rev. transformader

Rev. Tracy L. MacKenzie, Lead Pastor Aldersgate UMC



So, why doesn't anything Epiph anymore?

Epiphany is more than a day in January when we bring forth the King Cakes and talk about the visit of the Magi from the east to Jesus...

In the early church, the Epiphany was one of the great feast days-second only to Easter in its importance. The third great feast was Pentecost. In the contemporary church we somewhat water down these events... Easter -Epiphany-Pentecost... to days that we talk about rather than the world changing events that they were in the life of the Christian church. They were, in fact, the focus of the early church...

No extra charge for this one: did you know that no body even thought about celebrating Christmas until the fourth century?

The word Epiphany means "manifestation" or "revelation." The Wise Men are celebrated on Epiphany because they represented the revelation of Jesus to the Gentiles.

So, here's the question, "How come

nothing epiphs anymore?" Or, how about this question, "Why was Epiphany so important, and why does it seem so unimportant now?"

In the days when Epiphany was a great church feast, it also celebrated the revelation of Jesus in his first miracle–changing water into wine at Cana–and the manifestation of Jesus as the Son of God at his baptism. Those three things–the Wise Men, Cana, and the Baptism were all lumped together to symbolize the revelation of God in Jesus Christ, and such revelation was cause for great celebration. That a baby was born in a manger was relatively unimportant, **compared with the events that proved to the world who that baby was.** The authority of Jesus was validated by the signs he performed–like changing water into wine–by the voice of God and descending dove at his baptism, and through signs in the heavens that could be interpreted by the Gentiles.

Those signs were God's way of saying, "Hey...this is the guy!" and Epiphany was the church's way of saying, "And we can never be the same again."

So why doesn't anything epiph anymore?

Probably the best answer to this question is, simply, we no longer expect it. We no more expect God to be revealed in our midst than we expect stores to start



giving away merchandise. *And because we don't expect it, we get what we expect.* The early church was a church full of energy, excitement and expectation. They anticipated the return of Jesus at any time, and the persecutions which they endured forced them to be aware of their faith and sometimes to die for their faith at times.

Many of us today have lost that sense of energy, excitement and expectation. In the early church, the feast of the Epiphany

was to remind us that God appears miraculously to us in places and in ways that we don't expect. If we keep remembering that God seems to thrive on unexpected appearances and if we keep expecting to see God everywhere we turn, we are not too likely to miss it when it happens again.

I pray that in the coming year Aldersgate United Methodist Church may find a renewed sense of energy, excitement, expectation as we move forward the Kingdom of God.





Traditional Worship 8:30am

Contemporary Worship 11:00am Adult Sunday School 9:45 am-10:45 am Cokesbury Building, Chapel, Azalea Estates

Sunday School for Youth 9:45 am-10:45 am Confirmation Sunday School Class (6-7 grade) meet in JWC Youth Sunday School Class (8-12 grade) meet in the Genesis

Children's Sunday School Plus 9:45 am-10:57 am Susanna Wesley, John Wesley Center (pickup for ALL in John Wesley Center)

From Psalm 63

O God, you are my God, I seek you, my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

- ² So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory.
- ³ Because your steadfast love is better than life,
- my lips will praise you. 4 So I will bless you as long as I live:

I will lift up my hands and call on your name.

It is that time of year where we reflect on how the past year went, remembering all the goals we had set throughout the year, our personal to-do lists on what we wanted to change, what we wanted to accomplish, what projects we wanted to finally finish. We find these surveys and questionnaires all over, in magazines, on-line in Facebook or other social media. I think it is great that we spend time reflecting. I often find that I am much more prepared to respond to tomorrow's questions, when I have actually reflected on yesterday's answers. But with that being said, I often wonder about the questions we are asking ourselves. Because, the questions we ask, will always frame our reflection. If we ask the wrong question or worse, keep from asking the correct one, then our evaluation will be invalid, or at least incomplete. So I have tried to look at my own questions and reframe them, if only to widen my looking and change my perspective. I share just a few of my changes. . .

