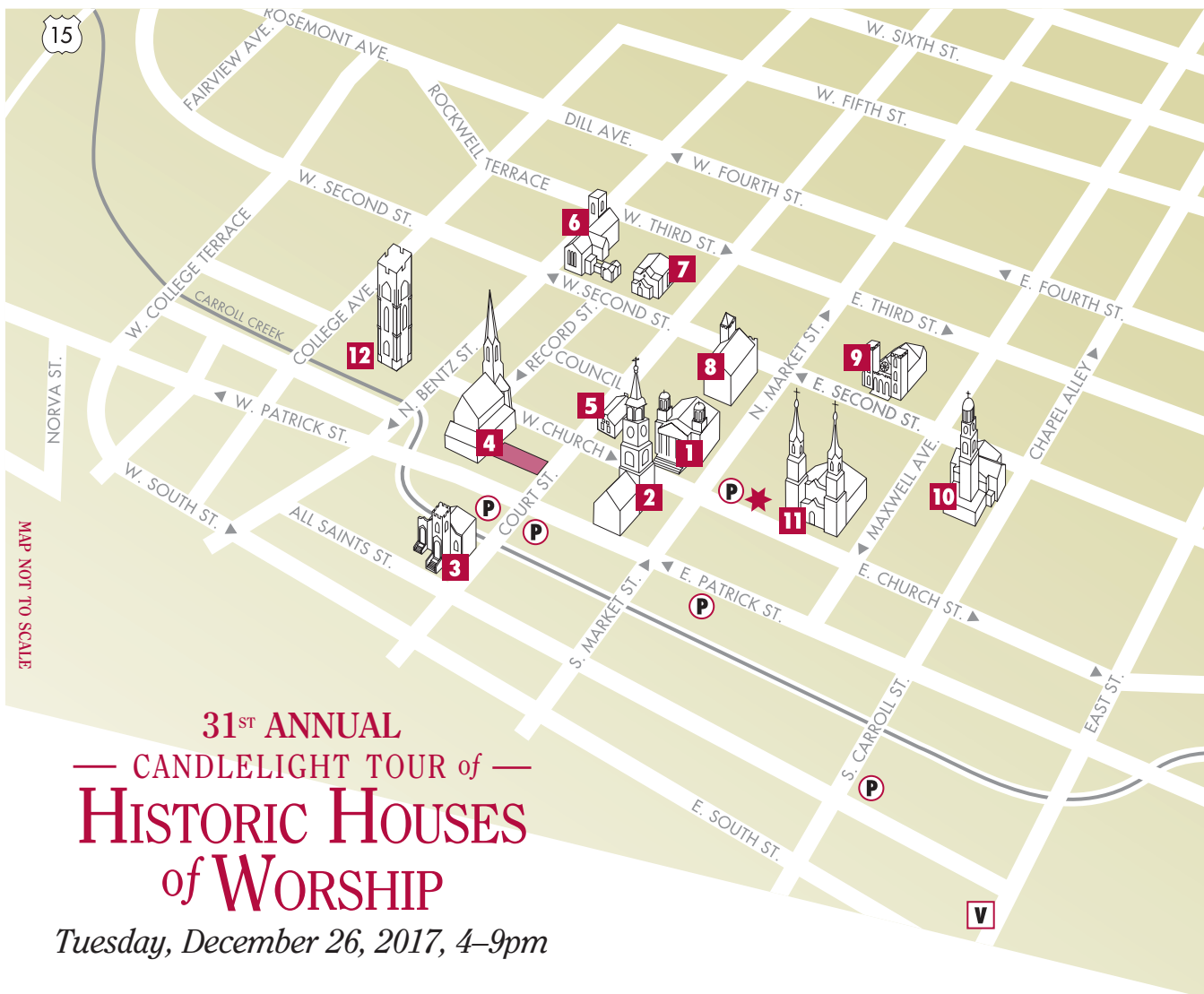


HISTORIC FREDERICK, MARYLAND



31ST ANNUAL — CANDLELIGHT TOUR of — HISTORIC HOUSES of WORSHIP

Tuesday, December 26, 2017, 4–9pm

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| <p>1 Evangelical Reformed United Church of Christ
11 W. Church Street</p> <p>2 Trinity Chapel United Church of Christ
10 W. Church Street</p> <p>3 Asbury United Methodist Church
W. All Saints & Court Streets</p> <p>4 All Saints' Episcopal Church
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104 N. Court Street</p> <p>6 Calvary United Methodist Church
N. Bentz & West 2nd Streets</p> | <p>7 Frederick Presbyterian Church
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118 E. 2nd Street</p> <p>11 Evangelical Lutheran Church
31 E. Church Street</p> <p>12 Joseph Dill Baker Carillon
Baker Park</p> |
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- V** Frederick Visitor Center, 151 S. East Street
- ★** Church Tour Information Center, 19 E. Church Street
Open until 9pm to assist you.
- ♿** Handicap accessible locations
- P** Parking
- ☕** Hospitality room and refreshments
- ♿♿** Public restrooms
- 🏠** Active congregations during the Civil War

