



Steeple Sounds November 2011

The Newsletter of Central Square Congregational Church

From the Interim Pastor's Desk:

November 2011

Generosity – Six Best Practices

Remember

“God will meet your needs with generosity exceeding yours....” (Philippians 4:19)

Note the first two words: “God will....” Not “God might....” How has this already proven true for you? Don’t simply count your blessings. Remember times when you didn’t feel “blessed” at all—perhaps quite the contrary...and things worked out anyway. This doesn’t rule out hard times and real trouble. It is to say that what’s proven true before will prove true again: God’s grace is greater than any difficulty we face. That’s a promise!

Pray

“Ask, and it will be given you....” (Matthew 7:7)

With many decisions to make, often among equally important things, we need guidance. What we give, and how, is among those decisions. Before you give, ask for help. Pray about it.

Tithe

I can’t. That’s ridiculous. Why do you quote that part of the Bible and ignore the rest? Don’t tell me what to do.

Many are our reservations, or complaints, about “tithing.” Remember this is not the pastor’s idea—of the Conference minister’s, or national staff’s. This is God’s idea, expressed in the Bible, sometimes understood as by St. Paul, in terms of “proportionate giving” (2 Corinthians 8:12), when we deliberately give according to our resources with tithing in mind.

What we can’t do now, or doubt we want to, we can move toward or at least include in our prayers—being open to God’s guidance.

Focus

Given the numerous appeals for worthwhile causes, and our desire to support those, too, focus on what is distinctive about the church. The church is not only another worthy cause. It's about a way of life that, both historically and right now, underlies and inspires concern and support for charity and philanthropy, and peace and justice in the world.

Where would your community be without the church? Where would society be without the church?

Remember that the church is more than your own congregation. We're part of the United Church of Christ. Among the ways we support the church is by including in our gifts support for Our Church's Wider Mission (OCWM).

Diversify

There is more than one way to support the church financially. Remember not just giving from income, but what can be given through wills and bequests gift annuities, life insurance, property, securities, and charitable remainder trusts. The opportunity here is not just for the wealthy! These planned gifts can be designated for any part of the work of the United Church of Christ, as can other special gifts which may be pledged or directly given.

Trust

"Trust everybody, but cut the cards." (Finley Peter Dunne, U.S. humorist, *Mr. Dooley's Philosophy*). Of course good giving needs the assurance of responsible use. Generosity may be open-handed and sometimes open-ended—but it cares about good results!

However, after we've done our best with God's help, following practices such as those above, we do well to remember something Abraham Lincoln said: "I have had so many evidences of God's direction, so many instances when I have been controlled by another power than my own, that I cannot fail to trust that this power comes from above."

Blessing on the journey!

Rev. Esther Rendon-Thompson



“Let us remember that, as much has been given us, much will be expected from us, and that true homage comes from the heart as well as from the lips, and shows itself in deeds.”

-Theodore Roosevelt

I recently read an article entitled “Thanksgiving Traditions and Trivia” by Mary Fairchild, that I would like to share as my first contribution as a Deacon for the November Steeple Sounds.

Unlike some holidays, such as New Year’s Eve, the Fourth of July, and Halloween, when people traditionally go out somewhere to celebrate, Thanksgiving is most commonly celebrated at home, with family and friends. This is one the things I like best about Thanksgiving—I get to share wonderful traditions with those closest to me.

In the United States, Thanksgiving Day falls on the fourth Thursday in November, but did you know that seven other nations also celebrate an official Thanksgiving Day? Those nations are Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Japan, Korea, Liberia, and Switzerland.

According to most historians, the pilgrims never observed an annual Thanksgiving feast in autumn. In the year 1621, they did celebrate a feast near Plymouth, Massachusetts, following their first harvest. But this feast most people refer to as the first Thanksgiving was never repeated.

Oddly enough, most devoutly religious pilgrims observed a day of thanksgiving with prayer and fasting, not feasting. Yet even though this harvest feast was never

called Thanksgiving by the pilgrims of 1621, it has become the model for the traditional Thanksgiving celebrations in the United States. Firsthand accounts of this feast, by Edward Winslow and William Bradford, can be found at Pilgrim Hall Museum, Plymouth, MA.