Old Question

What did I get out of worship today?How or when was I distracted in worship today? (what did I bring in with me that kept me from worship)Did my week begin, or did it end with Worship?

<u>Reframed Question</u> What did I put in to worship today? Who did I worship today? Was it truly God, and God alone? Where will I worship tomorrow, and the next day, and the next day? What part of my day will I give to God on Purpose?

Worship in January!

January 1 New Years day –Wesleyan Covenant Service, One Worship Service at 10am

January 8 Epiphany and Baptism of the Lord, One Worship Service at 10 am Join us as we Celebrate the many ministries at Aldersgate and also celebrate a renewal of our baptismal and membership vows to the church

Ushers for January



8:30 Keith Burriss, Joe Foozer, Jeff Brignac, Chris Rider11:00 Sheri Kastner, Kevin Roark, Lewis Smith, Donna Lew

We are always in need of additional ushers to fill our rosters. Please consider giving us a few weeks of Sundays to serve in worship! Email Scott or call the church office if you have questions or are interested.

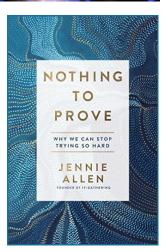
UPCOMING STUDIES

Ladies, February will find us with "Nothing To Prove"

"Nothing to Prove", the newest study by Jennie Allen, will be the subject of two women's study groups in February.

Stacey Boerner (Dir. of Children's Ministries) and Cheryl Mann (Director of Apple Tree Preschool) will be co-leading the nighttime version of "Nothing To Prove". See below what Cheryl has to say about this new study.

For me, this book is a game changer...it's not just a breath of fresh air y'all, it's too good not to share! Stacey & I were blessed to be on the Launch Team and received our copy of the book early. I've read it in its entirety TWICE in one week ...and my poor book has highlights and underlines and doodles galore... it's THAT kind of book for me.



Stacey and I are excited and looking forward to getting back together in the evenings after the holidays to share all this book has to offer." In peace, Cheryl

"Nothing To Prove" will be offered in a daytime and evening format. The night group will meet on Sunday evenings at 5:45 p.m., starting Feb. 5. *Something's Brewing*, the Tuesday morning group, will begin the study on February 7 at 9 a.m.

Participants can choose to order their books though a group buy or individually. Books are approximately \$16 each and can be ordered by calling the office at 985-641-5829. For Kindle users, "Nothing To Prove" is available at a discounted rate of \$12 on Amazon.

A nursery will be provided <u>if</u> needed. If this is a service that would help you attend the study, please call the church office or email <u>suzie@aldersgate-slidell.org</u> to reserve a space for your child. Nursery reservations are required so we can provide appropriate supervision.

Something's Brewing . . . *returns January 10, 2017.* For more information contact Suzie Hunt, Suzie@aldersgate-slidell.org



Generation	Birth Year	Archetype
The G.I. Generation	Born between 1901–1924	Hero
The Silent Generation	Born between 1925–1942	Artist
The Boom Generation	Born between 1943–1960	Prophet
Generation X	Born between 1961–1981	Nomad
The Millennial Generation	Born between 1982–2004	Hero
The Homeland Generation	Born between 2005–?	Artist

You've heard the terms: Silent Generation, the Builders, Civic Generation, The Boomers, The Busters, Gen X, Y&Z, The 13th Generation, the Millennials, the Homeland Generation...but what does it all mean?

And perhaps, more importantly, what does it mean to me, my family system, my community and people finding their place in the world?

Intrigued? Join us on Tuesday mornings at 9am in Genesis Hall when Rev. Tracy will unpack Generational Theory for all who are looking for insight into what's behind the labels. This study will not require a book purchase. Hot coffee and light refreshments will be on hand.

A nursery will be provided if needed. Please call the church office or email suzie@aldersgate-slidell.org to reserve a space for your child. Nursery reservations are required in advance so we can provide

appropriate supervision. Come and See...

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

Our January 1st Communion Rail Offering will support Rainbow Child

Care here in Slidell. Rainbow's Mission is to strengthen working families with a quality child development program. This program provides a low cost, quality childcare program for

children ages 1-5 to low-income families attempting to break the cycle of dependence on public assistance.