BROCHURES AVAILABLE:

Frederick Visitor Center, 151 S. East Street, 9am–5:30pm (except Thanksgiving and Christmas), participating worship sites, local Roy Rogers Restaurants and sponsor locations. Also at Church Tour Information Center on December 26, 2017, 3–9pm.



All Saints' Episcopal Church • Calvary United Methodist Church • Evangelical Lutheran Church • Grace United Church of Christ
Special thanks to the Roy Rogers Restaurants for donating coffee and hot chocolate for this evening.

- 12** Carillon Recitals—Baker Park
Performed by City Carillonneur, John Widmann, for ½ hour (4, 5, and 6pm).
- 11** Evangelical Lutheran Church
Frederick Flute Choir (8–9pm)
Choirs of Evangelical Lutheran Church (6–7pm); Organ (7–8pm);
Evangelical Bells (4–5pm); Praise Ensemble (5–6pm);
Tristate Harp Ensemble (4–7pm);
Frederick Children's Chorus (7–9pm)
- 10** Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church
Bill Powell, Organ (4pm); Ann Rolls, Viola de Gamba and Richard
Rolls, Flute (4:45pm); Lazo Momchilovich, Oboe (5:30pm)
Peggy Frazier, Soprano (6pm); The Adult Choir of St. John the
Evangelist Catholic Church with Nae Pearson, Organ (6:45pm)
The Bell Choir of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church
(7:30pm); Carols Sing Along (8:15pm)
- 9** Grace United Church of Christ
Terry Sparks Music Studio (4–5pm); One God, One Voice Choir
(5–6pm); Marie Lester, Soprano (6–7pm); Eric Black, Bartone
(7–8pm); Hymn Sing led by members of Grace UCC choir (8–9pm)
Seasonal Music (4–6:30pm);
One God, One Voice Choral Singers (6:30–7:30pm)
Seasonal Music (7:30–9pm)
- 8** Centennial Memorial United Methodist Church
Organ music on 28-rank organ (4–9pm);
Christmas Putz Narrated Nativity Scene will return
in 2018 after our construction project is complete.
Seasonal Music (4–6pm); Uplift Dance Group (6–7pm);
Mass Choir (7–8:30pm); Seasonal Music (8:30–9pm)
- 7** Frederick Presbyterian Church
Sam Kirby, Native American Flute (4–4:30pm);
Miriam Meglan, Organ (4:30–5pm); Janice Jackson,
Voice (5–5:30pm); Lisa Jarosinski, Voice (5:30–6pm);
Spines Brass Quintet (6–6:30pm); Janice Jackson,
Voice (6:30–7pm); Nancy Beth, Piano (7–7:30pm);
Spines Brass Quintet (7:30–8pm); Nancy Beth, Piano
(8–8:30pm); Miriam Meglan, Organ (8:30–9pm)

PROGRAM

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This annual event is free and open to the public.
The Candlelight Tour of Historic Houses of Worship
is made possible through the generous support of

THE PLAMONDON COMPANIES,
TOURISM COUNCIL OF FREDERICK COUNTY, INC.,
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Our special thanks to the participating congregations
for their wonderful cooperation and hospitality
in hosting this annual event.



