

Announcements

The choir will rehearse briefly following worship today.

Worship Note:

Established in 1925, the Reign of Christ Sunday (*or Christ the King*) is a relative newcomer to the liturgical calendar. Just a year away from its one-hundredth birthday, it wraps up the Pentecost Season as we transition into Advent. Whether with white and gold, receive this as an opportunity to put a grand exclamation mark on the season now concluding. To sweep us forward into Advent, we decorate the sanctuary at 1pm today. All are welcome to help.

Join us at **Old Leacock** at 7:00 p.m. this Wednesday evening for our annual **Thanksgiving Eve Service.**

The **Toys for Tots** box is in the Narthex. Pickup will be the 2nd week in December. The need is same as last year. Gifts for boys and girls in the ages of 9 to 12 years old can be jewelry, games, watches, personal care items.

We will be making **Peanut Butter Bonbons** again this year at 9:00 am on **December 2**. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Narthex if you would like to help make them or donate supplies. There will also be a sign-up sheet to order bonbons for Thanksgiving and/or Christmas. You will be able to pick them up here at the church, or you can buy them at Loretta McClarigan's shop. We will have milk chocolate, dark chocolate, or mixed at a cost of \$8.00 per container.

If you wish to purchase a **Christmas Poinsettia** for \$8.75 to be placed in the sanctuary in memory/honor of someone, please return your form and money to the church office by **Sunday, December 8**. Forms are in the Narthex.



Saturday, December 7
8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Our **Christmas Bazaar** is fast approaching!

We're counting down the days to the Christmas Bazaar and hoping you will mark your calendar to attend. There will be Christmas ornaments, decorations, baked goods, peanut butter bonbons, barbeque, homemade soups, hot dogs, hot chocolate, coffee, and much more.

Needed: Cookie Bakers

Food items will be needed for the Holiday Café, and we will be selling plated cookies. Please plan your Christmas baking accordingly. We also would love to have home-baked breads, artisan, yeast, or fruit – sign-up sheets are in the Narthex. Café food items should be brought to the kitchen by Friday, December 6. Mark your food containers so we can return them to you. Questions? See Angela Killian or contact her at 301-452-2215.

If you would like to order **Sanctuary Flowers** in memory or in honor of someone or a special occasion, **Sunday, December 15 and Sunday, December 29** are available.