“Thanksgiving Day comes, by statute, once a year; to the honest man it comes as frequently as the heart of gratitude will allow.”

-Edward Sandford Martin

May the following Bible verse assist you in giving thanks and praise at Thanksgiving time or anytime throughout the year.

“Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands. Serve the LORD with gladness; come before his presence with singing. Know ye that the LORD, he is God: it is He that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture. Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise: be thankful unto Him, and bless His name. For the LORD is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations.” (Psalm 100)

Wishing You and Yours Bountiful Blessings at Thanksgiving and throughout the year.

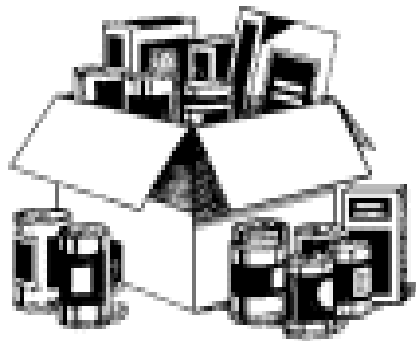
Lori Kelso, on behalf of the Board of Deacons

Warmth in Cold Places

It's Warmth in Cold Places time again! We have an ongoing collection of items November through our last distribution in February. When you're out shopping, please consider picking up an item or two and also, when cleaning out those closets, consider donating sweatshirts, jackets, hats, scarves, and gloves, in good condition, please. Men's white tube socks are a "hot" item as well as women's "warm" socks. Toiletry articles such as soap, shampoo, and powder are also welcome. Our distribution point is in a Taunton soup kitchen—once in January and once in February.

Thank you.

Outreach committee



INGATHERING FOR THE HOLIDAY BASKETS

Food for the Thanksgiving baskets will be blessed in worship on November 13, 2011.



Enough Already

October 2011

Excerpt from **Luke 12:13-21**

[A rich farmer] thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods."... But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your soul is required of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?"

When was it exactly that we began to need such big closets? Living in Bridgewater for nearly 28 years, I've looked back at times and said to myself. "Where did all this "stuff" come from?" I can partially rationalize my behavior as being the offspring of "Depression parents" who never tossed anything, but ultimately – I've got myself to blame. – Mauree and I often feel the need to have the ultimate yard sale- you know the one that always gets postponed to another day. Then there's the list of repairs that need to be done- for example the expensive \$25.00 antique chair a visiting church member destroyed a couple of Dine with Nine sessions ago. That sits in a corner waiting my time- I'm pretty sure that's going to be tossed. We take for granted much of what we have, time to think of what we can give back to our God, time to think of what we can give back to our Church.

We' are blessed in this country lots of stuff- what kind of "stuff" can we give to God? What kind of "stuff" can we afford to give to the Congregation? Remember "the things you have prepared, whose will they be?"

Submitted for your faithful consideration,

Mike Bundock, On behalf of the Stewardship Committee CSCCUCC

Count Yourself Blessed!



CHURCH BREAKFAST!
COME ONE, COME ALL
Public Welcome – Bring your friends!
1st and 3rd Sundays of every month...
8am – 9:30
(Donations welcome but not required)



ANNUAL CHURCH FAIR!

Gifts, holiday items, gift basket silent auction, homemade pies and baked goods, cookie walk!, crafts, jewelry, and turkey supper. Friday & Saturday, Nov 4-5. Friday evening, 6:30-8:30pm; Saturday 9am-2pm, with turkey suppers at 5 and 6:30. Contact Diane Sheibley for more info at diane@despop.com or 508-697-7262.



NEWS BULLETIN
FROM
CENTRAL SQUARE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Last June, the church Cabinet authorized a small task group to re-write our By Laws. The group was John Sharland, Carol Chaffee, Pat Lindsey and Nancy Winter. Rev. Esther also participated.