First Sunday of the Month Mission Opportunities

On Sunday, January 1st, we will collect nonperishable protein items such as canned meat and peanut

butter for (CCC) Community Christian Concerns food pantry.

You may drop your donations in the bin at the Sanctuary entrance on that Sunday, January 1st.



This trip is open to all, youth and adults. We will be heading to the Baton Rouge area to help with the rebuilding process after this year's floods. The trip will begin on \cdots Wednesday, March 1 and we will return on Sunday, March 5. There is a great need for general construction skills and simple labor. Whether you are adapt at floating and taping or can simply push a broom, there will be a place for you.

Mardi Gras Mission Trip

Youth must be 16 years old or accompanied by a parent.

Cost of the trip will be \$150 and covers meals and lodging.

Scholarships for the trip fee are available for those who may need assistance. or more information or to receive a registration form, contact Suzie Hunt at the churci office 641-5829 or by email at suzie@aldergate-slidell.org.

"Seasoned Citizens" Head to Sager Brown

It's time our seasoned, or senior, citizens hit the road for a mission trip of their own. So brush up on your "99 bottles of beer" lyrics and pack your bags.

We'll be heading to UMCOR's Sager Brown facility in Baldwin, LA May 21-24. Sager Brown is a 48,000 sq.ft. depot that receives, sorts, packs and ships supplies for disaster relief around the world. Dating back to 1867, Sager Brown has a rich history of making a difference in the world. We will go to work with their flood bucket program and anywhere else they can use our help.

The cost of the trip is \$150 and a \$50 deposit is needed with each completed registration form. Scholarships will be available for people wanting to go but are without needed funds. We will be staying overnight on campus. This trip is limited to 24 individuals. For more information or to register, contact Suzie Hunt at 641-5829 or by email at suzie@aldersgate-slidell.org.

- - SMALL GROUP CONNECTIONS



The **Care Team** is a community of lay-persons committed to responding to the prayer concerns shared by members in worship each week.

The Care Team meets each Tuesday evening in Cokesbury Room 207 from 7:00-8:00 p.m. ALL are welcome to attend!





Prayer Shawl Ministry

The **Prayer Shawl Ministry** meets on Wednesday evenings in the **New Room** at **5:30 pm**. They make prayer shawls, lap robes, and baby blankets to share with our congregation during the significant



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baby blankets to share with our congregation during the significant events of our lives. If you crochet, or would like to learn how, this is an excellent opportunity to unite with a great group. Contact Phyllis Mitchell for more information, 774-4864.

Grown-Ups to Visit Weather Service on Jan. 26

The Grown-Ups will be hitting the road to visit the National Weather Service office in Slidell, followed by a BYOBB lunch. (Bring Your Own Brown Bag)

Come join us as we learn how they keep our community updated on weather issues that affect our daily lives.



We will gather at Genesis Hall at 10 a.m. and travel by church van to the Slidell Airport. Due to limited space at the NWS office, they have asked that our group to be limited to 20 people. To sign up for the tour, call the church office at 985-641-5829 or by email at <u>suzie@aldersgate-slidell.org</u>.



Following the tour, we will go, weather permitting, to John Slidell Park for a picnic. Bring your favorite brown bag lunch and the church will provide the soft drinks. If it is too cold or wet, we will picnic in Genesis Hall.

The Grown-Ups is Aldersgate's fellowship group for anyone 55 years of age and older. Church membership is not required to participate. For more information, contact Suzie at the church office.

NEWS FROM OUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Faith Friends

A Mid-Week Ministry for 4th-6th Graders! Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30pm In John Wesley



All 4th thru 6th Graders are invited to join us on Wednesday evenings for Faith Friends! Our time is filled with games, crafts, skits, mission projects and field trips. It's a lot of fun and fellowship as we help each other strive to discover just what God's plan is <u>for</u> and <u>with</u> each of us.

We can NEVER have too many Faith Friends - and it's NEVER too late to join!



Children's Sunday School PLUS each week!

