Highland Avenue United Methodist Church

A Member of the River Churches Cooperative Parish

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SUNDAY HAPPENINGS

November 1, 2026

2026 HAUMC Staff & Leadership Team

Pastors
Rev. Angela Rotherham
Pastor Mauren Juliao

Lay Leaders
Pat McKee
Patsy Tessier

Music Minister
Ralph Cheney

Church Administrator
Vicki Record

Financial Secretary
Kitty Cogley

Financial Treasurer
Pat McKee

Benevolence Treasurer
Judy Meserve

Administrative Council
Phil Garwood

Board of Trustees
Rusty Greenleaf

Parish SPRC
Pam Mitchel

Stewardship and Finance
Jaye Trimm

Worship Committee
Connie Greenleaf

Caring Team
Sandy Batten

Parish Coordinating Team
Vicki Record
Sharon Wogaman

Parish Council Reps
Pat McKee
Kitty Cogley

Custodian
Coley's Cleaning

This Week at Highland Avenue UMC

Today	**9:30 am** Service of worship
	5:00 pm Community supper at Christ Episcopal Church
Monday	**2:00 pm** Singing with Sandy at Gray Birch, Augusta
Wednesday	**9:00 am** Worship Committee meeting
	6:00 pm Church Conference at Cox Memorial UMC

Sharing in Today's Ministry:

Greeters: **Sandra Robinson, June Black** and **Johnathan Turcotte**
Assistant Greeter: **Patrick Wood**
Worship Leader: **Rev. Angela Rotherham**
Lay Reader: **Cindy Malcolm**

November Mission Project: During the month of November, we will be collecting food items for Chrysalis Place for their Help-a-Household campaign. You can bring items to the church and place them on the altar rail. There is a list of suggested food items included with the bulletin. Thanks for your generosity.

Church Conference: Thanks to all who submitted forms for the church conference. Booklets are available in the hallway. Please review them and join us at the Church Conference on November 4 at 6:30 pm at Cox Memorial UMC. Carpooling is recommended If you have questions about a report, please speak to the person(s) who submitted it.



Poinsettia Fundraiser -- Today is the last day to order poinsettias for our altar during the season of Advent. There is a sign-up sheet in the church entryway You can contact Kay Gregory at 582-1452 or by e-mail at kgregory1452@gmail.com by November 3 to place an order. Payment will be due by Sunday, November 22 and plants will be delivered on Friday, November 27 .

The following are the choices and prices (prices same as past 4 years):

6.5" (one stem) -- Red, White or Pink for $14.00 each
7" (two stem) -- Red, White or Pink for $22.00 each

This fundraiser is to help pay our church bills, so any extra orders you can get are welcome. There is a form in the hallway for you to list names of loved ones for whom you may want to dedicate your plant; there will be an insert on the first Sunday of Advent, November 29.

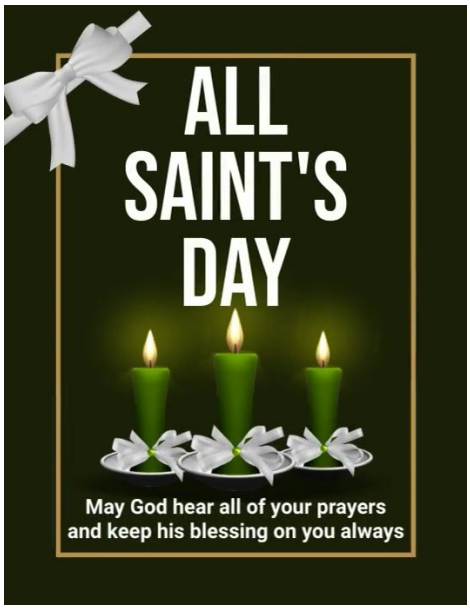
Soup-to Go: The finance committee will be offering soups/chowders/stews for sale on November 15 following worship. Kitty Cogley will be taking orders. Be sure to order early!

Parish Happenings:

DRUM Free Breakfast, Saturday, November 7, 8am: All are welcome!

Bible Study Opportunitys: **Thursdays at 6 pm at East Pittston UMC**; each chapter in the Book of Matthew will be studied and **Tuesdays at 1pm at DRUM Church**; the Psalms will be studied. All are welcome.

Parish Christmas Fair: November 21, 8:30 - 2pm at Cox Memorial UMC. Judy Meserve and Kay Gregory are organizing our tables; They are looking for crafts to sell, baked goods, etc. and workers to help with set-up, clean-up and manning the tables during the fair. Please speak to them if you can help.



November Worship Schedule

November 1	Pastor Angela *(communion)*
November 8	Pat McKee
November 15	Pastor Ruth Merriam
November 22	Pastor Angela
November 29	Ralph Cheney (Music Sunday)