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Worship & Nurture Highlights



Please join in our Advent/Christmas worship celebrations and educational offerings.

December 4

Advent continues with communion and music from a new group of instrumentalists from the congregation and the Adult Choir. Adult Nurture offerings will be Ann Jones about her Africa trip and the culmination of the Saving Jesus class.

December 11

On this third week of Advent, our children and youth will lead worship with a special presentation. Adult Nurture will be a two-week exploration with Cal Brand and Gladys Muchoki. Gladys is a Kenyan pastor and chaplain.

December 18

On the final Sunday of Advent our Adult Choir will lead a service of Lessons and Carols. This worship service is also one of our Music at First Presbyterian Church offerings to the community. Please consider bringing friends.

Christmas Eve

We will celebrate at 7:00 with our traditional multi-generational service. Many children will dress for parts in the nativity account ending in candlelight. At 10:00 the Adult Choir will help to lead a contemplative candlelight communion service.

Christmas is a Sunday this year.

We will celebrate at 9:30 a.m. with a brief service full of the singing of multiple Christmas carols.

January 1 is also a Sunday.

Worship will be a great way to start the year with this communion service.



"In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night."
"Luke 2:8"

Paths of the Flock

The Following Were Remembered in Our Weekly Congregational Prayers During November 2011: Bob and Mary Orben; Bill Nie; Dick and Wilma Newton; Terry, Kathy, Matthew and Mark Molewyk; Rip, Clare and Charlie Moore; John and Nancy Sawin; John and Carolyn Seltzer; Katie Shores; Debbie Shoultz; Bill and Marquita Tuck; Gregg and Judy Summerville; Kent and Edith Ziegler; Alan Kilbarger, Julia Stumpff, Sarah, Claire and Reese Kilbarger-Stumpff; Rich, Rebecca, Benjamin and William Stenner; Sherry Stark; David, Rita and Alex Selheim; Danny, Sarah, Trey, Autumn Elaine Sanders and Evelyn Malcomb; Jim Martin; Nancy Marble; Marty Newsom; and Marge Lebrec.

Baptized

On November 13, Dana Harrison was baptized by Pastor Rob Craig.

Support, Care and Prayers...

Several members have mothers who are facing challenges. We pray for Sunny Currier, Pam Bolton, Bill Jones, Clare Moore, and their mothers.

In Vern Jorck's case, it is his father needing prayer.

We pray for Pauline Crump who broke an elbow.

We pray for Bill Tuck as he continues to await a new heart.

We pray for the Tuttle family as Brooke stays faithful in the midst of serious health challenges.

We pray for Bob Orben as he completes a series of treatments.

Of course there are others for whom we are also praying. If you would ever like to be listed, please let Rob Craig know.



“During Advent, families of our church will light the Advent candles at the beginning of each Sunday morning worship service.”

Advent

Advent is a time of preparation as we await the joyous celebration of Christ’s birth on December 25. There are four Sundays in Advent (November 27, December 4, 11, and 18.) and the first Sunday of Advent is the beginning of the Christian Church Lectionary Year. To help us prepare, the Worship Committee suggests you consider using the daily lectionary readings and devotions found on the Presbyterian Church USA web site:

www.presbyterianchurches.org.

We also encourage you to visit our church library and look for the following books: Watch for the Light: Readings for Advent and Christmas, by Plough Publishing House; The Whisper of Christmas: Reflections for Advent and Christmas by Joe E. Pennel, Jr.; In Between Advents by

Dennis E. Groh; and 52 Simple ways to Make Christmas Special by Jan Dargaty.

During Advent, families of our church will light the Advent candles at the beginning of each Sunday morning worship service. The Advent banner and the crèche, that begins with a stable of animals to be joined in the following weeks by members of the story to become the birthplace of Jesus Christ, will provide visual reminders of our efforts to prepare. May this season of preparation and celebration be a blessed one for you, your families and friends.



From the Desk of Colin Andrews

I am delighted to report that the Children and Youth Choir schedules have been running very smoothly under Jenny's fine leadership and we are grateful for the back-up support that helps everything run like a well-oiled machine. We would still love to see more participation, especially from the Youth, fully acknowledging that there are many activities vying for our time and energies. We want to build a strong program to ensure the future of the adult choir for, as in all things, there is a natural progression and rhythm; the pulse keeps ticking if we keep our finger on it and monitor it closely.