Wesley Center. This fun time includes Sunday School and music for all ages

Parents please pick up your child in the back of JWC

(between Susanna Wesley & John Wesley)



SAVE-THE-DATES

VBS 2017 will be held on June 12th—June 16th

June 12^{°′}—June 16^{°′}

Camp SONshine a 6 week Summer Camp Program will start on Monday June 19th and run through July 28th!

Hours available will be 7:30-4:30, Monday—Friday For children ages 3years - exiting 1st graders! (Children MUST be potty-trained)

For any information about these programs email Stacey Boerner stacey@aldersgate-slidell.org or call the office 985-641-5829

AUMY BIG Group

restarts on Sunday, January 8th, @5:30pm in Genesis Hall

Wednesday Night Youth

Lagniappe (7th-12th Students) restarts on Wednesday, January 11th, @6-7:30 in Genesis Hall

Led by Adam Moore, Mr. Craig, Dr. Chris and Ms. Sasha



Thursday Morning Coffee with High School Youth

Starting back on January 5th, we will meet at Starbucks (I-10 & Gause) at 6:30**am**. All 9th-12th graders are invited to start your day with us!

YOUTH Worship Leaders Needed!

Would you like to Read Scripture or Serve Communion in Worship?

Can you help with first service **Children's Moments**?

Contact Scott or Adam for more information, scott@aldersgate-slidell.org, adam@aldersgate-slidell.org

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR JANUARY & FEBRUARY

January 2017

- January 1 Worship: The Wesley Renewal Service 10am, Sanctuary
- January 5 Thursday Morning Coffee with 9th-12th graders resumes 6:30am, Starbucks on I-10 & Gause
- January 8 Worship: Epiphany Breakfast and Worship 9-11am, John Wesley Center AUMY Big Group *resumes* 5:30pm, Genesis Hall
- January 9 Grown Ups Movie Matinee "The Quiet Man" 2pm, Genesis Hall
- January 10 Something's Brewing resumes 9am, Genesis Hall
- January 11 Wednesday Night Youth *resumes* 6-7:30pm, Genesis Hall Faith Friends *resumes* 6-7:30pm, John Wesley Center
- January 19 Preview Class for Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University 6pm, Genesis Hall
- January 26 Grown Ups Coffee & Conversation will travel to the National Weather Service office in Slidell, followed by a brown bag lunch 10am, Genesis Hall

February 2017

- February 2 Financial Peace University 6-8pm, Genesis Hall
- February 5 Something's Brewing "Nothing To Prove" at Night 5:45pm, Cokesbury 201 Youth Super Bowl Party 5pm, Genesis Hall
- February 7 Something's Brewing "Nothing To Prove" in the **Morning** 9am, Genesis Hall AARP Tax Aide begins (every Tuesday and Thursday) 10am-2pm, Cokesbury Building
- February 10 In house registration for Apple Tree Preschool
- February 16 Registration for the Public for Apple Tree Preschool
- February 23 Grown Ups Coffee & Conversation 10am, Genesis Hall
- February 27-March 3 Mardi Gras Holiday, Apple Tree School closed

A glance at March 2017

March 1 Ash Wednesday 7pm Worship Service

Aldersgate Angel Tree 2016

Aldersgate reached out to community child care centers for our Angel Tree this year: *Rainbow Child Care in Slidell* and *Lacombe/Mandeville Head Start*. The "angels" are children who may not have received any gifts this year.

A total of <u>70</u> angels were adopted by our congregation!

So many of you answered this call and shopped with your heart to make sure that each child has a special present under the tree for them this year. I can only imagine the smiling faces, the high-pitched screams and the joy that this will bring to the kids and their parents on Christmas morning!



It was a blessing to serve with this wonderful ministry, Lauren Brignac, Sasha Massel & Angie Dick Angel Mommies



CURSILLO / A TIME FOR SPIRITUAL RENEWAL



Thursday, February 9 - Sunday, February 12 An Encounter with Christ

As your faith is challenged in a pluralistic world, ask yourself...

Do you want to live your faith in your daily life?

Do you desire a Christian Community with which to share your faith journey?

