



# THE PAPER

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11th, 2026

## ATTENTION, GIVING STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN EMAILED!

You should have received an email from Church Center with your giving statement for 2025. (It was sent to your email address on file with us.) The link to download that statement will expire on January 20th, at 10:00 am! After that date, you can log in to your donor account in the app to access your statements, manage recurring donations, and set your donor preferences. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

**ALL ABOUT ALDERSGATE TODAY** Join us today for a light lunch after church for time together to learn about Aldersgate and what we do! Meet the Pastors, connect with others, and answer your questions about the programs, ministries, and services we offer. Meet us in the gym following the 10:30 worship service.



## CHURCH CENTER APP

We are so

excited to offer a Church app which provides one place for you to access the church calendar, register for events, give to the offering and find groups to attend. Go to your phone's app store, download "Church Center" and follow directions to find the Aldersgate page. Then use the app to stay connected and receive notifications!

**EMOTIONALLY HEALTHY SPIRITUALITY** We have a new Bible Study "Emotionally Healthy Spirituality" and it's not too late to join us! Learn how our emotional health affects our spiritual growth. Come learn how to unlock new places in your relationship with God as you learn how our own thoughts and perspectives shape our faith. Wednesday nights from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm.

## NEW MEMBER CLASSES

If you've been thinking about officially partnering with our church family, professing your faith in Christ, and making your membership with us official, plan on joining us for New Member Classes on Sunday, January 18th and 25th. Join us both Sundays', from 2:30 pm-4:00 pm, in The Chapel (in the main hallway, next to the gym) to get to know others who are new to Aldersgate, chat with our Pastors, and learn what being Methodist means. You can sign up on our Church Center App if you'd like!

**SAVE THE DATE: STUDENT SUMMER MISSION TRIP** Calling all High School Students! Mark your calendar's and save the date for our first (in a long time) Mission Trip! We'll head to Memphis May 31st to June 5th to serve a community in need and learn new skills together building ramps, repairing roofs, and improving people's homes. Plan on saving the spot on your summer calendar, and look for an informational meeting soon!

**SAVE THE DATE: CHILI COOK OFF** Our Chili Cook Off is planned for February 22nd, following the 10:30 a.m. worship service. Signup on the app to bring chili or simply let us know how many to expect from your family. "Non-chili" foods will also be available.

Wake-Up Call



## SUBSCRIBE TO "THE WAKE-UP CALL"

The Wake-Up Call is daily devotion powered by Seedbed; a publishing house

focused on sharing Wesleyan materials. This daily devotion is offered through email, podcast, or on YouTube. Scan the QR Code to the right to subscribe. Start your new year with new habits and join us in reflecting on this devotion every day!

## CHRISTMAS CARDS WANTED

If you have Christmas Cards used or otherwise around your house, please bring them to the church to be repurposed for ministry. You may drop them in Jodi Reinhard's office.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL

January 14th Chili, Hot Dogs, Chips, Salad Bar, and Ice Cream Bars. (Dinner served from 5:00 – 6:00 pm, by donation if able. Come and go as you are able! Bible Studies and Kids/Student Ministries to follow from 6:00-7:30 pm)

## HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

### **Monday, Jan. 12th**

6:00 am: Prayer

8:30-10:30 am: Pickleball

10:00 am: Explorers Bible Study

### **Tuesday, Jan. 13th**

Ladies Prayer and Bible Study

### **Wednesday, Jan. 14th**

4:15 pm: Choir Rehearsal

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm: Wednesday Night Meal

6:00 pm: Bible Studies, Small Groups, Children's Programs

7:30 - 8:00 pm: Chain Breakers

### **Thursday, Jan. 15th**

6:00-8:00 pm: Pickleball

### **Sunday, Jan. 18th**

2:30-4:00 pm: New Member Class





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