



ISLAND ALLIANCE CHURCH

Worship Celebration January 7, 2018

Our Mission:

Love Jesus and love people to Jesus.

Meditation and Preparation

Worship in Praise (please feel free to sit)

Welcome

Worship in Tithes and Offerings

Worship in Prayer

Worship in Praise (please feel free to sit)

Dismiss for Children's Church

Scripture Matthew 11:25-30

Message Pastor Tom Leonard

Come to Me

Closing Song

Benediction

Prayer for any need is available at the close of the service.

Island Alliance Church extends a warm welcome to our first time guests. Please take a moment to fill out the information slip inside your bulletin and place it in the offering plate during the service.

Upcoming Events

- Jan 7 9:00 am Sunday School classes resume
- Jan 7 after church Bible Quizzing
- Jan 9 9:30 am Ladies Bible Study
- Jan 9 10:30 am Ladies Bible Study
- Jan 10 Ministry reports due into office
- Jan 10 6:45 pm Untangled Youth Group
- Jan 10 7:00 pm Prayer Warriors
- Jan 13 10:00 am College/Career @ Reids
- Jan 14 after church Youth Mission trip mtg
- Jan 14 after worship Ushers Meeting
- Jan 20 9:00 am College/Career trip to DC
- Jan 21 Annual Meeting

☞ Next Sunday ☜

Welcome Ministry – Colby & Donna Garrett
 Ushers – Dillon Glasgow, Dwayne Nelson
 Nursery – Wanda Walters
 PreK-K – Tami Neilson & Caleb Coffelt
 Grades 1-3 – Maryann & Jenna Baker

ANNUAL MEETING JANUARY 21

Plan to stay after worship for our annual meeting of the congregation. At this meeting, we will adopt a budget for 2018 and elect new officers.

Ministry leaders, please have your reports in to the office NO LATER THAN JANUARY 10. If you need a copy of last year's sent to you, please contact the office.

Prayer and Praise List

GENERAL REQUESTS

Our nation, our President, our troops abroad and at home, and their families, law enforcement officers and first responders.

OUTREACH and MISSIONS

1. Missions – Puerto Rico

We pray for the ongoing needs in the Puerto Rico District of the C&MA. We pray especially for restoration of power and communications throughout the island which has affected employment and the economy.

2. The Persecuted Church – India

We pray for peace in India where there were at least 23 reported attacks by Hindu radicals on Christians during the Christmas celebrations.

3. Israel - We pray for Israel and peace for Jerusalem - that they will see the True Messiah, Jesus.

WE PRAISE GOD THAT:

John Dobbin is recovering from shingles. Phil Hall is recovering from surgery. Tina Plaugher is back to work but needs to overcome the pain from her back surgery.

We welcome our Guests

Thank you for deciding to worship with us today. We hope you will sense God's presence and the love of His family here. In order to get acquainted, please print the requested information on this flap and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher. We look forward to hearing from you.

Date _____

Mr. Mrs. Miss _____

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State, Zip: _____

Phone: (H) (C) _____

Other (H) (C) _____

Email: _____

YOUR AGE GROUP (check all that apply to your family):

Youth College & Career
 Adult Single Married

Names & ages of children living at home:

How did you hear about this church?

(Continued on reverse side)

(Continued from reverse side)

MESSAGE TO THE PASTOR:

I would like more information about having a personal relationship with Jesus Christ

I would like a pastoral visit or appointment with a staff member

I would like more information about:

- Church membership
- Sunday School
- Baptism
- Youth
- Infant Dedication
- Bible Study

Prayer Requests/Comments

Name: _____

Sign Up Sheet

I am signing up for: _____

I will bring: I can help with:

Name _____

Phone _____

Change of address/phone/email:
(Please use other side)

 **Announcements**

**Youth Mission Trip Meeting Sunday
January 14th**

Next Sunday, there will be a brief Parent and Student informational meeting for all students interested in coming on the Summer Missions trip to Providence RI. We will meet immediately following the Worship Service in the Double Classroom.

**Ushers Meeting next Sunday
January 14**

All ushers please stay after the service for a brief meeting to organize and regroup! If you are interested in being an usher, you are welcome to attend.

Nominating Committee

Nominations are open for the elected officer positions. Your nominee must be a member in good standing.

Budget Committee

If you are willing to serve, please see Colby or use your bulletin response card. Ministry leaders: please send your budget requests to Colby by January 8.

Annual Meeting Scheduled

After worship January 21. At the meeting, we will adopt a budget for 2018 and elect officers for 2018. Ministry leaders: please prepare a brief summary of the events of 2017 and have it in to the church office by January 10.

Bible Studies

Adult:

Tuesday Evening Bible Studies will announce new topics and start up dates soon.

Bible Studies

Sunday School Classes 9:00 am for all ages

Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Studies

9:30 am. Study: *Revelation*. Resumes January 9.
10:30 am. Study: *Armor of God*. Contact: Judy Villwock 410-643-6876. All ladies welcome. New study begins January 9.

****Ladies' Bible Study Tuesday meet at 6:45 PM for worship.**

Study: *TBA*. Contact: Karen Booze 410-643-7863. Start up date to be announced soon.

****Men's Bible Study Tuesday 7 PM.**

Study: *TBA*. Contact: Rodger Weese 443-496-0440. Start up date to be announced soon.

** Childcare available—please call in advance.

Youth

Untangled (6th--12th grade Bible studies)

Wednesdays from 6:45-8:30 pm. Contact: Collin Reid 419-277-7343.

Young Life (9th - 12th grade)

Club on Tuesday evenings. Campaigners on Thursday evenings. Contact: Kelly Magee 443-235-5189.

Young Adult

College/Career (Young Adults)

at the Reid's home. Collin: 419-277-7343. Study: Book of *Romans*. Meeting Sat, Jan 13 @10:00 am.

Prayer

Prayer Warriors

Wednesdays 7:00 pm.

WELCOME

Worship and Announcements

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'A Church for All People'

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Worship Service **10:00 am**
Nursery and Children's Church provided