Do you wish to enrich your relationship with God?

Do you want to be more confident in sharing your faith with our secular world?

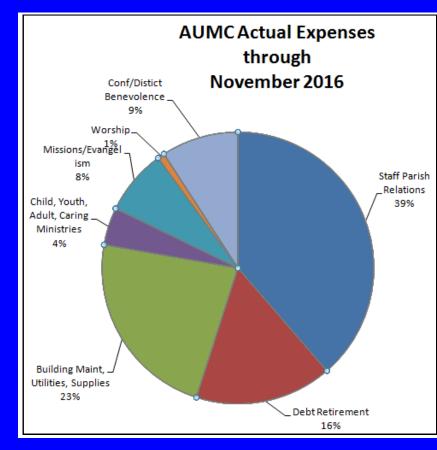
If you answered "Yes" to these questions, Cursillo will help you develop, live and share your spirituality in today's society. A three-day weekend program, Cursillo offers a way to be motivated in your spiritual life. Discussions are led by Methodist lay people and spiritual advisors and emphasis the meaning of grace and the Sacraments as well as the need for prayer and ways of living life in union with God.

The next Louisiana Cursillo weekend is scheduled for February 9-12 at the Wesley Center (Methodist Conference Center) in Woodworth.

To participate, you must have a sponsor who is active in Cursillo. For more information about the Cursillo experience, contact Clint Crosier at 985-641-9350 or by email at <u>clintcrosier@bellsouth.net</u>; Joann Lightfoot at 985-290-3071; or Rick Lightfoot 985-649-5736.

ALDERSGATE UMC 2016 FINANCIAL RECAP - NOVEMBER 10

	November	November	November	YTD	YTD	YTD
	Budget	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance
Income						
Contributions	\$60,914	\$51,048	(\$9,866)	\$670,051	\$585,189	(\$84,863)
Other	\$17,340	\$2,852	(\$14,488)	\$190,743	\$354,327	\$163,584
Total Income	\$78,254	\$53,900	(\$24,354)	\$860,794	\$939,515	\$78,721
Expenses						
Staff Parish Relations	\$34,283	\$35,559	\$1,276	\$377,114	\$354,762	(\$22,352)
Debt Retirement	\$6,450	\$0	(\$6,450)	\$70,951	\$149,623	\$78,672
Building Maint, Utilities, Supplies	\$20,218	\$28,265	\$8,047	\$222,394	\$209,254	(\$13,141)
Child, Youth, Adult, Caring Ministries	\$5,281	\$1,091	(\$4,190)	\$58,094	\$40,911	(\$17,183)
Missions/Evangelism	\$2,958	\$8,319	\$5,361	\$32,542	\$71,681	\$39,139
Worship	\$1,425	\$492	(\$933)	\$15,675	\$7,638	(\$8,037)
Conf/Distict Benevolence	\$7,639	\$7,697	\$58	\$84,024	\$84,082	\$58
Total Expense	\$78,254	\$81,423	\$3,169	\$860,794	\$917,951	\$57,157
Net Income	(\$0)	(\$27,523)	(\$27,523)	\$0	\$21,565	\$21,564





Budgeted Contributions	\$ 60,914
Actual Contributions	\$ 51,048
Expenses to Date	\$ 917,951
Year-to-date Contributions	
budgeted	\$ 670,051
Year-to-date	
Actual Contributions	\$ 585,189

*The Communion Rail Offering for December supporting Louisiana United Methodist Children's Home <u>\$305.</u> Our nonperishable food collection in December for CCC weighed in at <u>12 lbs</u>.

FINAL YEAR-END GIVING

Please make sure your final year-end giving contribution/tithes are postmarked by December 31, 2016 and turned in to the church office or put in the drop box in order to be included on your 2016 Giving Statement.



The Financial Peace course here at Aldersgate will be co-led by Adam Moore and Stacey Boerner

Mark your calendars for Thursday, January 19th. This is our preview class.

Adam and Stacey will discuss the course with you and offer a sign up sheet for those who are interested in attending and need to purchase a packet.