The Children and Youth will present their Christmas program in worship on Sunday December 11th, and it promises to be a wonderful family-oriented event with costumes, sets, and the telling of the oldest story.

One week later, the adult choir will offer a Lessons & Carols service at the worship service on Sunday December 18th (this is also a Music at First Presbyterian Church event). The service will feature beautiful Advent and Christmas Music, lessons that foretell the joys to come and congregational carols. Please place these two important events in your calendar. I look forward to seeing you there.

In Christ,

Colin

Looking Ahead to 2012

This is a reminder to all of us that January is the month that First Presbyterian Church is charged with re-stocking the Love Chapel Food Pantry. You will be hearing more about their needs and the work they do in January, but as we all know, a lot of food and supplies are distributed during the holidays, resulting in emptier shelves at the first of the year.



**Music Director
Colin Andrews**

**The Children
and Youth
will present
their
Christmas
program in
worship on
Sunday
December
11th.**

LOVE
CHAPEL CENTER
*Ecumenical Assembly of
Bartholomew County Churches*

Christmas Joy

Like the shepherds, we are experiencing the power of the angel's message: ***God's love is among us!*** As we open our hearts to that love, we can share it with others through the Christmas Joy Offering. Half of this offering is used to assist former Presbyterian pastors who are experiencing financial difficulties during their retirement years. Again and again, recipients of grants say that as important as the financial assistance was, what really sustained them was the knowledge that the church was standing with them in their time of need. The other half goes to support ethnic schools to extend educational opportunities to students who are considering the ministry. An envelope is included in this newsletter and you will receive weekly information throughout Advent beginning November 27. Please give generously to this program. *For those who read the newsletter via internet, envelopes are available in the pews.*



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Mitten Tree



The 5th and 6th grade Sunday School class will be sponsoring the Mitten Tree this year as their mission project.

From Thanksgiving Sunday until Christmas Sunday, the Christmas tree will be up in the Large Youth Room. Children are encouraged to bring new mittens, gloves, and hats to decorate the tree.

All items will be donated to Turning Point Domestic Violence Shelter after Christmas Sunday. Thank you!

~~Children's Nurture

First Presbyterian's Women's Book Group

The First Presbyterian Women's Book Group will meet on Tuesday, December 6, at 1:30 p.m. in the Reeves Room to discuss the book *The Secret Garden* by Frances Hodgson Burnett. All women in the church are invited to share in this group discussion.

Welcome New Members!

Welcome Members Who Joined FPC on November 13, 2011!



Dana Harrison grew up in southern Illinois, moving

to Seymour from Bloomington, IL. She works currently as a program manager for Valleo Sylvania. She will be moving to Columbus soon. Dana has 3 daughters, and 3 grandchildren. She has been looking for a home church and chose FPC. Though Dana has been a part of several congregations, she had never been baptized; we rejoice in her baptism at First Presbyterian Church. Dana joins us by affirmation of faith. She looks forward to participating with our teens and young adults, and in the kitchen; she says she will be glad to work "wherever I can be useful."



Keith and Courtney Karns grew up in North Pole,

Alaska, and, yes, they know Santa Claus. Keith is a jazz

musician; he plays and teaches trumpet, and writes music. The first Sunday of each month, you can hear him at the Pine Room Tavern in Nashville, IN, 7-9pm. He has already started working with our youth group and with worship music. As a hobby, he loves fishing.

Courtney teaches music at CSA Lincoln in downtown Columbus. She has joined our choir as a soprano and would enjoy working with our children's choir. Courtney is a big aerobics fan. She is a new Mary Kay consultant.

Keith's grandfather and father are Presbyterian ministers, so they looked for a Presbyterian church when they came to Columbus. They appreciate FPC's outreach to the community. They join us by letter of transfer.



Ted and Elaine Marston join FPC as affiliate members by

letter of transfer, as they spend

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several months a year on Marco Island, FL, right on the ocean. They have a son and a daughter and 8 grandchildren. Ted volunteers weekly at Love Chapel. Elaine spends Mondays at Green Tree, playing the piano for the enjoyment of the residents. The Marstons were drawn to FPC because they enjoy the worship. They found the congregation very friendly and already knew many people. They are thinking about ways they would like to be involved.



