

Welcome to Harvey Browne! Harvey Browne is a community of believers who share God's grace and an abiding love for Jesus Christ, seeking to be grown through worship and study, recreation and fellowship, service to others and loving care for one another. If you would like to learn more about the community here at Harvey Browne, please contact our pastor, Rev. Christine Coy Fohr (christine@hbpres.net). To sign up for our weekly email or monthly newsletter, contact Cheryl Granger (cherylgranger@hbpres.net).

Prayer List: Jeanne Luhr*; The family and friends of Jane Uhling on her death*; the family and friends of Nanci Chasteen on her death*; Lois Allen; Barbara Welch; Mike Ricketts; Kristi Caldwell, daughter of Dan Askins; Leslie Whitehouse; Donna Dues friend of Lynn Cole; Cyndi Lee Johnson, daughter of Marilee Phillips; Max Schuester, friend of Eric Hilyerd; Don Grover; Michael Smith, friends of Robert Rennie & Katie Kleinkopf; Peggy Mastropaolo; Patty VanCleave, friend of the Boswells; Gretchen Micka; Edith Light; Pam Douglas & Austin Burge, Friends of Diane Osborne; Norman Spratt; MarySylvia Thimling, mother of Cheryl Granger; Diana (daughter of Skip & Edith Light. *= added this week

Fellowship

Derby Dinner Playhouse— We are organizing an outing to Derby Dinner Playhouse's matinee showing of *A Christmas Carol* on **December 21**. We have 20 tickets reserved and can get more, but need to know **ASAP** if you are interested in attending. Please call the church office to let us know if you'd like to attend. Lunch starts at 11:45 and the show begins at 1:00. Tickets are \$25. 502-896-1791.

Wednesday Night Dinner- Join us for dinner & programs most Wednesday's from now through May. Dinner is a suggested donation of \$8 for adults and \$5 for children, with a family cap at \$25, but please do not let the cost keep you from attending! We accept payments via cash, check or through Zelle. **No Wednesday Night Dinner November 22. Happy Thanksgiving!**

Advent Is Coming- Advent is coming and so is the PW Christmas Coffee. Save the date **December 2**, 10:00am in Eline Hall. Reservations not needed. Contact Diane Osborne 502-220-3900. Bring family, friends and neighbors.

Advent Buddies- The Advent Buddy program is an opportunity for adults and children (through fifth grade) to better get to know one another at Harvey Browne. Each child is paired with an adult who will journey with them throughout the Advent season in the weeks leading up to Christmas. This year will have a little different flow, so read on! Advent buddies will be announced at the Advent Kickoff Party on December 3rd after worship. Buddies will be paired and complete an Advent activity together. On Sunday December 10 and 17th adult buddies will be responsible for leaving a note, card, or prayer in their child buddy's mailbox which will accompany a small trinket provided by the Christian Education Committee. On the final Sunday, December 24th adult buddies may leave a small gift (\$15 or less) in their child buddy's mailbox. For FAQs see the November newsletter or talk to Katherine (katherine@hbpres.net). **The deadline to sign up is Sunday, November 26**. To sign up to participate (adults and children), fill out the form at <https://forms.gle/qg6nhtdLyD3cuAEv9>

Advent Kickoff Party- Advent is a season before Christmas where we prepare for the coming of Jesus, and we are kicking off the season of Advent with a party! Stay after worship on **December 3**, the first Sunday of Advent, for lunch, Advent activities, and decorating the church for the Advent season with Hanging of the Greens. Plus, Advent Buddies will be paired with their buddy and complete an activity together. It will be a joyful time to be together and prepare our community of faith for this important season. Please RSVP for lunch by Wednesday, **November 29** by filling out this form at <https://forms.gle/EcbfP5cGWDxCPMSJ6> or calling the church office.

Advent Craft Fair and Coffee & Chocolate Sale- Our traditional craft fairs and coffee/chocolate sale will be held on Sundays, December 3 and December 10 in Emory Hall from 9:30 to 10:30 and from 11:30 to 12:30. This is a great time for early shopping with a purpose! Our purchases help small artisans in developing countries around the world and offer an opportunity to give gifts that are different and culturally diverse. If you have any questions, please contact Emily Brown, 502-896-2081.

Volunteer at Harvey Browne

Cabbage Patch Christmas Wrapping- From **November 15 - December 13**, volunteers are needed to wrap gifts for the Christmas baskets. Gift wrapping will be done after Wednesday night dinners in room 209. For Questions, contact Stacy Esterle.

Attention HB Bakers- If you or your children enjoy creating in the kitchen, please help us enhance our Wednesday Night Dinner desserts. We would like to occasionally feature homemade desserts. Items that can be easily cut and plated by our kitchen volunteers work best: cupcakes, holiday cookies, brownies, bundt cakes, sheet cakes, etc. Of course, if you enjoy making it festive for an upcoming holiday, that is great too. We typically feed around 80, so we are looking for 3-4 to sign up to participate on a date. Date needed is **December 13** (Christmas). Desserts need to arrive by 4:00pm on the Wednesday you sign up for. If you are interested in preparing or providing something, please reach out to Joni Burke (jonikburke@gmail.com or 502 291-3442) or anyone on the Congregational Life Committee.

Harvey Browne Book Clubs

If you buy your book at Carmichael's and mention Bookanalia or Booktalk at Harvey Browne, you will receive 20% off.

Booktalk- Booktalk for Tuesday, **November 28th** at 11:30 on Zoom and in the Living room will be *The Beekeeper of Aleppo* by Christy Lefteri. "This unforgettable novel puts human faces on the Syrian war with the immigrant story of a beekeeper, his wife, and the triumph of spirit when the world becomes unrecognizable".