



## Welcome to Delta Presbyterian Church!

**Today is January 14, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany.** The Scripture Lessons are 1 Samuel 3:1-10 and John 1:35-51, and the Proclamation of the Word is entitled "Come and See." After worship we will be making sandwiches for Advent House.

**Points to Ponder:** This week, ask yourself, "Who do I need to invite to come and see?"

### Meetings and Activities This Week

Today		2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany Advent House
	10:00 am	Worship
Monday	3:00 pm	Mad Hatters
	6:30 pm	Deacon/Session Retreat
Tuesday	6:30 pm	La Leche
Wednesday	9:00 am	Arts & Spirit
	9:30 am	Quilting
Thursday	6:30 pm	Bellievers
	7:30 pm	Celebration Choir
Saturday	9:00 am	Deacon/Session Retreat
Sunday		3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany Personal Needs
	10:00 am	Worship/Hymn Sing

### Next Sunday

**Sunday, January 21, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany.** We are having a Hymn Sing! Donations will be accepted for the Personal Needs Closet housed at North Westminster Presbyterian Church. Wendy has the day off, but will be back on Sunday, January 28.

### Announcements

**Let Us Know.** When you have prayer requests, would like a visit, are going to be out of town, or have a change in your contact information, please fill out a Communication Update form (next to the guest register) and place it in the box.

**Prayer Requests** may be made using several methods. You may call or email the office, send an email prayer request (look on back page of these announcements for details), or you may fill out a pink slip that is available at the Commitment Center and turn it in at either the sound desk or the church office.

**Weekly Reminders.** Delta sends out weekly email reminders of upcoming worship services and other events. If you are not currently receiving these emails and would like to, please contact the church office at [office@deltapresby.org](mailto:office@deltapresby.org) and we will add you to the list.

**Per Capita-\$28.98.** Each year Delta Presbyterian Church pays money to the larger church based on our membership. This per capita pays for the administrative expenses of the Presbytery of Lake Michigan, Synod of the Covenant, and General Assembly. We ask you to consider paying your own per capita, which for 2018 is \$28.98 per member. There is a special envelope in with your offering envelopes for per capita, or you can simply write per capita on the memo line of your check and put it in the offering on Sunday morning.

**Visit the Commitment Center** and sign up to:

- Provide refreshments for **Sunday Coffee Time**
- Support **Advent House Meals** (for the homeless in Lansing) by providing food, assembling sandwiches
- Teach **Sunday School** this winter

**Visit the blue Friday Night Fun** bulletin board and sign up to:

- Help with **Friday Night Fun, 6-9 pm, February 9**

### Children's Ministry

**Friday Night Fun.** Our next Friday Night Fun is Friday, February 9. Sign-up sheet is on the blue Friday Night Fun bulletin board in the narthex.

**PLEASE JOIN US** in helping to grow the faith of the young members of our Delta family. We are looking for people who are willing to spend time teaching our primary grade students. Ideally, we are asking for a one month commitment which will give continuity to the program. But, we can be flexible. If you are interested, please contact Laurie Stirling: 517-321-0553. You will grow YOUR faith, too!

## Adult Education

**An Exercise in Yoga.** Jane has been having back problems, so there will be NO YOGA in January.

### Opportunities to Serve at Delta and Beyond

**Delta Quilters** are looking for people to join their wonderful ministry and fellowship. They meet downstairs on Wednesday mornings at 9:30 am. You don't even need to know how to quilt or sew; there are also opportunities to cut or iron or pin. If you have any questions, just ask Rhonda Fort or Trudie Frick.

**Toasty Toes.** Mission Committee is collecting socks of all sizes in January. These donations will go to area homeless shelters.

**Mad Hatters, Knitting & Crocheting** service group is meeting in the La Leche Room downstairs on Mondays, 3-5 pm. If you have any questions, please contact Flora Gilbert at 517-708-0529.

**Kids Hope, USA.** If you are interested in mentoring an at-risk child, please contact Jan or Roger Small, 323-9238.

**Delta's Hats (and Quilts).** Our Mad Hatters and Quilters create hats and quilts that we give away. The hats go to chemo patients, shelters, schools, and other places where there is need. The quilts go to people struggling with health issues and area shelters. We invite you to be involved in this ministry of sharing. Like Kiki in the story, *Kiki's Hats*, we encourage you to take hats and quilts to distribute to those in need. There is a book in which you can write about where you take them and how they are received. Together we will write the story of *Delta's Hats and Quilts*. The hats and quilts are available in the first cabinet in the Commitment Center.