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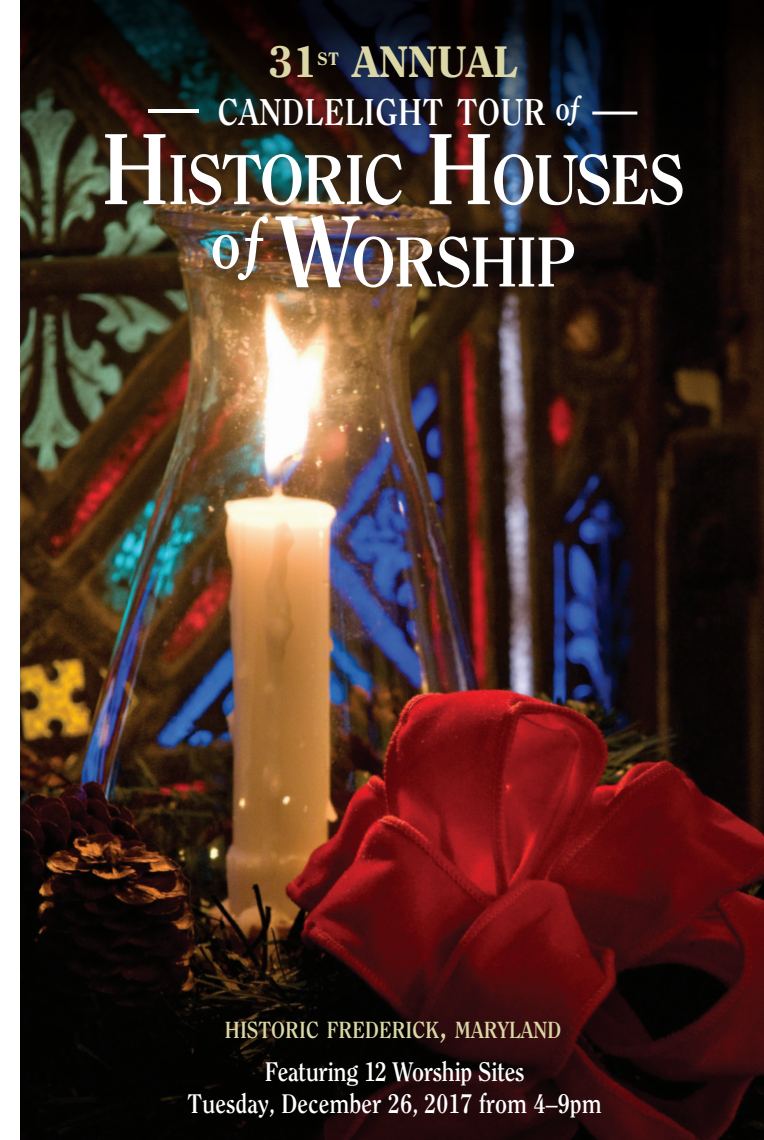
Begin your tour at 19 E. Church Street in Downtown Frederick.

DIRECTIONS FROM WASHINGTON TO 19 E. CHURCH STREET:
Take I-270 North to exit 31A. Follow signs to 355 North. Continue on
355 N (Market Street) to the historic district. Turn right on East Church
Street. Parking garage located one-half block on left.

DIRECTIONS FROM BALTIMORE TO 19 E. CHURCH STREET:
Take I-70 West to Exit 56. Continue on Patrick Street into historic
downtown Frederick. Turn right onto Market Street. Take the next right
onto East Church Street. Parking garage located one-half block on left.

Next Year's Event Date: Wednesday, December 26, 2018


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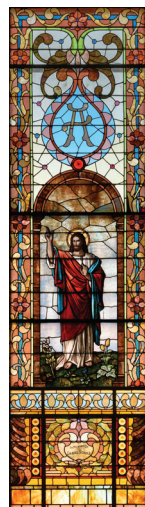
Featuring 12 Worship Sites
Tuesday, December 26, 2017 from 4–9pm

1 Evangelical Reformed United Church of Christ 11 W. Church Street


This 1848 church was built when the congregation outgrew the older stone chapel across the street. (See #2: Trinity Chapel) It is Greek Revival in design, crowned by twin cupolas. The large auditorium was transformed a century ago when the church evolved from “low church” (pulpit-centered) to “high church” (altar-centered). The pews still display the brass numbered plates from the days when the church was supported by “pew rent.” Although Barbara Fritchie was an active member, her pew was removed in renovations. www.erucc.org  

The sanctuary is wheelchair accessible via elevator when entering through the side entrance.

- ❖ Organ music on 28-rank organ (4–9pm)
- ❖ Christmas Putz Narrated Nativity Scene will return in 2018 after our construction project is complete.



2 Trinity Chapel United Church of Christ 10 W. Church Street


The stone tower is all that remains of the original church built in 1763. Rebuilt in 1881 as Trinity Chapel, its graceful 1807 colonial steeple is the oldest of the “clustered spires of Frederick.” The grave of the pastor who baptized Francis Scott Key is in the old tower, and the steeple houses the historic town clock. A beautiful 1898 stained glass window depicting “Christ in the Temple” is on the second floor. The ten bell chimes in the tower and steeple are played weekly. The building contains a cruciform chapel and the classrooms of the Evangelical Reformed United Church of Christ (see # 1). www.erucc.org 

- ❖ Bell chime demonstrations (4–9pm)

