Announcements for Sunday, November 8, 2020

Annual Christmas Flower Sale Begins Today!

Orders due December 7

The youth are accepting orders for **Poinsettias and Christmas Cacti** that will be placed on the altar and photographed and integrated into our virtual Christmas Eve service. Arrangements will be made for you to pick up your flowers early so that you can enjoy them in your home on Christmas. Pick-up dates and times will be posted later when that information is available. The order form can be found on the website. Poinsettias are available in red, white, pink, marbled, or burgundy. All plants are in 6" pots and sell for $10.00. Proceeds will benefit this year’s Sunday School Africa University Mission Project. **Send the form with your check to the church office, attention Wendy Cooper or email Wendy at sundayschool@noumc.org.**

Support Adopt-A-Family

*Next Sunday, November 15 is Penny Sunday*

Each year we have the opportunity to purchase Christmas presents for people in need through Oxcart Pantry. This year, due to the pandemic, the format is going to look different. Oxcart Pantry is forming a plan to make an online gift registry for each group of donators. See future announcements for more details.

Whether you plan to purchase items through the online registry or you don’t feel comfortable doing so, you can support Oxcart Pantry’s Adopt-A-Family program by donating to the November Penny Sunday offering. Allow us to do your shopping for you! All donated money will be used to purchase Christmas presents for people in need. **Make checks payable to NOUMC and write November Penny Sunday Adopt-A Family in the memo. Send checks to the church office, attention Ed Brewster, Financial Secretary.**

Online Sunday School Is in Session

Elementary and Middle Sunday School students, please join us each week on our [Friends of NOUMC Facebook page](https://www.facebook.com/NOUMC/) as we continue to study God's Word! Each week, a video Bible lesson will be posted on the Facebook page, and links to activity sheets will be posted in the comments. High School and Young Adults are welcome to click on a weekly devotion with thoughts and questions to ponder. Video lessons and devotions will be posted by Saturday evening each week.

Sunday School teachers will be needed once we return to in-person classes; contact Wendy Cooper at sundayschool@noumc.org if you are interested.

Upcoming Meetings:

- Anti-Racism Group: Tuesday, November 10, 10:30 am, choir room
- Charge Conference: Tuesday, November 10, 7 pm, on Zoom (login information and brief instructions for participation will be provided via email prior to the Conference)