



# Headline News

from First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor

For the week of Sunday, November 27, 2022



Today's  
Event  
Calendar

## Our annual Holiday Giving Tree program is underway!

Visit the tree outside the office to take a tag or visit:  
<https://www.fumc-a2.org/holiday-giving-tree/>



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[www.fumc-a2.org](http://www.fumc-a2.org)



General office email address  
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### Our Downtown Location

120 S. State Street • Ann Arbor, MI 48104

### Our Green Wood Location

1001 Green Road • Ann Arbor, MI 48105

YouTube: [youtube.com/FUMCannarbor](https://youtube.com/FUMCannarbor)

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## Connect With Us

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Check the Events Calendar  
[fumc-a2.org/events](http://fumc-a2.org/events)

## All Church All Ages

**Giving Tuesday** is this week - your gifts will support 2 anti-racist groups.

**Advent Vespers** begins this Thursday. Join in person or on zoom for a 20-30 minute service of meditation, song, prayer, and scripture.

If you have not yet pledged to **support FUMC in 2023**, please do so:  
[www.fumc-a2.org/annual-giving-commitment](http://www.fumc-a2.org/annual-giving-commitment)

## Worship Opportunities

[fumc-a2.org/worship](http://fumc-a2.org/worship)

Green Wood Saturdays 5pm  
Downtown Sundays 10am  
Wesley "The Living Room" Sundays 5pm  
Rise & Shine Wednesdays 7:30am zoom  
**NEW** Advent Vespers Thursdays 6:30pm

Catch up on past downtown worship:

- **Watch** YouTube worship services  
[YouTube.com/FUMCannarbor](https://YouTube.com/FUMCannarbor)
- **Listen** to podcasts of sermons  
[Soundcloud.com/fumca2](https://Soundcloud.com/fumca2)
- **Read** transcripts of sermons  
[fumc-a2.org/worship](http://fumc-a2.org/worship)  
(found with each service link)

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## Kids

Faith Formation  
birth through 5th grade

[fumc-a2.org/kidsmin-news](http://fumc-a2.org/kidsmin-news)

Volunteers wanted to help lead our Sunday school program!

Next Sunday (Dec. 4) our kids will lead Advent worship! All hands needed - contact Rachel for more information.



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## Youth

Faith Formation  
6th-12th grade

[fumc-a2.org/youthmin-news](http://fumc-a2.org/youthmin-news)

Sol Café Sunday morning youth option (today) Nov. 27 in Calkins @ 10am

Youth Group Game Night (tonight) Nov. 27 @ 6pm starting in the Social Hall

Support summer youth trips! Purchase gift cards via [RaiseRight.com](https://RaiseRight.com) or the RaiseRight Smartphone app. Get an enrollment code and details from Barbara Hoffman at Connections or by emailing [barbarakhoffman@outlook.com](mailto:barbarakhoffman@outlook.com).

Looking ahead:

- Dec. 4 - Communion in worship (no Sol Café that morning)
- Dec. 18 - Youth Christmas Drama!



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## Adults

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Adult Faith Formation

[fumc-a2.org/KLANewsletter](http://fumc-a2.org/KLANewsletter)

Disability Awareness Talk (today) Nov. 27 11:15am in Calkins/zoom - our topic: "How are racism and ableism connected?"

Next Sunday (Dec. 4) Centering Practices will participate in Advent Visio Divina.

Open Table and Open Table Redux will not meet through Dec. 1. They will meet for Advent Visio Divina on Dec. 6 and 8.

Please fill out the Disability Survey  
[www.fumc-a2.org/disability-survey](http://www.fumc-a2.org/disability-survey)

Creation Care is collecting and recycling small household batteries on first Sundays

December Sunday morning Adult Faith Formation classes planned:

- Science & Religion - Dec. 11

Weekly:

- Global Issues, Sundays on zoom
- Mindful Mondays
- Sermon Chat, Mondays
- Sunday afternoon walking group



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## College/Grads

Wesley Foundation  
[umichwesley.org](http://umichwesley.org)



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