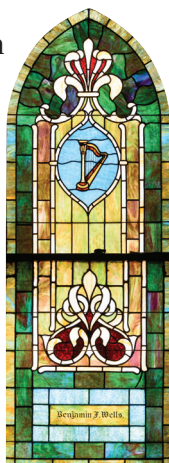


3 Asbury United Methodist Church W. All Saints & Court Streets




Frederick’s African American community worshiped with members of the “Old Hill Church” congregation (located where 35 E. All Saints Street now stands) since 1818. By 1864, the community came into full possession of that facility. In 1912, the current lot was purchased, and by 1921, the present building was completed. In 1968, the church became Asbury United Methodist Church. Asbury is distinguished by its original beautiful stained glass windows, which were memorial and honorary gifts from members and friends. Asbury has always been a church of the community.

www.asburyumcfmd.org 

- ❖ Seasonal Music (4–6pm)
- ❖ Uplift Dance Group (6–7pm)
- ❖ Mass Choir (7–8:30pm)
- ❖ Seasonal Music (8:30–9pm)



4 All Saints’ Episcopal Church 106 W. Church Street


All Saints’ Parish was founded in 1742 by an act of the Provincial government of Maryland in order to facilitate the spread of the Church of England in western Maryland. The first church was on East All Saints Street. The growing congregation built a new church on North Court Street in 1813. This structure is now the Parish Hall. In 1854 Richard Upjohn, America’s foremost church architect, was commissioned to build the present sanctuary. Listed among the famous churches in America, it represents classic Gothic Revival architecture and features a distinctive ceiling and four different styles of stained glass artistry. www.allsaintsmd.org   

Handicap entrance is in the garden. When facing the church, take the walkway on the right. Once in the garden, use the doors on the left and take the elevator to the 3rd floor to enter the church (or follow signs).

- ❖ All Saints’ Ringers (5–5:30pm)
- ❖ Oxford Carolers (5:45–6:15pm)
- ❖ All Saints’ Ringers (7–7:30pm)
- ❖ Oxford Carolers (7:45–8:15pm)
- ❖ Hospitality room and refreshments
- ❖ Public restrooms available






5 Christian Science Society, Frederick, Maryland 104 N. Court Street

In 1927, a group of Christian Scientists began meeting in a private home and later arranged to hold Sunday services at Pythian Castle in downtown Frederick. In 1966 the Church of Christ, Scientist, Frederick purchased the building at 5 E. 2nd Street after being recognized as a branch of the First Church of Christ, Scientist Mother Church, located in Boston, MA. Services were held at this location until the property was sold in 2012. The congregation is now happy to report they are having their Sunday and Wednesday services at 104 North Court Street. This small, quaint Cape Cod, across from City Hall, was built in 1902 by J.H. Gambrell Jr. www.christiansciencemd.org/Frederick.htm 

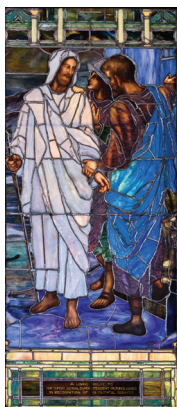
- ❖ Questions and answers regarding Christian Science (4–9pm)
- ❖ Public restrooms available





6 Calvary United Methodist Church N. Bentz & W. 2nd Streets

Calvary United Methodist Church has served the Frederick community since 1770. Built in 1929, this modern Gothic Revival style church is patterned after European cathedrals. It features a beautifully carved wooden screen (“reredos”) behind the altar which depicts the “Tree of Life” symbolizing the words of Jesus, “I am the vine, you are the branches.” Intertwined are shields on which are carved the symbols of the Apostles of Christ. Tiffany stained glass windows from an earlier church building are located in the sanctuary and chapel. www.calvaryumc.org   

- ❖ Tri-State Harp Ensemble (4–7pm);
- ❖ Frederick Children’s Chorus (7–9pm)
- ❖ Hospitality room and refreshments
- ❖ Public restrooms available



7 Frederick Presbyterian Church 115 W. 2nd Street


The original church was built in 1780 at the corner of Bentz and Fourth Streets. The present church on West 2nd Street was completed in 1825 and served as a hospital where President Lincoln visited the wounded from nearby battles during the Civil War. Featured in the sanctuary is a Möller Pipe Organ, dating from 1897, banners of the Presbyterian faith and Roman arch stained glass windows. www.frederickpresbyterian.org  

Handicap access through Heritage Hall, entrance between church and manse.

