



Sunday, Nov. 12, 2017

# MISSIONS seeing **both** sides

## TODAY IS COMMUNION SUNDAY

AAC serves grape juice instead of wine. Please see an usher or deaconess before the service if you would like a gluten-free cracker.

## FOOD DRIVE

Sunday, Nov. 19 | Collected at the East and West Entrances

Pick up a bag in the Hub today and return it with non-perishable food items next week. The donations benefit those in need in the Fox Valley.

## THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

Wednesday, Nov. 22 | 7:00 p.m.  
Worship Center | No cost or registration

The book of Colossians reminds us to be thankful. Take a break from cooking and cleaning to gather together with your church family and give thanks to God for His many blessings.

## STREETS OF BETHLEHEM

Thursday-Sunday, Dec. 14-17  
Free and open to the community

Go back in time! As you stroll the village streets of Bethlehem, you will see, hear, smell, touch, and taste what life was like the night of Jesus' birth.

Stop by any desk in the Hub to pick up invitations for friends, neighbors, and co-workers to this free community event. Visit [streetsofbethlehem.org](http://streetsofbethlehem.org) to for volunteer opportunities.

## GLOBAL CONNECTIONS

### Operation Christmas Child

Pick up shoeboxes to fill at the East and West entrances. Drop off completed boxes by 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 19.

These shoeboxes transform the lives of children and their families around the world through gifts and the Good News! For more info, visit [aachur.ch/packocc15](http://aachur.ch/packocc15)

## STUDENTS

### Greenhouse Baptisms

Wednesday, Nov. 15 | 7:00-8:00 p.m.

"Believer's Baptism" is for students who have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Please join us as in the SMC as we celebrate the students who have chosen to be baptized.

## WOMEN

### mom&me

Begins Jan. 3 | 9:00-10:30 a.m.  
First and third Wednesday of the month

Moms of young children: Join us on the first and third Wednesday of each month for music, crafts, movement, and storytime. No cost, but please register at [aacwomen.org](http://aacwomen.org)

### Save the Date: Encounter 2018

February 16-18, 2018  
Osthoff Resort | Elkhart Lake, WI

We've renamed Women's Retreat to Encounter: A Weekend for Women. This year's guest speaker, Mary Kassian, will explore how one can be *Living as a Wise Woman*. Registration opens on Nov. 20 at 6:00 a.m. at [aacencounter.org](http://aacencounter.org)

## WELCOME We're glad you're here!

Stop by the Welcome Center in the Hub. We have a gift for you and would love to connect with you. Find out what's happening at AAC at [appletonalliance.org](http://appletonalliance.org)

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Appleton Alliance Church

Sunday Services: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

## A message from Dr. Mark Byrom

Our guest speaker, Mally McLoughlin, loves Jesus! He is married to Val and has two kids, Dylan (12) and Pearl (10). Originally from Ireland, Mally has lived and worked all over the world from England to Australia, and now serves in Paris, France. His past careers have included print and design, food service, teaching, and currently, pastor. His memoir, *The Second Lap*, chronicles his battle with alcoholism and the saving grace of Christ and is an Amazon bestseller. He loves family adventures, playing the drums, and running ultra-marathons.

## NOTES