

First Presbyterian Church

Hanging of the Greens- Sunday, Nov. 22 after worship, snacks will be provided. Please join us to decorate our beautiful building for the Christmas Season. Many hands make light and quick work!

Presby Book Club meets on the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 pm.

The next meeting will be Monday, Nov. 23 to discuss *The Ballad of Trenchmouth Taggart* by M. Glenn Taylor. There will be no meeting in December and will resume January 25, 2010 with *The Coroner's Lunch* by Colin Cotterill. All are welcome.

Presbyterian Women (PW) Winter Gathering

Wednesday, Dec. 2, 2009 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. Whether you are a ling and faithful member or have never checked us out, please join us for a lovely evening and to see what's new with PW!

National Children's Memorial Candle Lighting Service

Sunday, December 13th at First Presbyterian. 5:30 Sanctuary open for reflection, 6:00 pm Candle Lighting Service. Sharing, fel-

lowship and refreshments will follow in the Chapel. During the service, the children's names will be read and a candle will be lit in loving memory. A table will be set up for anyone who wishes to display photos or mementos. If you know anyone who has lost a child and would like to be included in this service, please have them call Holly Stitt at 744-5434 by December 6th. Open to the Public-all are invited to come and support us in remembering our children. This service is held in conjunction with The Compassionate Friends Worldwide Candle Lighting.

Christmas Eve Services December 24, 2009

- **5:30 pm Family Service-**A brief, fun, interactive celebration of the Christmas Story appropriate for the whole family. Come as you are and hear the nativity story again for the first time.

- **Fellowship in the Chapel-**Whether you are attending one service or both, please join us in between for a casual time to enjoy visiting, cookies and punch.

- **7:30 pm Traditional Service-**A traditional service of Carols, Candlelight, and Communion.

Did You Know?

According to the Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS), during the Christmas/New Year's holiday period, the number of long distance trips increases by 23 percent compared to the average number for the remainder of the year. Surprisingly, roughly 91 percent of those trips are by personal vehicle, such as a car. Statistics also indicate the average long distance trip taken during Thanksgiving is shorter than that taken during

the Christmas holiday. During the Thanksgiving holiday, the average long distance trip length is 214 miles, while the average trip during the Christmas holiday is 275 miles. And while many travelers associate Thanksgiving with heavy traveling, the average trip during Thanksgiving week is actually shorter than that during the rest of the year, when the average long distance trip is 261 miles.

Cranberry Mall holiday shopping

Shopping Spree Giveaway Nov. 1 - Dec. 15. Win a \$1,000.00 Cranberry Mall Shopping Spree... drawing will be held Dec. 15, just in time for the holidays!

Pick up a Frequent Shopper Card at the Customer Service Center for complete details.

Blood Drive Nov. 14, 11 am - 4 pm. By The American Red Cross. Help Save A Life!

Santa Arrives Nov. 21, 10 am at the East Entrance in a horse-drawn wagon!

Free cookies for kids in center court while supplies last, and free wagon rides. See Mrs. Claus, too! Visit with Santa daily thru Dec. 24... keepsake photos available.

Spirit of Giving Campaign Nov. 21 thru Dec. 24. Purchase a gift for a child in need, buy a shopping bag or have your packages wrapped - all proceeds benefit Community Services of Venango County.

Happy Thanksgiving Nov. 26. Mall closed.

Early Shopping Hours Friday Nov. 27: 5 am - 9 pm Saturday Nov. 28: 8 am - 9 pm Sunday Nov. 29: 11 am - 5 pm. Department store and theater hours vary.

Deer Widow Day Nov. 30, open 10 am. Free gift & goodie bags with coupons to the first 250 shoppers, and coffee/donuts while supplies last. Spend the day... & save a buck!

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Nells in Cranberry Mall is hosting a Trollbeads Trunk Show

There will be special promotions for Trollbeads all weekend - including:

- * Buy 4 beads - get the 5th bead (up to \$25 value) FREE
- * Get a FREE bracelet (\$36 value) with purchase of an upgraded clasp

3 DAYS ONLY - Friday, November 13 thru Sunday, November 15

Knox Area Presents Once Upon A Christmas 2009

November 20 10am - 8pm
November 21 10am - 5pm
November 22 12pm - 5pm



Web site:
www.onceuponachristmas.info

Follow the snowmen for a holiday open house as area crafters, businesses and non-profit locations open for the weekend event.

You'll find Knox along Route 208 in Clarion County or off I-80 Exit 53 Knox or Exit 45 St. Petersburg.

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