Happening Jan. 21, 2021



Please welcome Rev. Russell Heinrich on Sunday. He will be filling in for Pastor Susan while she is away. Rev. Heinrich and his wife, Pam, live in Verona and have three adult daughters and two granddaughters. They enjoy hiking in the Shenandoah National Park and on the AT, as well as different state parks. He served the United Methodist Church for 20 years. He served two appointments, one at Annex and the other at the Mt. Crawford Charge. He retired from pastoral ministry in 2019. He is currently a chaplain at Henry Funeral Home in Staunton. He is also a certified instructor for Rock Steady Boxing, working with individuals with Parkinson's Disease.

Our Mission Team wants to help Staunton UMC with their "The Green Hanger Project." They take gently used clothing (laundered with no stains or holes), new socks and underwear, personal care products and give them to middle and high schoolers who are in need. So if you're cleaning out those closets to make room for new Christmas clothes, please save those discarded clothes for this project. You can bring them by the church on Sunday mornings or during the week between 9 am - 3 pm. Questions? Please contact Lori Mooney. You can check out "The Green Hanger Project" website at greenhangerproject.com for more detailed information.



Augusta Health is reaching out to the community for help. Since COVID-19, their caregivers are exhausted and in need of some encouragement and support. Augusta Health has created an email address for the community to

write messages of care and support to those frontline workers. If you would like to send them a "Thank You" or "Hang in there" or send a picture or drawing, please email them at together@augustahealth.com.

Last chance to get something in the February newsletter is Monday, Jan. 25. Please email articles and/or pictures to office.bethany@gmail.com.

Sunday's Sermon Title: What I Am Suited For

Scripture: Mark 1:14-20

Happy Birthday to ...

21st - Barbara Miller, Randy Roller, Pam Roller

27th - Jean Houff

28th - Peggy Lucas

30th - Lloyd Meadows



Jean Houff's birthday is coming up on Wednesday, Jan. 27. Let's shower her with love and birthday wishes! She is at Bridgewater Home and isn't able to have contact with many folks. Her address is 302 N. 2nd Street, Room 220 Assisted Living, Bridgewater, VA 22812

Please be in Prayer for ...

Members: Tom & Jan Gorden, Lloyd Meadows, Judy Faby, Audrey Bradshaw (back surgery postponed due to COVID), Jean Radocha

Extended Members: Tom Lee - former pastor at Bethany, Our Food Pantry Neighbors ... Margaret K., Donna D., and Edward P., Kay Phillips - sister of Linda Byers, Wayne Martlock - father of Dani Martlock



Congratulations to Heidi and Kyle Morris on the birth of their son, Baker James, born on Monday, Jan. 18 weighing in at 6 lb. 11 oz. and 19.5" long. Proud grandparents are Amy and Donald Michael. If you would like to send

them a card, the address is 3271 Rockfish Road, Crimora, VA 24431.