Jane Vandivier started her adult life as a teacher in Columbus at the old State Street School. She has lived at Tipton Lakes for seven years, but spends winters in Florida on Long Boat Key. She and her husband were part owners in Dicksons Inc., a company which sells Christian gifts and wall décor. Jane has 3 children, all living in Indiana, and 7 grandchildren, ranging from 23-7 years old. She enjoys doting on her grandchildren, reading, creative writing, and yard work. She has found FPC very friendly in church and when she is out and about in the community. She is looking forward to learning more about the history of FPC and its work in Columbus, to Bible study and to fellowship with people in

our congregation. She joins our congregation by letter of transfer.



Welcome New Members Who Joined November 20!

Scott and Joanna Barnes were drawn to FPC's accepting church environment.

Scott works for Cummins in information security. He enjoys his motorcycle. Joanna teaches education classes at Indiana University Southeast, with a focus on diversity. They both enjoy traveling.

Their daughter Krystal is 16. She is very artistic and enjoys painting. She is a cheerleader at the Columbus International School.

Scott joins FPC by reaffirmation of faith. Joanna joins us by letter of transfer.



Join
together
with our
youth as
they strive
to make a
difference!

Benefit for Love Chapel

For Katie Glackin's Senior Project, she has organized a mostly classical concert to benefit Love Chapel. Performers include Katie, Andrew Hacker, Jill Bosserman, and a few other student musicians. At the concert she will be collecting canned goods for Love Chapel. The concert will be held at First Presbyterian Church in the Laws Room at 1:00 p.m. on December 4. Come join us for an hour of entertainment and help stock the shelves at Love Chapel during the holiday season.

Heart Tree

This year the Senior High youth will be hosting the Heart Tree again. Each year the youth group and the church are assigned a few families from the preschool, and we are asked to buy and wrap presents for the parents and children. We are helping two church families and two preschool families. The Heart Tree will go up in November. This year we are asking that as church members take a heart from the tree that they sign their name on the bulletin board beside the number of the heart they got. We have found out that one of our families is in desperate need of a queen sized bed. Donations can be made toward this bed for the family. We would like to have all the gifts back by December 9th. Any monetary donation or gift cards should be turned into the box in Peggy's office. The youth group will be wrapping and delivering the gifts to the families. We are very thankful for all the gift donations. The families will be very grateful! - Lexi Jackman-Wheatner



The Next Getting To Know You Luncheon:



The next *Getting to Know You* luncheon will be **Wednesday, December 14 , at 11:30 at Four Seasons Retirement Center**. All women of our church are invited to come for casual conversation, good food, and especially to get to know each other. Although ordinarily we meet at Bistro 310, for December, Marty Newsom has invited us to come to **Four Seasons** for our regularly scheduled lunch. It'll be a special treat to see our Four Season friends and the beautiful Christmas decorations in the dining room. Cost will be \$11.00.

2011 Pledge Payments

IRS regulations require that donors must deliver (or mail & postmark) checks on or before December 31, 2011, in order to claim a charitable contribution deduction for 2011. Please keep this in mind as you make your pledge payments at the end of the year. Please clearly mark your checks “**2011 pledge**” or “**2012 pledge**” so there is no confusion.

Parking Spaces Are at a Premium

With all the downtown construction, parking can be a challenge on weekdays. The public lot across 7th Street is frequently full. Those of us connected to the church can relieve the problem by using the church lot, when practical. Of course, there are many understandable reasons to park near the south side of our building. Our lot is very busy, with Preschool traffic, for a few minutes around 8:00 and 11:30. Otherwise, you may want to give our lot a try.





Associate Pastor:

Reverend
Peggy Casteel

We are required to have 1 adult for every five youth and an adult that has building skills.

From the Desk of Pastor Peggy

In our effort to give the congregation dates on 2012 youth mission trips as early as possible for your own calendar planning – here is what I know so far:

The **Senior High mission trip** is scheduled from Saturday June 9 to Saturday June 16, 2012 in West Virginia. Saturdays are our travel days. This will be a work camp. We will be assigned to one of 4 areas in WV: Montgomery, Colcord, Kopperston or Welch. Once there, we will be doing building projects. We are required to have 1 adult for every five youth and an adult that has building skills. This does not mean that we will not need other adults – but will need someone on each site to give oversight and instruction to the others. This mission site cannot give us detailed information about what we will be doing **this early** until 4-6 weeks before we arrive, since they are

constantly hosting building teams and projects are always being worked on. Please mark your calendars. To gain more information please visit their site at :