After meeting weekly all summer and with the help of many members of the church, the task group was ready with a draft document for review at a Special Cabinet Meeting in September. The review of the draft and modifications to it was finished and approved at the Oct. 19 Cabinet Meeting.

The purpose of this notice is to let you know that the document will be sent to you very soon, so please be on the lookout for it.

When you are reviewing the document, please ask questions to any member of Cabinet or the Task Group. There will be an all church meeting on Sunday, Dec. 4th, following worship, for discussion and approval of this document.

Changes and additions are in bold italics in the document. This is a proposed all new document for our church - it includes both a Constitution and a By Laws section, in keeping with the format used by the wider church. About 1/2 of the document is from our current By Laws (with some revisions) and the other half is new content or much revised content from our current By Laws. So please take the time to review and be ready for the meeting on Dec. 4th.



Women's Guild and Fellowship Program and Meeting
November 2, 2011 6:00 PM sharp in the Fellowship Hall

We are very pleased to host a "Five Wishes" End of Life Decisions Workshop led by Rev. Susannah Currie, Pastor of New Jerusalem Church, and sponsored by the Bridgewater Council of Churches. We will be guided through the thought processes necessary to make important and prayerful decisions about our own final wishes, and we will learn methods to assist our loved ones in controlling how they are treated if they become seriously ill. It will be eye-opening and thought provoking. We would love to see all interested women of the church attend this workshop.

Following the presentation, our business meeting 7:30 to 8:30 PM, will focus on our holiday donations. These are important decisions, so we hope to see everyone there.

Growing churches develop a "culture of invitation" in which everyone is regularly inviting others.

-Growth



**THE CANDY TABLE FOR THE FAIR
NEEDS DONATIONS.....please!**

It is time to start making candy again. We are looking for cash donations to assist us in purchasing the costly ingredients needed for the fudge and specialty confections that make our table such a “sweet treat”! Some of you have made some wonderful batches of fudge and other candy for our table and we hope you will again. We are also asking for leftover, packaged Halloween candy to both sell at the Fair and pack in boxes for our troops overseas.

If you would like to make fudge or candy for the Fair or plan to help us with a cash donation, please contact Debbie Golob @ 508 947-2798 or Ruthie LaBonte @ 508 697-7122 as soon as possible and at least by Saturday, October 29th. Anyone with leftover Halloween candy may bring it to our table on Friday, November 4th or Saturday, November 5th. We greatly appreciate any and all assistance.



ECUMENICAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE

**SPONSORED BY
THE BRIDGEWATER
COUNCIL OF CHURCHES**

NOVEMBER 22, 2011

TUESDAY @ 7 PM

**FIRST PARISH CHURCH UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST
50 SCHOOL STREET
BRIDGEWATER, MA**

**THE BRIDGEWATER COUNCIL OF CHURCHES
CORDIALLY INVITES ALL TO ATTEND AS WE**

WORSHIP TOGETHER AND SHARE OUR BLESSINGS WITH ONE ANOTHER AND THOSE LESS FORTUNATE. THE SERVICE WILL INCLUDE:

- *PARTICIPATION BY MANY BRIDGEWATER CLERGY*
- *THE BRIDGEWATER STATE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI AND COMMUNITY CHORUS*
- *AN OFFERING TO HELP FUND THE DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD BASKETS DURING THE HOLIDAYS*
- *TIME OF FELLOWSHIP AND FOOD FOLLOWING THE SERVICE*

CHECK US OUT ON THE WEB:

WWW.BRIDGEWATERCOUNCILOFCHURCHES.ORG

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Advance Notice



SAVE THE DATE

Fall Fellowship Meeting of the Southeast Area Conference of the United Church of Christ on November 6, 2011, at 2 PM--First Church of Sandwich

This Fall Fellowship Meeting will be a joint gathering of all the Associations in The Southeast Area. The Program will include a farewell for Rev. Dale Hempen. It will also include the Pilgrim Association Fall Meeting

The gathering is open to all. Pastors and Delegates are reminded of their responsibility to attend.

Rev. Esther Rendon-Thompson, Kevin Thompson and Carol Chaffee will be attending. If you would like to join us, please let us know.



