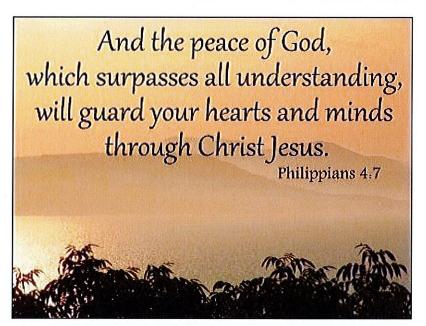
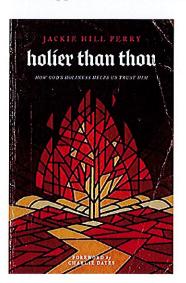
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## AMBC NEWSLETTER

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**Book suggestion for January** 



John MacArthur shared the following story:

Several years ago the Los Angeles Times reported the story of an elderly man and wife Who were found dead in their apartment. Autopsies revealed that both had died of severe malnutrition, Although investigators found a total of \$40,000 stored in paper bags in a closet.

He goes on to say, "the book of Ephesians is written to the Christians who might be prone to treat their spiritual resources much like that miserly couple..they do not take advantage of the great storehouse of spiritual nourishment..that is at their disposal."

David Powlison, in his book Seeing With New Eyes,, states, "You will not go wrong if you plunge into Paul's letter to the Ephesians. Master it. Be mastered by it. Work Ephesians into your thinking, your living, your prayers, and your conversation. The Bible is vast and deep, and human life is diverse and perplexing. Ephesians aims to teach you how to live."

So as we begin a new year we will take a dive into the book of Ephesians during our Sunday Worship Service and Sunday School. I will preach through this great book during the service and then in the Sunday School timewe will discuss questions from the Bible passage of the day.

In these days, starting a new year, we need to learn how to live. Join us on this journey as we seek God and the wonderful work that He wants to do and will do!

Pastor Scott



## **COME JOIN US!**

Each Sunday we have an opportunity to stay connected in worship by attending our Sunday service to enjoy to a shared message and study through scripture.

Join us as we continue to enjoy our worship and messages with Pastor Scott Burtis. I encourage you, if you do not already, to join us in our sanctuary on Sunday mornings at 9:45 am and also join us at 11:15 am for our in-person Sunday School. We are also live streaming on YouTube. Check our website at www.ambccandor.com for more details.

Please be sure to contact us if you need anything!



Our highlighted missionaries for the month of January are Alf and Tammie Wilkes. This excerpt is from their response to a newsletter sent to them by our Missions Committee:

Merry Christmas to all of you at AMBC!

Though the year has been challenging, we have also seen many opportunities for ministry this past fall. Perhaps the greatest joy was seeing Reverb Binghamton being able to take place. That and other incredible ministry opportunities are highlighted in our recent prayer letter (on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall).

We look forward to time with family and friends this Christmas weekend. Christmas Day will see us traveling around to visit all of our kids and grandkids who live in the area. On Sunday we will be traveling to Maine to see Tammie's best friend for a couple of days and then my aunt and uncle on the way home. A quick trip but one we are looking forward to.

Alf & Tammie



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6	10	6:00pm Deaconesses' Meeting 6:30pm Trustees' Meeting B-Dolores Schoneman	12 B-Scott Burtis	6:00pm Deacons' Meeting	14	15
16 Sanctity of Human Life Day	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 B-Geoffrey Ragsdale	24	25 B-Candy Kent B-Esther Grennell	26 B-Kelsey Leubner	27	28 B-Erin Foster	29
30 All-Hymn Sunday	31 B-Aaron Aman				Regular Sunday Services:	9:45am Worship Service 9:45am Journey Kids 11:15am Sunday School

Announcements for this newsletter should be received by Tammy Podufalski by the 23rd of the month prior to publication. You can send your announcement to Tammy by email at ambcsecretary@hotmail.com, phone at 607-280-4039 or by placing your announcement in the Secretary box in the hallway near the offices.

### WAYS TO GIVE YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS:

In person—drop your check, cash or pew envelope in one of the boxes located in the Fellowship Hall or front of the church.

Online—www.ambccandor.com/give

Text—text your amount to 607-333-7858



## Mark your Calendar

January 1 New Year's Day

January 8 7:30am Men's Breakfast at Bostwick's New Adult Sunday School Class Begins

January 16 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday

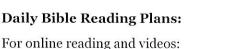
January 30 All-Hymn Sunday



Join us for our Men's Breakfast at Bostwick's on Saturday, January 8 at 7:30 am.



Can we pray for you? Go to our website and click on I NEED PRAYER.



www.branchtogether.org www.backtothebible.org www.blueletterbible.org





Open Hearts Dinner at the McKendree United Methodist Church

McKendree holds a free dinner (take-out only) each Wednesday (no dinner on December 29) from 4:00 to 5:30pm. Traffic flow starts on Delray Avenue and exits onto Rt. 96 (Owego Street).

Check the website at www.candormethodists/ openheartsdinnermenu for the weekly menu.



If you are interested in joining a group of us who will be praying for online prayer requests that come in through our website, please contact Tammy Podufalski and she can add you to the email list.