

PHUMC RINGS THE BELL FOR THE SALVATION ARMY

On Saturday, December 1, Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church provided 300 volunteers to cover 21 locations for the Salvation Army's Red Kettle Campaign, with a grand total collected of \$10,142.35. More than six million individuals are served every year during the Christmas season and more than 32 million people are served by The Salvation Army on an annual basis. Thanks, PHUMC volunteers, for another successful year of carrying out our mission to "Love God, Love Neighbor, Change the World."



(Photos continued on the next page.)

THIS WEEK: GOD THE FATHER'S LOVE

December 7 & 9
Luke 1:26-33

Sermon Series: The Gift of the Nutcracker

This sermon will be about God's desire for us. God will stop at nothing to welcome us into God's kingdom. God offers us everything we need to welcome Christ into our lives.



THANKS TO ALL OF OUR VOLUNTEERS!


SPONSOR CHILDREN FOR CHRISTMAS

Please help! We have about 60 more Wakefield children who need to be sponsored for Christmas! If you have already signed up to sponsor a child - or children - thank you so much! If you have not, would you prayerfully consider doing so? Here's what a sponsor does:

1. Sign up online at phumc.com/wakefieldxmas or call 664-3600 and give them your name, email address, and phone number for staff to complete the online entries for you.
2. Pick up your child's information packet at the church when they let you know it's ready.
3. Shop for the child you're sponsoring spending about \$100.
4. Wrap presents and follow the instructions in the packet about bundling them.
5. Deliver the gifts to the church gym on Sunday morning December 16.




If you have not returned your Commitment Card for the 2019 Stewardship Campaign, please do so today. Envelopes and cards are available in the pews, Narthex, and Welcome Center.



December Worship

PULASKI HEIGHTS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH


December 9.....Advent II.....Worship.....9:00/11:00AM
 "Christmas Cantata" - Daniel Pinkham
 Parkview Arts and Science Magnet Choirs, Chancel Choir, Organ and Brass.

December 15....."Christmas Jingles on 32nd Street".....5:30PM
 St. Luke Fellowship Hall, 6401 W. 32nd St., LR
 Free event....RSVP to: phumc.com/xmasjingles

December 16.....Advent III.....9:00/11:00AM.....Sanctuary
 "Lessons and Carols" - Choirs and Handbells
 "Blue Christmas".....4:00PM.....Sanctuary

December 23.....Advent IV.....Worship.....9:00/11:00AM
 "Christmas Eve, Eve".....6:00PM.....Wesley Hall

December 24.....Candlelight Communion Services.....Sanctuary
 Noon, 2:00, 6:00, 8:00, 11:00PM
 Children's Service 4:00PM.....Great Hall
 Brass/Organ Prelude.....7:30/10:30PM.....Sanctuary
 St. Luke Christmas Eve Services.....2:00/4:00PM




Pick up a free copy of the 2018 Advent devotional at both Welcome Centers or the Narthex. The devotionals have been provided by the Society of St. Andrew.

Cancer Friends Christmas Tree

Cancer Friends will decorate the PHUMC Cancer Friends Christmas Tree in the Welcome Center in memory or in honor of loved ones. If you wish to honor or memorialize someone, please complete the form below, detach, and return with \$10 for each loved one to: PHUMC, 4823 Woodlawn, Little Rock, AR 72205 or call 664-3600. Make checks payable to PHUMC with "Cancer Friends" on the memo line. Names will be publicized in The Tower Newsletter in January 2018.

DEADLINE: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18

In memory of: _____

In honor of: _____

Donor name(s): _____

PREACHING THIS WEEK

SANCTUARY SERVICES

Friday - Rev. Britt Skarda
Sunday - Rev. Britt Skarda

NEW HEIGHTS SERVICES

Rev. Betsy Singleton Snyder

ST. LUKE CAMPUS SERVICE

Rev. Andrea Cummings

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church
4823 Woodlawn
Little Rock, Arkansas 72205

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WEEKLY SERVICE TIMES

SANCTUARY SERVICES

Friday at 6:00 p.m.
Sunday at 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

NEW HEIGHTS SERVICES

Sunday at 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL @ PHUMC

Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

ST. LUKE CAMPUS SERVICE

Sunday at 9:30 a.m.



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Contact Information

Website: www.phumc.com • (501) 664-3600
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Church Office Hours:
Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

The church is also available seven days a week, beyond regular office hours, for special events or meetings.

St. Luke Campus • 6401 W. 32nd St. • Little Rock, AR 72204

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

GET THE SCOOP ON UPCOMING EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP

JEWELRY ON A MISSION BY KAREN SKARDA JEWELRY PARTY BENEFITING OMP

Join us for shopping and fellowship on Sunday, December 9, between 2 - 4 pm at the home of Karen Skarda, 6 Wingate Dr., Little Rock. 100% of ALL PROCEEDS benefit OMP.

ARKANSAS YOUTH CORALE PRESENTS SWEETS AND SONG

Monday, December 17, 7 pm, PHUMC Sanctuary. All are welcome! Sweets to follow.

YOUR 2018 MISSION REPORTS NEEDED - If you, your family, your Sunday school class or other small group have engaged in food-packing, Wakefield tutoring, Family Promise, St. Luke meals, or anything outside the church walls, please estimate your hours and/or your financial gifts and submit those online, or get a form at the Welcome Center. We calculate our service and share it with the Arkansas Area Annual Conference as well as letting each other know the missions in which we have a big impact! Go to phumc.com/service, or phumc.com and hit the Mission tab, and click on "Register Service Hours." For questions, contact Rev. Betsy Snyder bssnyder@phumc.com

SAVE THE DATE - JANUARY 21 is the Martin Luther King Jr., Marade in Little Rock. It's a wonderful opportunity for us to witness our love for an inclusive neighborhood and love of all people. Families with kids welcome! We're collecting candy to pass out (still got some Halloween candy left?) during the marade. There will be two vehicles transporting to the marade. One vehicle will leave at 8 a.m. and one at 9 a.m. For questions, contact Rev. Betsy Snyder bssnyder@phumc.com

Christmas Jingles on 32nd Street

ST. LUKE
A Campus of Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church

FREE EVENT
Live Music • Food
Coat Drive • Holiday Cheer

Saturday, Dec. 15th
Time: 5:30pm

St. Luke Fellowship Hall
6401 W 32nd St,
Little Rock, AR 72204

RSVP by Wed., Dec. 12 by visiting phumc.com/mxajingles or by calling 501-568-2651

Support our winter coat drive benefiting our community partners

- Bale Elementary
- e-Stem High School (UALR campus)
- St. Luke Learning Center

Help keep a child warm this winter by donating coats for ages 0-18 years.

**HENDRIX CHOIR
CANDLELIGHT
TOUR**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14 • 7:30 PM • PHUMC SANCTUARY

Come and hear a wonderful selection of choral music to celebrate the Christmas season.