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**Jazz Night with clarinet virtuoso Dave Bennett at the Presbyterian Church of Okemos, Saturday, February 10, at 7:00 p.m.** Dave Bennett is a multi-instrument phenomenon, playing the clarinet, guitar, drums, piano. He vocalizes and composes a variety of musical styles. He has performed with over 50 orchestras throughout the U.S. and Canada including a performance at Carnegie Hall, and is featured in dozens of music and jazz festivals. In addition to playing on Saturday night, Dave will play during the Sunday morning worship service, February 11, at 10:00 a.m. All are welcome.

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### Church Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday, 9:00am – 3:00pm

## CHURCH STAFF

Wendy S. Pratt, Pastor  
Ellen Jackson, Admin. Asst.  
Kerri Buchanan, Clerk of Session  
Sarah Dymond, Handbell Choir Dir.  
Mark McElwee, Adult Choir Dir.  
Frederick Isaac, Accompanist  
Sarah Dymond, Financial Secretary      Joe Frick, Treasurer  
Kyle Dymond, Website Coordinator  
Jan & Roger Small, Program Directors of KIDS HOPE USA  
Cindy Schilling, Assistant Director of KIDS HOPE USA  
Cheyenne Storey, Youth Leader  
Emily Overton, Child Care Provider

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## SESSION MEMBERS

Class of '18  
Kyle Dymond  
Jan Small  
Sharon VanCourt

Class of '19  
Kerri Buchanan  
Jane Elsinga

Class of '20  
Jack Keys  
Jane Thomas

## DEACONS

Class of '18  
John Elsinga  
Mary Meier  
Ginny Noble

Class of '19  
Kris Fry  
Mark McElwee  
Kathy Peters

Class of '20  
Jim Dexter  
Jon Vogler

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We want to minister to you and support you, so if you, someone in your family, or others are in the hospital or in need of a visit or prayer, please contact the office or your deacon.

***Email Prayers.*** If you would like to receive email prayer requests, send an email to [\*\*deltaprays@gmail.com\*\*](mailto:deltaprays@gmail.com) indicating your interest. If you have a situation in need of prayer, send an email to [\*\*deltaprays@gmail.com\*\*](mailto:deltaprays@gmail.com) and we will send it out to those who have expressed a willingness to pray.

Wendy's day off is Friday. If you need to contact Wendy, her home phone is 721-1075, or she can be reached through e-mail at [\*\*wendy@deltapresby.org\*\*](mailto:wendy@deltapresby.org). Please feel free to contact her at any time if you have an emergency.

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## Servants

### Lay Leaders

Today: Cory McElwee  
Jan. 21: Maureen Dykstra

### Welcome Visitor Greeters

Today:  
Jan. 21:

### Door Greeters

Today:  
Jan. 21: Reemsnyders

### Communion Servers

Feb. 11:

## Prayer Care, January 14, 2018

Jane T., back problems  
Mary Jo K., at-home, rehab  
Family of June H., June died Jan. 9, aunt of Doug D.  
Family of Arnie V., Arnie died Jan. 8, father-in-law of Doug D.'s brother  
Family of Dallas H., Dallas died Jan. 9, friends of Mary Ann M.  
Bonnie W., health concerns, mother of Ken W.  
Abigail J., born Jan. 4, daughter of Noelle & Javier S., great niece of Jon & Meg V.  
Baby Frank, now on heart transplant list, grandson of Patty Z., Kathy P.'s beautician

## Continuing Prayers, January 14, 2018

Michelle, family issues, granddaughter of Nancy B.  
Lavern J., in hospice care, step-father of Doug D.  
Al W., strong chemo treatments, friend of Richard & Mary M.  
Rev. Rob C., undergoing chemo, pastor at Okemos Pres.  
Harvey J., myasthenia gravis, brother-in-law of Tom F.  
Rev. Stanley J., recovery from pneumonia, pastor of 1<sup>st</sup> Pres., Lansing  
Wendy J., inoperable brain tumors, wife of Baptist pastor, Tim J., neighbor of Richard & Mary M.  
Dawn, cancer treatment, neighbor of V.  
Carol, cancer treatment, cousin of Kathy P.  
Annetta C., pancreatic cancer, friend of Fran J.  
Evelyn R., health concerns, mother of Jan S.  
Martha P., personal issues, friend of Holly & David B.  
Kaleb B., non-Hodgkins lymphoma, 3 year old son of Todd and Dustie B., friends of Frank & Ellen J.