## WEEKDAY WORDS

Thursday, January 5, 2022

#### REMINDER: MASKS ARE AVAILABLE FOR YOUR USE.

### **THIS SATURDAY**

We need your help from 9 – noon! Wear your work clothes and join us as we clean up our building. You may volunteer with:

Alex Faulkenbury – cleaning up the former HNS rooms

Jan Jeffers/Jim Ulrich – cleaning up and moving the Bell materials

Joe Ford – cleaning up various filing cabinets of music

Belinda Burtson – cleaning up the kitchen cupboards

Brian Cornwell – cleaning up the basement.

We need teams of people in each area to help us GET RID OF STUFF, so come ready to help us reorganize these spaces.

### THIS SUNDAY

This Sunday at 9:30, we are back to our regular Faith Formation classes. Our adults will complete their discussion about Jesus' birth narratives, then sign up for a Sunday of leading *Starting Point*.

At 10:30, our worship service focuses on the season of Epiphany. According to our scriptures, wise people traveled by starlight to the place where Jesus was born. You will read all about it in the second chapter of Matthew. This will be our last opportunity to worship with the visual reminders of the Christmas season. The link for the live stream is at <a href="https://www.homercc.com">www.homercc.com</a>.

After worship, several generations of Bertrams are hosting coffee hour. Faith Formation will meet briefly, as well.

# **ANNUAL MEETING**

Sunday, January 22 is the date for our Annual Meeting. Together we will review this past year and set our ministry plans for 2023. In keeping with our by-laws, the booklets for the meeting will be available THIS Sunday (two weeks before Annual Meeting).

#### **FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION:**

We need someone who will "love" our kitchen. Now and then, the kitchen area needs some attention – throwing outdated stuff out, washing a towel or two, wiping down counters. If you are able to be the behind-the-scenes kitchen elf, let PV know.

Our youth program needs some leadership. There are several folks available to provide support; however, we need someone to take on the coordination and scheduling of activities. Is God calling you to such a role? Got questions? See Pastor Vicki.

Here is a benefit from the Susquehanna Association of the NY Conference. Our Counseling Assistance program will reimburse half, up to \$50, of up to 6 counseling sessions each year that are provided by a licensed New York State therapist (maximum of \$300.00). Pastor Vicki can help you find the form needed to seek this financial assistance.