<http://www.wvpresbytery.org/Ministries?WVMAW/tabid/68/Default.aspx>

The **Junior High mission trip** is scheduled from Saturday, June 23 to Friday, June 29, 2012 in Detroit. We likely will travel home on Friday rather than Saturday from Detroit. This will be a VBS camp at the Second Mile Center in inner city Detroit where Ruth Azar is the director. We need people on this trip who can help facilitate and lead VBS. We plan to visit other missions in Detroit along with the Mosque and Arab American museum in Dearborn, MI. On this trip we will daily leave Detroit in the afternoon and have our supper and sleep at Farmington Hills Presbyterian Church which is a good, safe suburb of Detroit. Ruth said to tell everyone “that she couldn’t

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be more pleased to have missionaries willing to come be with the children of Detroit at this Presbyterian Mission Center.” Please mark your calendars. To gain more information, please visit their site at:

<http://www.metroalive.com/michigan/detroit/thesecondmilecenterofdetroit/>

As always, there are lots of opportunities for other adults

within our congregation to get involved, from writing prayer notes to helping with food preparation to serving alongside the youth in building or conducting a Vacation Bible School. If you have interest in traveling alongside of our youth, please contact me. I am more than happy to discuss with you how you can be involved.

~Pastor Peggy

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Preschool News



**Celebrating 58
Years of Excel-
lence in Educa-
tion!**

We've had a busy couple of months at preschool! November kicked off with our very special Dads' celebrations with classes hosting breakfasts, lunches and evening opportunities for Dads to share in their child's preschool experience! We moved on to exploring the meaning of thankfulness as we celebrated Thanksgiving. Our hallways were bursting with turkey crafts and adorable pilgrims! In the spirit of the season, the boxes for Cheer Fund and Coats for Kids are filling up quickly as our families generously remember those in need. December will bring sanctuary visits, which we all love, and our yearly visit with Santa! Heading into the new year, just a reminder that 2012-2013 pre-

school registration for current preschool and church families will be Monday, January 9 at 6:00 p.m. in the gym. Brochures are available on the table outside of the church

Pastor Craig in Washington, DC, on December 11



He will be returning to preach for the first time since leaving early in 2000. The following is from a church press release.

The church building will come alive with the sounds of celebration as members and friends observe the official launch of

Capital Witness: A History of The New York Avenue Presbyterian Church in Washington DC.

This special reunion will be led by Rob Craig, NYAPC Pastor from 1990 to 1999 and head of the History Committee that first conceived of a new church history. Rev. Craig will preach at both worship services.

NYAPC's pews have held such noteworthy historical figures as Presidents John Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln, and Dwight D. Eisenhower. Capital Witness recounts Adams's generosity to the church and its pastor, Jackson's role in the scandalous affair of two friends, Lincoln's ultimate belief in the selfless love and reconciliation reflected in his Second Inaugural Address, and Eisenhower's inspiration for the addition of "under God" to the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Year's End Brings New Beginnings With It

The end of the year is a time to review, reflect, and plan for the future. It is also the ideal time to make a charitable gift to your church, ushering out the old year with a bang—and a charitable tax deduction. Contact your attorney or financial advisor for what is best for you, as you seek to make a difference in God's love through your church's ministry and mission!

News!

Market for Good

Market for Good is an alternative Christmas market during coffee hour. We've all heard about the concept of "Pay it forward," and many have read the book by Catherine Hyde. The Republic recently reported on a second book by Tom Roth entitled "How Full is Your Bucket?" Both books have adult and kid's versions. When we say and do good things for people, we are filling buckets.

This holiday season you'll both pay it forward and fill a bucket when you purchase items for family and friends at our Market For Good. We will have diverse products and your purchases will be helping Palestine, Africa, and Haiti. Not only will you delight family and friends, you'll be filling buckets far away. Let's all try to counter the excessive consumerism which tends to overwhelm the season. Buy a few simple gifts that give twice and enhance the greater good. Join in the fun at coffee hour for four Sundays beginning November 27.

Office Equipment Transition

The property committee is pleased with the new copy machine that has been successfully delivered and set up in the office. Along with the new machine, the workspace has been improved and enlarged. Thank you for your support during the transition!

