

HOPE AT THE CENTER 11/14/18

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Town Hall Meeting with Dave Sunday, November 25 immediately following worship. All are encouraged to stay for an open topic discussion after the worship service.

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in honor or memory of a friend, family member or loved one and include it in the sanctuary for our Christmas services, please complete an order sheet. Place your order and your payment into an envelope and leave in the Administrative Assistant's church mailbox. 6" Poinsettias are \$9.00 each. You can request red, white or pink (conditional upon availability). Order forms and envelopes can be found on the podium in the Narthex. **Deadline for orders is Sunday, November 25.**

Women's Advent Breakfast Saturday, December 8, 9-11 am. Come join us for a morning of Faith, Food and Fellowship as we gather to celebrate this most holy season. Tickets are \$5 but please come anyway if money is an issue! All friends, family and neighbors welcome. A sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center. We will also be collecting food items for Open Door and a bin will be available.

DOERS OF THE WORD *and not hearers only (James 1:22)*

Hanging of the Greens Sunday, November 25 following worship and Town Hall Meeting we will need "all hands on deck" for decorating. We will have all the decorations ready to go in the long hallway. You may do the same "job" you had last year if you'd like. There are sign-up posters at the Welcome Desk. We will have pizza, chips, veggies and drinks ready at noon for everyone to enjoy when you are done as a reward for your hard work! It will be lots of fun and every age is welcome!

St. Mary's Shelter Meals Each November we provide and deliver meals to St. Mary's Shelter. This year will be delivering meals the week of November 26 – November 30. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center.

RBC is looking for a childcare worker to join our Sunday morning team. If you know of anyone who might be interested in this paid position, please encourage them to check out the job description on the church webpage. Information on how to apply is at the bottom of the job description.

AN ENCOURAGING WORD

"Creativity is so delicate a flower that praise tends to make it bloom, while discouragement often nips it in the bud. Any of us will put out more and better ideas if our efforts are truly appreciated." Alexander F. Osborn

If you have a quotation to encourage the faithful, send it to rbcabc@rbcabc.org.