12/18/2023 AA at Agape (aa-agape.org) – Announcements December to February 2024

The Meeting has started. Please Silence your cell phones, and refrain from texting.

There is to be no independent conversations.

Agape is a Home Group and open for membership. To make Agape your home group, see the Secretary after the meeting. Agape meetings are open meetings; all visitors are welcome.

There are no dues or fees. In accordance with the 7th Tradition, the basket will be passed during in person meetings. Those attending by Zoom may make contributions via Venmo to @agape-group or by sending checks to P.O. Box 624, Cockeysville MD 21030. **You can also use the QR code posted in the coffee room.** Contributions are used for rent, literature, coffee, Zoom, and internet costs. Anything left is donated to AA service organizations.

AA approved literature is for sale in the large room; each book includes an envelope for payment. Copies of The Big Book, Daily Reflections and Living Sober are available on the shelf located next to the Secretary's chair. Please put your envelope in the basket when it comes around, or in the safe located in the coffee room.

Agape Group Conscience meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month at 10:30 AM. Our next meetings will be **January 20<sup>th</sup> and February 17<sup>th</sup> here at the Gibson Building**. Please join us.

Upcoming AGAPE Anniversaries: Clear it with the Meeting Secretary first. Then, let the Announcements Dude know.

Name	Celebrating (# Years)	Date (Day of Week)	Time (Room)
Greg T	28	Dec. 22 <sup>nd</sup> Friday	Noon (large)
Shawn S	27	Dec. 23 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday	7:00 PM (large)
The Dude	(Bob B) 9	Dec. 25 <sup>th</sup> Monday	Noon (large)
John C	43	Jan. 1 <sup>st</sup> Monday	5:30 PM (large)
Chris J	5	Jan. 5 <sup>th</sup> Friday	5:30 PM (large)
Steve V	36	Jan. 6 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	7:00 (large)
DOUBLE Pete C Neil S	<b>FEATURE</b> 14 52	Jan. 8 <sup>th</sup> Monday	Noon (large)
Susie L	22	Jan. 28 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	7:00 PM (large)

Holiday Luncheons – December 25<sup>th</sup> & January 1<sup>st</sup> – After the Noon Meeting Deli Trays and Sodas Provided. Bring your favorite hallmark dish.

Nearby Events – See Baltimore AA Intergroup Website - <a href="https://baltimoreaa.org/events/">https://baltimoreaa.org/events/</a>

Xmas Day and New Year's Eve Alcathons

**2024 Sobriety Show Auditions** 1/23 7:00 pm – 9:30 pm

714 Cliveden Road Pikesville, MD 21208

Contact Lorretta (443) 831-3066

Agape hours of operation are from 6:00 AM to 9:00 PM. There is no cross talk in Agape meetings.

There is NO smoking OF ANY KIND on Sheppard Pratt grounds and buildings. Speakers and Readers should speak loud enough so that those on Zoom can hear. The Speaker should limit their sharing to 15 minutes. Keep all other shares to 5 minutes or less, and do not share more than once until all have had an opportunity to share.

Secretaries - For Emergencies - CALL 911 instead of Shepherd Pratt Security

Every meeting should have a collection envelope, regardless of the amount collected. Please remember to place the collection envelope in the safe in the coffee room! Please clean and straighten up the coffee room after your meeting.

AND Be sure to turn the coffee machines OFF!

- SECRETARY COORDINATOR: Judy S. - 410-935-5959 email: <a href="mailto:judybells@live.com">judybells@live.com</a> - Announcement Dude: Bob B, <a href="mailto:bob.burleigh@comcast.net">bob.burleigh@comcast.net</a> (302) 983-4271. Please confirm availability with the secretary of the meeting where you would like to celebrate. Provide your name, number of years, date and the time of the meeting where you will be celebrating. Announcements will be updated at least weekly.