

November- December Newsletter for Deansboro United Church of Christ

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	Greeters
November	Allan & Mary Dickinson
December	Dave Lloyd
January	Noreen Machold

Flowers
Dot McConnell
Tammy Sehn
Noreen Machold

****We can't do great things in this life, we can only do small things with great love****

The Women met on Monday November 2 at 7 pm. The items left from the Bazaar were put away & some will be out again on Dec. 12 as that is the date we set for our annual Holiday Cookie sale; luncheon and mini bazaar.

This will be from 10 am [Please have your cookies there by 9:30 am] to 3 pm with the Luncheon being from 11 am to 1 pm. The Women earned \$ 387 at the Bazaar on Oct. 24 and the total of quilt raffle tickets sold was \$840 and Sharon Bennett of Deansboro was the winner. The Women paid the contractor \$ 4790 for painting the front of the sanctuary, some of the church house and the trim on the shed in October. The shed roof was given 2 coats of a special coating in Sept for a cost of \$ 1790 and usually lasts for 10 yrs. The Apple Fest held on Oct. 3 earned us \$759.52. We earned enough SO we were able to pay the paint contractors and are building up our savings for our annual pledge to the church of \$1000. The Women appreciate all the help they get from our church family. The next Women's Fellowship Meeting will be Dec. 1 at 7 pm. and any woman can come to our meetings; sometimes we need new ideas.

The next Council Meeting will be Dec. 8 at 7 pm.

We all need to be helping out our church by volunteering to be an officer.

Sympathy to Debbi Steinman whose father, Bernard VonDauber died Nov.2. Debbi's address is 6650 West Hill Road, Deansboro, NY 13328.

Sympathy to Carol McLaren with the loss of her brother Gene Ford who died Nov.16. Carol's address is 6793 West Hill Road, Deansboro, NY 13328.

Decisions and Discussions from Council Meeting Nov.17 at 7 pm.

The treasurer reported our income to date is \$27,893 and our expenses to date are \$ \$24,733. The maintenance that has been done to our buildings and our new heating equipment has helped lower our costs. The money from the Harvest supper was appreciated.

The First Advent reading will be on Nov. 29; volunteer to Anthony Dangler or Mary Dickinson to help read on the 2nd, 3rd or 4th week.

Our Annual Hanging of the Greens will be on Dec. 6 during the 8:45 am service. SO helpers are needed at 9am on Sat. Dec. 5 to set up the tree and get the rest of the decorations ready.

The annual UCC offering for the Christmas Fund will be on Dec. 20, Envelops are in the narthex.

Our Christmas Eve service will be at 6 pm on Dec. 24.

Nothing had been done yet about the Poinsettias for Christmas. As soon as a source has been found; I will notify every one on my email list and it will be announced in church and forms will be available.

God Bless my Church Family, Edie