

Thursday, December 20, 2007

Dear Travelers,

Highlights this Week:

Please join us for a special Sunday Seekers this Sunday morning, **Dec. 23**, from 9:30-10:30. We will spend the entire hour in Catlin Chapel singing all of our favorite Christmas carols and experiencing the Christmas story in several different ways. It will be a wonderful Christmas celebration for people of all ages!

Note: The Children's Choir will not rehearse on **Dec. 23**, because the director is out of town. Youth/Teen Choir WILL rehearse in Catlin Chapel.

You have two choices on Christmas Eve, **Dec. 24**. At 5:30 PM, there will be a child-friendly family candlelight communion service; then at 11:00 PM, a second candlelight communion service is offered. Child care is available at the 5:30 service only.

On both Sundays, **Dec. 23 and 30**, there will be a single service at 11:00. *Note that there will be Sunday Seekers on Dec. 23; but not on 12/30.*

Below are a couple of opportunities to help those in need:

DEACONS' CUSTODIAL FUND provides on-going and emergency assistance to any family in need. Currently that fund is low and *there is a church family in need of help*. We would encourage anyone who is so moved to provide this kind of assistance. Please make checks payable to Bush Hill Presbyterian Church—and mark "Family in Need" in the memo area—and place checks in the offering plates, or bring to the church office. If you have further questions please contact the Deacons moderator Anne Voigt, or treasurer, Martha Shephard.

CAREGIVING OPPORTUNITY: Dot Richardson's family has asked us to inquire if anyone would be willing to help Dot as a paid care provider for 3-4 hours per day. Dot would need help with her medications, food, and errands. *If you or anyone else you know might be interested, please contact the church office and we can get a message to the family.*

Grace and Peace,
Carl

Check out the Bush Hill website (www.bushhill.org) for more information on the above events.

Click on link below (or copy and paste into your browser) to view all ministry opportunities at Bush Hill Church:

<http://www.mychurchevents.com/calendar/calendar.aspx?ci=G1H2N8O9I3H2N8N8H2>

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