Dee Jones

Dee Jones, one of our members, is facing some challenges. Several people have asked how they may be helpful. A particular way of helping has become clear and Lori Rowan will be pleased to hear from those who can help. Her e-mail is: lori@zellerinsurance.com.



Hanging of the Greens

The Worship Committee invites all members and friends to join us on Saturday, **December 10, at 10 a.m.** to decorate our sanctuary, Laws Room and the outside fences for Christmas. All adults and youth are welcome. Please come. We look forward to seeing you.

December Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays

- 1 Zachary Friend
- 2 Liz Marthaler,
Jada Meyer
- 3 Annie Frazier,
Karen Newell
- 4 Jeff Crump,
Sarah Sanders
- 6 Kaye Ellen Connor
- 7 Becky Bell,
Nicole Moore
- 8 Sophia Therber
- 9 Grace Hale,
- 11 Jan Brinkman
- 12 Cindy Gelfius,
Adam Summerville
- 13 Bill Anderson
- 14 Rich Eynon,
- 15 Keith Weedman,
Erin Cauble
- 16 Ann Keaton,
Shelley Spurgeon
- 17 Ann Harper,
Anne McLaren
- 18 Chrissy Ryan Farrell
- 19 Jim Farrar,
Barb Smitherman
- 21 Chip Orben
- 24 Julie Daiker,
Jim Martin
Debbie Shoultz
- 26 Katie Glackin



Anniversaries

- 12/09 Kevin and Linda Darr
12/19 Bonnie and David Boatwright
12/21 Pat and Gordon Peters
12/30 Aimee and Mike Aufdermauer

The Newsletter Deadline For January

The Newsletter Deadline for the month of January 2012 will be December 15, 2011. Thank you for helping us to publish the newsletter in the most efficient manner possible!

Blessings on the Kitchen!

The Kitchen Committee members led by Donna Brand, would like to express their thanks to everyone who helped us with the recent remodeling of the kitchen. The contractor, Jehromy Adams, his crew at J. Adams Interiors, Brand's Lumber Co., A+ Residential, Bishopp's Appliances, Jeff Crump, David Selheim, Janet Ward and the Property Committee, Seth Keele, Jerry Pennington, Jim Farrar, The Foundation who approved the funding, and three friends who donated money to purchase a water softener are deeply appreciated for their contributions to this project. We also appreciate the patience of the congregation and the Hot Meals teams during the construction. May the new kitchen serve our church and the community well in the coming years.

Simple Sundays in Case of Snow Emergency

If the Sheriff announces a snow emergency, urging cars off the roads, we will cancel all activities. If a Sunday morning appears **unusually** dangerous, but there is not a snow emergency declared, we may announce a **"Simple Sunday."**

1. On a Simple Sunday, one or more of the Pastors will take responsibility for leadership that morning.
2. No other staff or leaders will be required or unnecessarily encouraged to attend.
3. Any members who wish to come to worship will be led by the staff in a simplified worship service.
4. The leaders will assign a few tasks from among those who attend.

Notification will be made by e-mail; television channels 6 & 8; Republic; radio stations QMIX and White River, and through a phone chain if time permits.

December Calendar

Thursday the 1st

10:30 am - 1:30 pm - Men's Bible Study & Lunch

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm - Presbytery Assembly Mtg—Location: Off-Site

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal—Location: Choir Room

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Property Committee—Location: Crump Room

Friday the 2nd

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Men's Support Group—Location: Crump Room

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Women's Support Group—Location: Reeves Rm.

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Hot Meals -St. Peter's Team -Location: Gym

Saturday the 3rd

12:00 pm - 4:00 pm - Parent's Day Out—Location: FPC

Sunday the 4th

9:30 am - 10:30 am - Worship Service—Location: Sanctuary

10:00 am - 11:00 am - Children's Sunday School— Location: FPC

11:00 am - 12:00 pm - Adult Nurture—Location: Laws Room

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal—Location: Choir Room

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm - Benefit Concert —Location: Laws Room

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm - FPC Youth— Location: FPC

Monday the 5th

5:30 pm - 8:15 pm - Yoga—Location: Gym

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm - Personnel Committee—Location: Crump Room

Tuesday the 6th

9:00 am - 10:45 am - Sanctuary Visits—Location: Sanctuary

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Band Rehearsal—Location: Sanctuary

Wednesday the 7th

9:00 am - 10:45 am - Sanctuary Visits—Location: Sanctuary

10:45 am - 11:30 am - Staff Meeting

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Deacon's Meeting—Location: Crump Room

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Worship Committee—Location: Lindeman Room

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Youth Nurture—Location: Reeves Room

Thursday the 8th

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm - Stewardship and Fin. Comm. Location: Crump Rm.

