



## Notes from the Road

We don't know who you are. You do, though, so as you read this, please feel the glow of the gratitude of the staff of Abbey Road Christian Church for the restaurant gift cards you snuck into our stockings. (Spell-check tells me that should be "sneaked," but c'mon, they were snuck. Anyway, thank you!)

What I'm listening to: "The Greatest Show" from *The Greatest Showman* soundtrack: (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NyVYXRd1Ans&list=PLioVnpDrBJPdGH3LoC85PgixsOq5vDUV3>). Holy cow, Batman, if that's how it starts, how does it go on? Looking forward to learning tonight at Movie Night!

—Doug

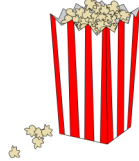
## The Green Room is the Waiting Room ...

... because we're waiting on enough copies of Parker Palmer's 1999 classic *The Active Life* to be shipped to us from used-book-troves across America. One of the joys of reading used books is finding previous readers' notes! Whose copy will have the best? Find out on coming Sundays in the Green Room at 10:45 am! (As we wait, we're discussing—and practicing—some spiritual disciplines.)



**The Cape Interfaith Alliance** will meet at Abbey Road Christian Church on Thursday, January 17 at 6 pm. Greg Heinsman will lead in brainstorming what the Alliance might do in 2019. Anyone interested in interfaith dialogue and relationships (and friendships, we hope) is welcome. This isn't a meal, but vegetarian soup and bread will be offered to tide us over. Offers of pots of soup are welcome! (should be vegetarian; please include list of ingredients)

**THE ABBEY ROAD MOVIE THEATER** will open the new year with new equipment this Wednesday at 6:30 pm with a screening of *The Greatest Showman*. Generous donors, thank you! We could still use a sound bar if anyone else is interested in undying gratitude and free popcorn for life!

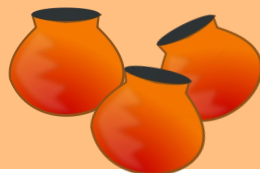


## What's round and devoured as if by a ravenous monster?

The moon when eclipsed, as some folktales tell it. We think, however, it might be pizza. Experience both at the Labyrinth at Abbey Road on the night of Sunday, January 20. Our **SUPERMOON TOTAL ECLIPSE WATCH PARTY** begins at 10 pm, ends at 12 midnight, and features pizza in the middle. Oh, and a total lunar eclipse, which will start at 10:41 pm, peak at 11:12 pm, and end at 11:43 pm. The MLK holiday is the next day, so tell your kids you can stay up late. Donations of pizzas shall be solicited; listen on our usual channels for more info about that.



This week's "Build the Road!" assignment ...  
... is to learn this by heart:  
"We have this treasure in clay jars..." (from 2 Corinthians 4:6-7)





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**Do you have someone to add to our prayer list? Please inform the church office or fill out a form found at the back of the sanctuary.**

### Worship Notes January 6

Attendance: 67

1st time guests: 2 Regular friends: 12

Offering: \$5,141

January 13

Treasure Chests

2 Corinthians 4:6-7

### Serving on Sunday, January 13

At the Table: Martin Needels (c), Jim Main (o)  
Distribution: Steven Piker, Adrian Wills + ushers  
Communion Prep: Felicia Fox  
Scripture Reader: Margaret Needels  
Greeters: Barb Farrar, Felicia Fox  
Ushers: Lavetta Bratton, Kilja Israel  
Abbey Road Adventures: Karen Piker  
Worship Capt.: Lavetta Bratton  
Soundboard: Breedon/Dean

### CALENDAR

#### Wednesday, January 9

9:30am Bible Study  
6:00pm New Life Singers practice  
6:30pm Movie Night—"The Greatest Showman"

#### Thursday, January 10

8:00am Women's Breakfast Group at Cracker Barrel

#### Sunday, January 13

9:30am Worship  
9:30am Abbey Rd. Adventures for children, K-6<sup>th</sup> grade  
10:30am Fellowship  
10:45am Sunday School

#### Monday, January 14

6:30pm Deacons' Cabinet meeting

#### Tuesday, January 15

8:00am Golden Boys at My Daddy's Cheesecake

#### Wednesday, January 16

9:30am Bible Study  
6:00pm New Life Singers practice  
6:30pm Personnel Committee meeting



- ◇ **Golden Boys** will meet at 8:00 on Tuesday at My Daddy's Cheesecake. Please join us for breakfast and conversation.
- ◇ *Our sympathy is extended to Judy & Randy McLain & family in the death of Judy's father, Leonard Gaden.*
- ◇ **Thank You** to Larry & Deanna Easley for the gift of a 55" TV and to David & Joetta Giles for providing a DVD player for the "ARCC Theater"!
- ◇ **The Food Bank/Helping Hand** calendar is prepared for 2019. Sign up for your special date.
- ◇ **Copies of the 2019 Budget** are available in the narthex.
- ◇ Mark your calendars: **Dinner Out with Friends** will meet at Mario & Angela's Italian Cucina at 5:30 on Thursday, January 17.



But we have this  
treasure in jars of  
clay to show that  
this all-surpassing  
power is from God  
and not from us.

2 Corinthians 4:7