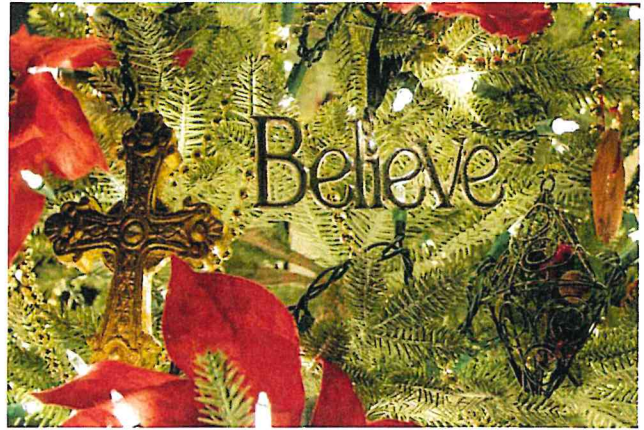


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Centered in God, Focused on Others



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Dear friends,

We wish you a Merry Christmas.

Love comes down at Christmas Time wrote Christina Rossetti in her famous poem. Love does come down . It surrounds us and fills our hearts.

The world is not full of joy this year . We are fighting in the Holy Land where there should be peace and love. As we prepare for our own celebration, let us remember in our prayers, our sisters and brothers in Christ and in faith in the Holy Land as we welcome yet again, the Prince of Peace, the Christ Child into our hearts and world.

We wish you a time for peace and love.

The Reverend Pattie Handloss

CHRISTMAS GIVING

Because of the disruption in plans resulting from the power loss at the church at the beginning of this week, the music and flower donations In Memory Of or In Honor Of...Names will be printed not only in the Christmas Eve bulletins, but also in the bulletin for Carols and Lessons, and the bulletin for the Second Sunday of Christmas in order to provide all the opportunity to include their loved ones.

We know that many of you look forward to making a Christmas offering to St. Andrew's every year. There will be Christmas Offering envelopes in the pews, the bulletins and at the doors of the Church. Also, please remember that you can give securely online using the "Give online to St. Andrew's" LINK on <https://www.standrewshanover.org> (Tithe.ly giving option).

Thank you for your financial as well as time and talent support of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church community.