If you happen to have a key to the side door of the church and are no longer a member of a Board or a Committee or know of someone who has, please return the key to the office as soon as possible. Thanks!



Coffee Hour Schedule

October:	Outreach
November:	Women's Guild
December:	Stewardship
January:	Trustees
February:	Memorials
March:	Growth
April:	Deacons
May:	Christian Education
June:	Music
July & August:	volunteers (punch only)



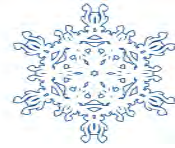
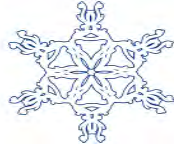
Liturgists/Lay Participants

Upon invitation of our pastor, Rev. Esther and the Board of Deacons, if you would like to take part in worship, inclusive of reading scripture and/or leading the opening prayers, please sign up for a specific date at coffee hour in the next few weeks. The Deacons will organize a schedule for Rev. Esther so that she can just notify, via email, the scheduled person of what prayers and readings she would like you to deliver from the lectern.



Flowers for the Church Altar

Would you like to see fresh flowers more often on the altar? You can donate flowers for display on Sunday mornings for celebrations such as birthdays or anniversaries, or in memory of loved ones, and then take them home or have them delivered to a shut-in. Please see Jane O'Connell after church or call her at 508-697-3602.



THE FAIR IS HERE!

A Winter Wonderland

Friday, Nov. 4, 6:30pm-8:30pm

Saturday, Nov. 5, 9:00am-2:00pm, followed by 5:00 and 6:30 seatings for Turkey Supper, or take out option 5:15-6:30

Shop, eat, have fun, bring the kids!
(And tell your friends!)

Pie! (Friday evening pie & coffee) * The cookie walk

Homemade candy and goodies

Hand-made gift items * Holiday items * Jewelry * Attic treasures

Silent auction gift baskets

Beth Basler's amazing luncheon soups and homemade chili

And of course, fun and games for the kids while you shop

Turkey supper:

Purchase your tickets at the church office (508-697-6016, M-F, 9am-1pm), or at the door. Adults, \$10; Seniors/students, \$8; Children under 12, \$5; Family, \$30 (up to 2 adults and their children)

Seatings at 5:00pm and 6:30pm.

NEW! Takeout option... pre-reserve turkey suppers for your whole family, and just pick them up, open the boxes, and enjoy a family turkey dinner with all the trimmings, and dessert!

Tell your friends, neighbors, relatives. Don't cook tonight! Get ready for the holidays with turkey dinner, and support the mission of the church at the same time!

NOTE: We still need volunteers to serve lunch and supper... just for an hour, or two, or three... whatever works for you. Your help is needed! Also need ticket sellers, pie servers (Friday night), and general volunteers. Any time you have is welcome! Don't feel like you need to commit to all day.

Any baked goods, pies, crafts, and homemade candy, are always welcome, as well as turkeys and apple crisps for the suppers!

Contact your fair co-chairs with questions or to volunteer:

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Denise Molinari, denmol@comcast.net, 508-279-6322

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Diane Sheibley, diane@despop.com, 508-697-7262



November 2011: Action that Transforms
Written by Anil and Teresa Henry
November 1, 2011

Be doers of the word, and not hearers only. James 1: 22

A small cart pulled by a cow left Nagpur in 1868 and travelled for five days carrying Rev. Oscar Lohr to Bishrampur, India. He was the first missionary in the region from the United States representing the United Church of Christ. In 1885 another cart left Jabalpur and travelled for three days through the tiger infested forests of what we call Kahna National Park to Bilsapur. In this were three ladies Miss Anna Boyd, Miss Kingsley and Mrs. Adams representing the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the US.

Missionary Anil Henry writes, I am in India today on behalf of the many missionaries who followed, and the congregations of these two mainline churches of America that were two of the six churches that joined in the unification of the Church of North India. I am filled with thanksgiving every day for their vision and hope. It is not only my seven years of service with the Church of North India on behalf of Global Ministries in Mungeli, but a second generation of mission work that continues after the legacy of my parents namely my mother Mrs Nancy Henry who was sent out by the United Church of Christ 50 years ago as a young missionary nurse, and later married my father Dr. VK Henry.

