

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JANUARY 18, 2026

Sunday, January 18 – Third Sunday after Epiphany

8:45am Worship Service (also livestreamed on Facebook)
 Young Children's (3-8 years old) Faith Formation
 Special Congregation Meeting - Sanctuary
 Coffee Hour

Monday, January 19

7:00pm Monday Evening Zoom Study

Tuesday, January 20

6:00pm Staying in Step – Basement

Thursday, January 22

10:00am Bible Study – Fellowship Hall

Saturday, January 24

8:00am Men's Breakfast – 83 Diner

Sunday, January 25 – Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

8:45am Worship Service (also livestreamed on Facebook)
 Young Children's (3-8 years old) Faith Formation
 Coffee Hour

A **Special Congregational Meeting** will be held on
Sunday, **January 18, 2026**, after worship.

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK: Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday 8am-112pm; Wednesday 8am-10am & 12pm-2pm

JANUARY 25 LECTIONARY TEXTS: Isaiah 9:1-4 * Psalm 27:1, 4-9 * 1 Corinthians 1:10-18 * Matthew 4:12-23

2025 ANNUAL REPORTS DUE FEBRUARY 18 Committee Chairs and Group Leaders: Please submit your 2025 annual reports by email, quickel@comcast.net, to Jennifer Lau, Administrative Assistant, by **February 18**.

QUICKEL QUILTERS gather on Monday, January 26th at 9am in the Fellowship Hall. Quickel Quilters will then continue to meet on the first Monday of the following months beginning in March.

2026 VBS THEME Our VBS theme is going to be "Snowball Mountain Challenge," so now might be a good time to think about decorations. If you have anything snow or winter related that may work, remember that we can use it in June for VBS. Thanks for considering!

WOMEN OF LIFE'S QUARTERLY BUSINESS & BREAKFAST MEETING is 9:00am Saturday, January 31st, at Friendly's on Route 30. If you are coming, please let us know by signing up on the sheet in the Fellowship Hall or narthex.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS January 18, 2026 – Second Sunday after Epiphany

John 1:29 – "The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, 'Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!'"

The Israelites of old offered a lamb to God at Passover so that death might pass over them and do no harm. Over those long centuries of sacrifice, did they understand that this was actually God's gift? That God would be the true Giver of the true Lamb? Truly, we can never out-give God, for all that we have is His.

FINANCIAL UPDATES

Financial #s as of 12/31/25	
YTD Income	\$227,305.19
YTD Expenses	(\$223,660.96)
	\$3,644.23

Major Income Sources as of 12/31/25	
Offering - YTD	\$152,154.31
St. Paul's - YTD	\$58,171.08
Maranatha - YTD	\$10,275.00
	\$220,600.39