

**Weekly Planner
November 20-26, 2005**

Sun 20	8:30 a.m.	Worship - Commitment Sunday
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship - Commitment Sunday
	3:00 p.m.	Baptism (by immersion) of Faith Ogilvie at Lebanon Church of Christ (Donna Jones' home church). Pastor Steve officiating.
	4:00-5:00 p.m.	Christmas Pageant Rehearsal
	4:30 p.m.	Follow-up Committee meeting in the Aldersgate Classroom
	5:00-9:00 p.m.	Special UMYF - District Thanksgiving Feast at 1st Fox Hill in Hampton
Mon 21	5:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting
	6:00-7:30 p.m.	Financial Wellness Series
	8:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting
	7:30 p.m.	Praise Choir
	8:00 p.m.	Praise and Chancel Choirs
Tue 22	9:30 a.m.	Craft Workshop
	7:30 p.m.	Thanksgiving Service
Wed 23		
Thu 24		Office Closed - Thanksgiving Holiday
Fri 25		Office Closed - Thanksgiving Holiday
Sat 26	8:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting



Warwick Weekly—November 20, 2005

We gather with gratitude for the extravagant goodness of Almighty God. As members of the family of God, let us rejoice and reach out in love toward one another.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS AND HYMNALS are available for use during the worship service. Please see an usher to obtain one.

Prayer Chain: If you have a person in need of prayer, call **Audrey Martinez** or **Elsie Mitchell** or the church office (877-2270) and your request will receive prompt addition to a prayer chain. If you would like to join the **electronic prayer** chain and receive 4 or 5 prayer requests a week or place a prayer request on the chain, contact Jim Rogers at **68eagle@cox.net**.

Serving Today

Greeters: 8:30 - Cliff and Doris Swilley
11:00 - Frank and Sharon Blake

Ushers: 8:30 - Jim Crittenden, Jim Dunn, Jerry Haynes, John Halberg
11:00 - Janice Fritz, Cathy Haskell, Sina Hofler, Debbie Stall

Junior Church Workers Today: 8:30 - Ken and Lisa Bradley
11:00 - Doug and Caitlin Comer

Next Sunday: 8:30 - Judy Wilson
11:00 - Mel and Chris Hofler

Prayer Thoughts

*We would worship you with gladness, dear God,
and enter your presence with humility. Amen.*

New Baby

The rose on the altar is in celebration of the birth of **Kaylee Jo MacLuskie** born on November 13 to **David and BJ MacLuskie**. Proud grandmother is **Norma MacLuskie**, great-grandmother is **Ruby Hambleton**.

****Please Note:** Pick up your **2006 Offering envelopes** from the hallway by the Fellowship Hall. If you don't find your envelopes on the table, put your name and address on the sheet on the table and we will see that you get them.



Sanctuary in November!

Dinner begins at 5:15 and worship is at 6:30.

Childcare is provided.

November 23 NO SERVICE - Thanksgiving

**November 30 The Gift of the Good Fight: Wrestling With God
Genesis 32:22-32**

A "Second Touch": A Study of Healing and Wholeness

Pastor Amanda's study on healing and wholeness will meet for the final time on November 27th from 6:00-7:30 p.m. We will experience a healing service. All are invited (whether or not you have come to the classes).



Financial Wellness Series

This evening from 6:00-7:30 p.m. **Marriage and Money** - keeping the "Moneymoon" alive, with a focus on engaged and newly wed couples. All couples are welcome. The session is led by Beth Cumming.



Craft Workshop


Tuesday's craft workshop (9:30 am - 12:00 noon) will be finishing items, pricing and preparing for craft sale. If you have questions you can call Billie Quigley, Marsha Six or Sylvia Custer.

Cookie Walk—Coming soon!!

You have probably received a call from one of our United Methodist women as we are trying to contact every member and friend of Warwick Memorial. We need your help in the enormous task of baking **thousands of cookies** for the Cookie Walk on Saturday, **December 3, 9:00 a.m. –2:00 p.m.** If you have not been reached by phone, **sign-up sheets** are available on the **bulletin board outside the church office** and in the **adult Sunday School classes**. We deeply appreciate your willingness to support the UMW fundraising missions.