- ❖ Sam Kirby, Native American Flute (4–4:30pm)
- ❖ Miriam Meglan, Organ (4:30–5pm)
- ❖ Janice Jackson, Voice (5–5:30pm)
- ❖ Lisa Jarosinski, Voice (5:30–6pm)
- ❖ Spires Brass Quintet (6–6:30pm)
- ❖ Janice Jackson, Voice (6:30–7pm)
- ❖ Nancy Beith, Piano (7–7:30pm)
- ❖ Spires Brass Quintet (7:30–8pm)
- ❖ Nancy Beith, Piano (8–8:30pm)
- ❖ Miriam Meglan, Organ (8:30–9pm)
- ❖ Public restrooms available






8 Centennial Memorial United Methodist Church 8 W. 2nd Street

Founded in 1873 on East Third Street, the present sanctuary was built in 1900. The congregation took the name “Centennial Memorial” as part of the celebration of the founding of the United Brethren In Christ denomination in 1800, on Rocky Springs Road. The Church is distinguished by its Victorian Gothic design, Möller organ and stained glass windows. The Congregation became United Methodist due to the merger in 1968. Year 2000 was the 100th anniversary of present buildings. www.centennial-umc.org 

- ❖ Seasonal Music (4–6:30pm)
- ❖ One God, One Voice Choral Singers (6:30–7:30pm)
- ❖ Seasonal Music (7:30–9pm)
- ❖ Public restrooms available





9 Grace United Church of Christ 25 E. 2nd Street

Founded in 1898 as a daughter congregation of the Evangelical Reformed Church, Grace Church features Gothic arches and battlemented towers. The Victorian Gothic edifice was dedicated in 1903. J.B. Hankinson of Newark, N.J., Tiffany’s general foreman, created the art glass windows and was proud of the rose window, with its Gothic tracery and variegated colors. The sanctuary boasts wooden beams and carved quatrefoils. www.grucc.com   

- ❖ Terry Sparks Music Studio (4–5pm)
- ❖ One God, One Voice Choir (5–6pm)
- ❖ Marie Lester, Soprano (6–7pm)
- ❖ Eric Black, Baritone (7–8pm)
- ❖ Hymn Sing led by members of Grace UCC choir (8–9pm)
- ❖ Hospitality room and refreshments
- ❖ Public restroom available



10 Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church 118 E. 2nd Street




Catholics first gathered for Mass on East 2nd Street in 1763 in a two-story house with a chapel. The first actual church was built in 1800 by Fr. John Dubois, SS. The current church was completed and consecrated on April 26, 1837, with Father John McElroy, S.J. as the pastor. The Spire, which is the highest point in the city, is topped with a gold-leaf dome and cross. The Greek Revival Style Church houses the masterpieces “The Crucifixion,” (Pietro Gugliardi) behind the altar, and “The Ascension,” (Baraldi) ceiling in the center crossing. Both interior and exterior renovations were completed in 2000. Schedule posted day of the event. www.stjohn-frederick.org  

Front doors are wheelchair accessible (no steps); ramps on side of church from handicap parking.

- ❖ Bill Powell, Organ (4pm)
- ❖ Ann Rolls, Viola de Gamba and Richard Rolls, Flute (4:45pm)
- ❖ Lazo Momchilovich, Oboe (5:30pm)
- ❖ Peggy Frazier, Soprano (6pm)
- ❖ The Adult Choir of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church with Nae Pearson, Organ (6:45pm)
- ❖ The Bell Choir of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church (7:30pm)
- ❖ Carols Sing Along (8:15pm)
- ❖ Public restrooms available



11 Evangelical Lutheran Church 31 E. Church Street

Evangelical Lutheran Church, initially organized in 1738 in northern Frederick County, moved to Frederick in 1746, building a log church adjacent to the current church at 31 East Church Street. Construction of a stone church started in 1752 but wasn’t completed until 1762 due to the French and Indian War. The present building with its twin towers was constructed in 1854 in Gothic Revival style; portions of the 1762 stone church are still visible on the Northeast side of the building. The west tower supports two bells made in England in 1771; they are still used today. From September 1862 to January 1863, the church became a temporary military hospital following the Civil War battles of South Mountain and Antietam. The church is the home of the largest pipe organ in the county—built by M.P. Möller Organ Co. in Hagerstown—and contains almost 3,000 pipes. www.twinspires.org   





- ❖ Evangelical Bells (4–5pm)
- ❖ Praise Ensemble (5–6pm)
- ❖ Choirs of Evangelical Lutheran Church (6–7pm)
- ❖ Organ (7–8pm)
- ❖ Frederick Flute Choir (8–9pm)
- ❖ Hospitality room, refreshments and public restrooms in Trunk Hall



12 Carillon Recitals Baker Park

- ❖ Carillon Recitals, Baker Park
- ❖ Performed by City Carillonneur, John Widmann, for ½ hour at 4, 5 and 6pm



-  Active congregations during the Civil War
-  Hospitality room and refreshments
-  Public restrooms
-  Handicap accessible locations