Please contact Sally Ann in the church office to let us know you are coming, sally@aldersgate-slidell.org.

This is a 9 week course and classes will be held every Thursday evening, starting at 6pm in Genesis Hall

The cost per packet is \$99, which includes all the materials you will need for this course. If you need help with the cost of the packet please contact Adam Moore directly, adam@aldersgate-slidell.org.

Classes start on Thursday February 2nd see you there!

Our church family is our	Christian Condolences: Judy Farrow & family in the
best source for names of	passing of her uncle, Peter Galatas. Tammy and Jeff
those persons in need of	Corbin and family in the death of Tammy's mother,
care. Please contact the	Phyllis. Clint and Connie Crosier in the death of their
pastor at	nephew, Todd Zietler. Family and friends in the passing
_	of Tyler Levy.
(641-5829) or a	Joys: Church-wide Caroling, Cookies and Cocoa.
Care Team member	Wonderful Christmas Eve Services.
when you know of a	Impending Tests/Surgery: Cheryl Thonn
need. You can also	Hospitalized: Janet Espey, Patrick Miller, Skip
email your prayer	Carson, Dorothy Cross, Rebecca Frishurtz, Joanne
	Parker, Rev. Bobbie Thornhill
request to	Recovering at Home: Michelle Badon, Garrett
prayer@aldersgate-	Romagossa, Ray and Dolores Clayton, Stacey Lovitt,
slidell.org	Antonio Iennusa
Our Care Team	<u>Prayers</u> : Libby Long, Diana Miles, Al Hughey, Chris
Our Care Team	and Mina, Doris Merrit, Patty Vanoy, Marian Eggerton,
coordinators are:	Louise Verver, Clint Crosier, Sharifa Chowdhury,
Rhea Snyder,	Shanez Islam, Windy Hill, Richard Vincent, Bob
643-3945; and	Witthauer, Emile Rose, Zachary Cheek, Jane Aucoin,
	Special intentions, Our country and our Military,
Charlotte Clifford,	Homebound Members, The Unemployed, Aldersgate
847-0966.	United Methodist Church, SPRC, Holiday Travelers

PRAYING WITHOUT CEASING

and those impacted by the Tennessee fires and the fire in Oakland

Continuing Concerns: Ronnie Galloway, Susan Grant, Rachel Cochrane, Pat Doyle, Sonny Neville, Cory Pichon-Jones, Rev. James Biedenharn, Barbara Defourneaux, Bill Fink, Larry Hamm, Luke Smith, Mary Joy Richard, Lissa Jordan, Esther Stephens, Stacey Iennusa, Carolyn Lee, Warren Benoit, Phyllis Benoit, Gwen Walker, Eugene Victor, Callie Salazor, Kristen Vanleusden, Lenny and Mina Iennusa, Ashleigh, Huey Gardner, Kathryn Moore, Doris Farr, Rick Saluga, Lesa Raia, Rick Duvieilh, Francis Jacob III, Mary Gramlich, David Garcia, Walter Delle, Rick and Maria Hodgson, Sara Delaha, Mary Sue Sisco, Faye Hammer and family, Bob Gregory, Nancy Wood, Bonnie Byrd, Barbara Walker, Lucian Grass, Bobbie Stephens, Linda Dick, Barbara Fuller, Lloyd and Frances Grafton, Loretta Moore, Brycen Newman, Gene Williams, Camille Callais, Dr. Bill and Suzanne Nelson, David Nezat, Derek and Lauren Whitty Webber

AND NOW A WORD FROM OUR SPONSORS..

In the Spotlight

In business since 1999, **Cindy Alberts** has helped hundreds of clients either buy or sell homes at the best price and with the least amount of hassle. For 5 out of the past 6 years, she has completed more transactions than any other agent in her Slidell office. Cindy's motto is "I'll Go The Extra Mile For You!!" She would love to help you and your family buy your next home, sell your current home, or find vacant land on which to build.

Contact Cindy Alberts on her cell at 985-707-7676 or her work at 985-649-6300, ext. 208, and let her put your home buying/selling worries at ease.

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