



**Sunday, October 5
Blessing of the Animals
10:15 AM service**

You are invited to bring your pet(s) for a special blessing at this much-anticipated annual service. We will hold the service outdoors, weather permitting, so bring a lawn chair or blanket. Pets must be on a leash on in a pet carrier.



Upcoming Events

- October 5th-Blessing of the Animals-No Sunday school
- October 12th-Voyager information session 9:00am
- October 19th-Explorer information session 9:00am
- October 26th-All Hallows Eve's Service with Halloween celebration, 4 pm
- November 8th-9th-Sleep Out for Hunger for Keystone Opportunity Center
- November 30th Advent Wreaths made during Sunday school.
- November 30th Missionaries group will feed the hungry at St Augustine's .

All Hallows' Eve Service and Celebration Sunday, October 26, 4pm

Children of all ages are invited to wear their costumes as we celebrate the ancient service of All Hallows' Eve. This short service is interesting, a little bit "spooky", and speaks of God's love and presence in all parts of creation. The service will be followed by a celebration with food, games, and fun!

****Please bring a snack to share!**





CLASS/YOUTH NEWS

Sunday School Information Sessions for All Parents

Rev. Kathy and Karin Schwabe will be holding information sessions during the Sunday school hour in the next couple of weeks for each class. We will have information available about the curricula for each class, goals for the year, additional activities for children and youth, supplies or participation requested of the parents, and time to answer questions.

All parents with children in Sunday school are requested to attend the sessions that pertain to their child/children. Please see the schedule below:

All sessions will meet in the Annex 2 multipurpose room at 9:00 am.

October 12th: **Voyagers Session (3, 4, grades)**
October 19th: **Explorers Session (1, 2 grades)**

KOC Sleep-Out for Hunger

November 8-9

Meet at COHS at 4:00pm

Rally at Main and Broad Street, Souderton at 5:00 pm

Raising awareness about the homeless in Bucks and Montgomery counties and raising funds for homelessness prevention programs provided by KOC.

What is a Sleep-Out? This event invites individuals, youth groups and local organizations to participate in the experience of sleeping outside for a night to remember that there are families in our local community with no place to sleep or call home. The evening includes awareness activities, group activities, a movie and the cardboard shelter building contest.

More details coming this month.

For 6-12 grades- If interested, contact Joe Mina or Richard Duesberry.