In the small area of Mungeli, we try to show God's love through the running of a hospital (120 beds) and school (500 children). We ask for strength as we move toward the construction of a new school building, a cancer centre, starting [nursing education](#) and working with the community to help them better understand that our faith has very little value if we do not have action along with it.

We pray with the Henrys, asking God to transform our lives with courage and cleanse us so that we may be better vessels of God's work.

Anil and Teresa Henry serve the Synodical Board of [Health Services](#) of the Church of North India. Both work as [medical doctors](#) and Anil as director of the Christian Hospital in Mungeli. They are supported in part by One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS).

Daily Lectionary Scripture References November 2011 (Year A)

Tues., Nov. 1
All Saints Day
Revelations 7:9-17
Psalm 34: 1-10,22
1 John 3:1-3
Matthew 5:1-12

Wed., Nov. 2
Psalm 128
Joshua 10:12-14
Matthew 15:1-9

Thurs., Nov. 3
Psalm 78:1-7
Joshua 5:10-12
Revelation 8:6-9:12

Fri., Nov. 4
Psalm 78:1-7
Joshua 8:30-35
Revelation 9:13-21

Sat., Nov. 5
Psalm 78:1-7
Joshua 20:1-95
Matthew 24:1-14

Sun., Nov. 6
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25
Psalm 78:1-7
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Matthew 25:1-13

Mon., Nov. 7
Psalm 78
Joshua 24:25-33
1 Corinthians 14:20-25

Tues., Nov. 8
Psalm 78
Nehemiah 8:1-12
1 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Wed., Nov. 9
Psalm 78
Jeremiah 31:31-34
Matthew 24:29-35

Thurs., Nov. 10
Psalm 123
Judges 2:6-15
Revelation 16:1-7

Fri., Nov. 11
Psalm 123
Judges 2:16-23
Revelation 16:8-21

Sat., Nov. 12
Psalm 123
Judges 5:1-12
Matthew 12:43-45

Sun., Nov. 13
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Judges 4:1-7
Psalm 123
1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
Matthew 25:14-30

Mon., Nov. 14
Psalm 83:1-4, 9-10, 17-18
Judges 4:8-24
Romans 2:1-11

Tues., Nov. 15
Psalm 83:1-4, 9-10, 17-18
Exodus 2:1-10
1 Thessalonians 5:12-18

Wed., Nov. 16
Psalm 83:1-4, 9-10, 17-18
Esther 7:1-10
Matthew 24:45-51

Thurs., Nov. 17
Psalm 100
Genesis 48:15-22
Revelation 14:1-11

Fri., Nov. 18
Psalm 100
Isaiah 40:1-11
Revelation 22:1-9

Sat., Nov. 19
Psalm 100
Ezekiel 34:25-31
Matthew 12:46-50

Sun., Nov. 20
Reign of Christ
Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24
Psalm 100
Ephesians 1:15-23
Matthew 25:31-46

Mon., Nov. 21
Psalm 28
Numbers 27:15-23
2 Timothy 2:8-13

Tues., Nov. 22
Psalm 28
Zechariah 11:4-17
Revelation 19:1-9

Wed., Nov. 23
Psalm 28
Jeremiah 31:10-14
John 5:19-40

Thurs., Nov. 24
Thanksgiving
Deut. 8:7-18
Psalm 65
2 Corinthians 9:6-15
Luke 17:Rev 11-19

Fri., Nov. 25
Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19
Zechariah 14:1-9
1 Thessalonians 4:1-18

Sat., Nov. 26
Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19
Micah 2:1-13
Matthew 24:15-31

Sun., Nov. 27
First Sunday in Advent(Year B)
Isaiah 64:1-9
Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19
1 Corinthians 1:3-9
Mark 13:24-37