Cuddly Critters

Our "Cuddly Critters" have been a big hit. We've received many comments and thank you notes. Please consider bringing a couple of **new** stuffed animals for the box in the hallway. We would like to continue this caring ministry. Thanks so much. **Kay Fries**

 <p>THANKSGIVING SERVICE</p>	<p>Thanksgiving Service Tuesday, November 22 7:30 p.m.</p>
---	---

Youth News

Today - - District Youth Thanksgiving Feast and Worship Service at 1st Fox Hill UMC in Hampton. Great food, guest speakers (including our own Kassaundra Carpenter!!) and 2 different Youth Praise Bands. Meet at the church at 5:00 p.m. and bring \$2 for the meal (the youth group is paying the rest). Returning around 9:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Middle School Bible Study - 7:00-8:30 p.m. at Mingee's

Wednesday - High School Bible Study - 7:00-9:00 p.m. at At Lee's

Next Sunday - Dick preaching at Sunday morning services

*****No regular UMYF****

Upcoming Stuff... Watch Youth Bulletin Board for more info and signup sheets:

- **High School Retreat** at Triple-R Ranch in Chesapeake Dec 2-4 - signup sheet on the bulletin board
- **Hanging of the Greens** at church (2-4 p.m.) Saturday, December 3
- **Junior High only UMYF** Sunday, December 4

Thank You

We would like to thank our loving church family for the calls, words of concern and prayers when **Tucker** broke his arm recently. A special thank you to the **Lance** family for the Cuddly Critter they delivered. It has been a great comfort to him!

Ken and Lisa Bradley

Thanks to PORT Volunteers and Supporters!

How can we express enough thanks to members of the Warwick Memorial congregation who volunteered or supported our PORT efforts at Parkview UMC on November 9 and 15, 2005? In doing this you directly helped many homeless people who needed the support offered by the PORT program. Without your support, these folks would have faced another night of sleeping on the streets rather than having the relative comforts of a warm and safe environment in a church social hall. "...Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." Matthew 25:40. Again, many thanks for all your efforts!

Joyce Bennett, Sina Hofler—WMUMC PORT Coordinators

United Methodist Day at the Virginia General Assembly

Our annual UM Day at the General Assembly will be on Thursday, January 26, 2006. The day begins at Ginter Park UMC at 7:15 am with registration and Bishop's Charlene Kammerer's remarks at 7:45. Buses transport participants to the Capitol for meetings with legislators till 11:45. Buses take everyone back to Ginter Park UMC for lunch. From 1:45 till 3:00 pm the group will hear from informed speakers about current legislative issues. One piece of important legislation has to do with our Advocacy for Children – it is the bill Darley Storey got introduced before the legislature last year. There will be car-pooling from Newport News – contact Pastor Steve or Darley Storey for more information.

Virginia Advocate

The Virginia Advocate is our monthly Virginia United Methodist Magazine. It is a resource to:

- ❖ Local church stories of faith and discipleship
- ❖ Practical ideas for ministry
- ❖ Training events for all ages
- ❖ Mission reports and opportunities
- ❖ News relevant for the people called United Methodist

Subscribe now for 2006. Subscription forms are on the bulletin board in the church office (\$15 for one year; \$25 for two years; and \$36 for three years). If you have questions, contact Debbie Keafer.

Shoeboxes, shoeboxes, shoeboxes!!!

Warwick Memorial, you did it again! You showed your marvelous generosity in filling **123 shoeboxes** to be given to children all over the world who may not receive any other Christmas gift. Thank you for helping show the love of Jesus to many children.

Text for Anthem

I Give My Life

Take my life and let it be a gift of service all for Thee.

Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.

I give my life to serve Thee, Lord; I give my all forevermore.

I give my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my love, my Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store.

Take myself and I will be ever, only, all for Thee.

I give my love to Thee, my Lord; I give my heart, its treasure store.

I give myself, Lord, let me be ever, only all for Thee.

Take my voice and let me sing a sacred song,

A melody filled with messages from Thee, a song of love for Christ, my King.

I give my voice, my Lord, and sing a sacred song,

A melody filled with messages from Thee, a song of love for Christ, my King,

A song of love for Christ, my King.

© 2005 The Lorenz Publishing Company, a division of The Lorenz Corporation.

CCLI License #688005



The children of Warwick Memorial will present their Christmas Pageant in worship on Sunday, December 4 at both the 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. worship celebrations. If you can help with the production or have children who can be in the pageant, please contact Carol Hollingsworth.

Schedule for Children's Christmas Pageant

November 20, 27 Rehearsal 4:00-5:00 p.m.

December 1, 2, 3 Rehearsal 4:00-5:30 p.m.

December 4 Pageant 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

(Be dressed in costume and get with your adult group leader.)

Poinsettias and Christmas Giving - 2005

You may place a poinsettia in the sanctuary and/or give a gift to the United Methodist Family Services or WMUMC Organ Fund in honor or in memory of a loved one. Poinsettias will be placed on the altar **Sunday, December 18 and Christmas Sunday**. The cost is **\$7.00** per poinsettia. Gifts to Family Services or Organ Fund can be in any amount. Please make checks payable to Warwick Memorial and mark your check either poinsettia, Family Services or Organ Fund. Poinsettia orders and money must be turned in by **December 4th**. Poinsettias not picked up after the service on Christmas Day will be delivered to shut-ins. **Place your order form and payment in the offering plate.**

Poinsettias Given By	In Memory of	In Honor of
Family Services Given By		
Organ Fund Given By		

****NOTE: Do you plan to pick up your poinsettia after the service on Christmas?**

___ **Yes**

___ **No, please deliver to a shut-in.**