

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Girlfriends Gathering Christmas Luncheon

December 10 | 11:30 AM

Join us for a Christmas luncheon at University Park Country Club, located at 7671 The Park Blvd, University Park. All women are invited, so invite your friends and neighbors! RSVP by December 8 and view menu online.

More Info: 941.681.8466
girlfriends@welcometoharvest.org

RSVP: welcometoharvest.org/girlfriends

Falkner Farm Christmas

Join us in blessing the children who live at Falkner Farm this Christmas. Visit our Angel Trees in the Gathering Area and Hospitality Hub 1, and check out our website to find out ways you can help. Remember that Christmas cards, donations for gift cards, and donations of candy and gently-used books/toys are due today!

More Info: Gary Hansell | 908.487.0173
gary_hansell@comcast.net
welcometoharvest.org/falkner

Harvest Youth Christmas Campfire

December 20 | 5 - 7:30 PM

All students 6th - 12th grade are invited to join us for a Christmas Campfire. We will grill burgers and hotdogs, make s'mores, play games, and worship together.

More Info: Brad Baten | 908.487.0173
bbaten@welcometoharvest.org
welcometoharvest.org/youth

TuesdayLIVE! New Semester Begins January 12 | 9 - 11:30 AM

Women of all ages and backgrounds gather weekly to nurture their faith through fellowship and small group study. The new semester will begin with an introduction to our two offerings of study: a 12-week study, *Jonah, Navigating a Life Interrupted*, or *A Disciple's Heart* (a church-wide study during Lent) and *The Upper Room* devotionals before and after Lent. Both studies will be offered at the same time. You may only choose one study. Please preregister at Hospitality Hub 1 and return form with payment.

More Info:
Melissa Gurchiek | 812.890.1069
gurchiekm04@gmail.com
welcometoharvest.org/tuesdaylive

Harvesters Visit the Vinoy January 20 | 10:30 AM - 3 PM

Come with the Harvesters on as they visit a bygone era of luxury and opulence with a tour of the Vinoy Renaissance Hotel in downtown Saint Petersburg. Following the tour, the Harvesters will enjoy a leisurely luncheon served in the hotel's restaurant, Marchand's Bar and Grill. Register online by Monday, January 11.

More Info:
Bob or Mary Stark | 231.564.0677
harvesters@welcometoharvest.org
welcometoharvest.org/harvesters



WELCOME TO HARVEST

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2015 | 9 AM WORSHIP

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WELCOME!

WE'RE GLAD YOU ARE HERE ●

FIRST TIME AT HARVEST?

We are glad to have you as our guest. We hope this information helps you get to know a little about who we are. Of course, the best way to find out is from the people. You are also invited to stop by our Hospitality Hub 1, which is located on your left as you exit worship.

WORSHIP TIMES

LAKWOOD RANCH CAMPUS

SUNDAY

9 AM Traditional

10:30 AM Contemporary

5 PM Harvest Youth: HY5

THURSDAY

6:48 PM Coffeehouse Style

BAYSHORE CAMPUS

Worshipping at Lee Middle School

SUNDAY

10:30 AM

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MISS A
MESSAGE?
Catch up
online!

9 AM WORSHIP

Please take a moment to silence your cell phones.

CALL TO WORSHIP

WELCOME

Rev. Steve Price

SONG

We Three Kings

United Methodist Hymnal #253 vv. 1, 2, 5

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLES

Eric, Heather, Olivia and Maxwell DeGrave

OPENING PRAYER

Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

CHORAL ANTHEM

Shout for Joy, Ye People by Joseph Martin

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 2:1-12 (CEB)

MESSAGE

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SONG OF RESPONSE

O Thou Who Camest from Above

United Methodist Hymnal #501 vv. 1-4

HOLY COMMUNION*

SONG

O Little Town of Bethlehem

United Methodist Hymnal #230 vv. 1, 2, 4

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing arr. Cummings

**Gluten free bread and juice are available at the far left serving station.
Please place your Connect Card in an offering box during this time.*

MESSAGE SERIES



FOLLOW THE STAR: ADVENT 2015

Advent: a time of waiting and anticipation. In the church, it is the time when we prepare our hearts and lives for the celebration of Christmas. This year, our Advent worship experiences will invite us to learn from Mary and Joseph, the shepherds and wise men, and John the Baptist how to get ourselves ready for Christ's coming. Join us each week as we hear from a different participant in the story, learning what it meant for each to be faithful as a part of God's plan to send a Savior into the world.

Next Week: December 10 and 13

"Follow" (Joseph) | Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

Scripture: Matthew 2:1-2