Mon., Nov. 28
Psalm 79
Micah 4:1-5
Revelation 15:1-8

Tues., Nov. 29
Psalm 79
Micah 4:6-137
Revelation 18:1-10

Wed., Nov. 30
Psalm 79
Micah 5:1-5a
Luke 21:34-38



Note: During the period of Ordinary Time, which comes after Trinity Sunday, the Revised Common Lectionary provides two parallel tracks: the complementary and the semicontinuous. The semicontinuous, which allows for a more sequential reading through the major themes of certain biblical books, is offered here. The other sequence can be found at commontexts.org

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30 7pm - AA - Vestry	31 Halloween 9:30am - Mothers' club -nursery 7pm - NA - Vestry	1 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 5pm - Turkey supper 7pm - NA - Vestry	2 5pm - WG&F Mtg. 7pm - Search Mtg.-Parlor	3 7pm - AIAnon-Vestry	4 6:30pm - Church Fair 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs	5 9am - Church Fair 4:30pm - Pack 35 Den 6 LL 5pm - Turkey supper
6 Bring a Friend Sunday Daylight Saving Time Ends 7pm - AA - Vestry	7 7pm - Christian Ed. Mtg. 7pm - NA - Vestry 7:30pm - Deacons Mtg.	8 Election Day 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 7am - Growth Mtg. 7am - NA - Vestry	9 5pm - Trustees Mtg. 7pm - Search Mtg.-Parlor	10 9:30am - Staff Meeting 6:30pm - Pack 35 Den 5 LL 7pm - AIAnon-Vestry 7:30am - Stewardship-Parlor	11 Veterans Day 5pm - #73502 LL 6pm - Kids of the Kingdom 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs	12
13 Stewardship Sunday 10am - Teen Forum 7am - AA - Vestry	14 7am - NA - Vestry 7am - Outreach Mts.	15 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 12pm - Council of Churches- 7am - NA - Vestry	16 7am - Cabinet Mtg. 7am - Search Mtg.-Parlor 8am - Den 2 LL	17 7am - AIAnon-Vestry	18 MAUCC Retreat 5am - GS 73502 LL 6:30am - Pack #35 Vestry 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs	19 4:30pm - Pack 35 Den 6 LL
20 7pm - AA - Vestry	21 5pm - Bereavement-Parlor 7pm - NA - Vestry	22 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 7pm - NA - Vestry	23 7pm - Search Mtg.-Parlor	24 Thanksgiving 7pm - AIAnon-Vestry	25 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs	26 Advent Workshop - Vestry 9:30am - Wedding
27 10am - Teen Forum 7pm - AA - Vestry	28 9:30am - Mothers' club -nursery 5pm - Bereavement-Parlor 7pm - NA - Vestry	29 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 7pm - NA - Vestry	30 7pm - BSU Rehearse-Sanctuary 7pm - Search Mtg.-Parlor	1 6:30pm - Den 5 LL 7pm - AIAnon-Vestry	2 5pm - GS 73502 LL 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs 7pm - Confirmation movie night -	3 4:30pm - Pack 35 Den 6 LL

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11 11:30am - Confirmation class 5pm - BSUAC Christmas Concert 7pm - AA - Vestry	12 6pm - Bereavement-Parlor 7pm - NA - Vestry	13 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 7pm - Growth Mtg. 7pm - NA - Vestry 7pm - Outreach Mtg.	14 6pm - Trustees Mtg. 7pm - Search Mtg.-Parlor	15 6:30pm - Pack 35 Den 5 LL 7pm - AIAnon-Vestry	16 6pm - OS 73502 LL 6:30pm - Pack #35 Vestry 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs	17 Caroline 4:30pm - Pack 35 Den 6 LL
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25 Christmas No Worship Service 7pm - AA - Vestry	26 9:30am - Mothers' club -nursery 7pm - NA - Vestry	27 9:30am - NRC 11am - NRC 6pm - Bereavement-Parlor 7pm - NA - Vestry	28 7pm - Search Mtg.-Parlor	29 7pm - AIAnon-Vestry	30 7pm - AIAnon-Upstairs	31 New Year's Eve 4:30pm - Pack 35 Den 6 LL