Watchword for the Week is from Matthew 3:2 Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.

Looking Forward

Dec. 11 Children's Christmas Program 11AM

Dec. 13 Candle Trimming 6 PM

Dec. 14 Candle Tea for UC Academy 9 AM

Dec. 18 Christmas Lovefeast 7 PM

Dec. 23 Church Office Closed

Dec. 25 Christmas

Our Generosity

Last Week: \$3432

11/20 \$3149 11/13 \$2161 11/06 \$7071

Attendance Last Week

Praise Service 13 Sunday School 75 Worship Service 135

December 4, 2016 Second Sunday of Advent

Union Cross Moravian Church

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Cantata

Pastor: Rev. Russell Williams Choir Director: Phyllis Long Organist/Pianist: Janice Reich Alice Linville

Church Secretary: Dee McGee

Today

Infant Nursery
Courtney Draper
Pam Greene

Preschool Nursery
Kim Greene
Emma Greene

S.S. Opening
Dwight Deal

<u>Custodial Check</u> David Draper Jack Reich

<u>Ushers</u> Doug Vaugh Terry Tucker

Next Sunday

Infant Nursery
Frances Brown
Dee McGee

Preschool Nursery
Rick and Jill
Ramsay

S.S. Opening Karen Harris

Custodial Check
Jack Reich
Kim Craver

<u>Ushers for January</u> David Kapp John Woodard

Today

0.00 4 1 4	Draine Team Debegraal
8:UUAIVI	Praise Team Rehearsal
9:00 AM	Contemporary Worship Service
9:45AM	Sunday School Opening
10:00AM	Sunday School Class
11:00AM	Worship Service
5:00 PM	Christmas Party and Potluck

Monday

6:00 PM Joint Board Meeting

Tuesday

9:30 AM Circle 3- meet in the parlor
7:00 PM Circle 1 -meet in the parlor
Circle 2- meet in Recreation Hall

Wednesday

7:00 PM Adult Choir Practice

Announcements

Unity Prayer Watch- Union Cross has an opportunity to participate in the Unity prayer watch on January 1, 2017 from 4PM until midnight. You can sign up for as little as 15 minutes or an hour or more in the fellowship hall. The Moravian Church has experienced spiritual renewal and strength through a covenant of prayer. In 1727, the church in Herrnhut, Germany covenanted for an "hourly intercession" which continued for one hundred years with great blessing to the entire Moravian

Church. The "Prayer Watch" in which Moravians around the world participate was reestablished in 1957, the 500th anniversary of the Unitas Fratrum.

Fox8 Gifts for Kids-The Joy group are gathering new, unwrapped toys for Fox8 Gifts for Kids. Any donations can be placed under the tree in the fellowship hall. The children will deliver them to Fox8 on Sunday, December 11th.

Joy Group- On Dec. 11, next Sunday, we will be having our Christmas Party and going to FOX8. We will keep the kids after church and have lunch, then have our party. We will be leaving the Church at 2:00 for our 2:30 appt. at FOX8. The kids can be picked up at 3:45(or so!). This will be our last event of the year.

<u>Please remove</u> – Jayne Hill is in the more immediate presence of the Lord. ---Friend of Sarah Draper.

Ongoing prayer requests can be found in the November Newsletter.

Any prayer requests or updates can be submitted either by email (<u>ucmc@unioncrossmoravian.org</u>) or by contacting the church office (336-769-2411).



This evening we will have a potluck dinner at 5 PM with games to follow. Everyone is invited for Food, Fun and Fellowship!