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal—Location: Choir Room

Friday the 9th

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Men's Support Group—Location: Crump Room

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6:45 am - 8:00 am - Women's Support Group—Location: Reeves Room
11:00 am - 12:00 pm - Prayer Circle—Location: Crump Room
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Hot Meals: UU Fellowship — Location: Gym

Saturday the 10th

9:00 am - 11:00 am - Special Saturday Children's Choir Practice
10:00 am - 3:00 pm - Hanging of the Greens—Location: FPC

Sunday the 11th

9:30 am - 10:30 am - Worship Service—Location: Sanctuary
10:00 am - 11:00 am - Children's Sunday School—Location: FPC
11:00 am - 12:00 pm - Adult Nurture—Location: Laws Room
4:00 pm - 8:00 pm - FPC Youth—Location: FPC

Monday the 12th

11:00 am - 2:00 pm - Preschool Board Meeting—Location: FPC
5:30 pm - 8:15 pm - Yoga—Location: Gymnasium

Tuesday the 13th

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm - Prayer Shawl Group—Location: Reeves Room
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Disabilities Task Force—Location: Laws Room
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Band Rehearsal—Location: Sanctuary
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Children's Nurture Committee—Location: LYR
7:15 pm - 8:30 pm - Bread for the World—Location: Reeves Room

Wednesday the 14th

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess
9:30 am - 10:30 am - Staff Meeting
11:30 am - 1:30 pm - Getting to Know You Luncheon—Location: Four Seasons
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm - Communications Committee—Location: Crump Rm.
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Session Meeting—Location: Laws Room
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Worship Committee—Location: Lindeman Room

Thursday the 15th

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess
9:00 am - NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm - CAPPs (Columbus Area Private Preschools)—
Location: LYR
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal—Location: Choir Room

December Calendar

Friday the 16th

All Day – Preschool Christmas Recess

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Men's Support Group—Location: Crump Room

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Women's Support Group—Location: Reeves Room

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Hot Meals –Herrick’s Team—Location: Gym

Saturday the 17th

10:00 am - 11:30 am - Adult Choir Rehearsal—Location: Sanctuary

Sunday the 18th

9:30 am - 10:30 am - Worship Service - Including MFPC event: Adult
Choir to Sing

10:00 am - 11:00 am – Children’s Sunday School

11:00 am - 12:00 pm - Adult Nurture—Location: Laws Room

Youth Christmas Parties

Monday the 19th

All Day – Preschool Christmas Recess

11:00 am - 2:00 pm - Preschool Staff Meeting

5:30 pm - 8:15 pm - Yoga

Tuesday the 20th

All Day – Preschool Christmas Recess

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Volunteers in Medicine—Location: Laws Room

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Band Rehearsal—Location: Sanctuary

Wednesday the 21st

All Day – Preschool Christmas Recess

9:30 am - 10:30 am - Staff Meeting

10:30 am - 12:00 pm - Women's Bible Study at Four Seasons

Thursday the 22nd

All Day – Preschool Christmas Recess

7:00 am - 4:00 pm - Wee Care Ends

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal—Location: Choir Room

Friday the 23rd

All Day – Preschool Christmas Recess

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Men's Support Group—Location: Crump Room

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Women's Support Group—Location: Reeves Room

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Hot Meals - Laemmer’s Team—Location: Gym

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Saturday the 24th

7:00 pm - Christmas Eve Worship Service

10:00 pm Candlelight Communion Worship Service

Sunday the 25th

9:30 am - 10:30 am - Brief Worship Service—Location: Sanctuary

Monday the 26th

FPC Office Closed

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess

5:30 pm - 8:15 pm - Yoga

Tuesday the 27th

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Band Rehearsal—Location: Sanctuary

Wednesday the 28th

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess

9:30 am - 10:30 am - Staff Meeting

Thursday the 29th

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess

Friday the 30th

All Day - Preschool Christmas Recess

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Men's Support Group—Location: Crump Room

6:45 am - 8:00 am - Women's Support Group—Location: Reeves Room

10:00 am - 6:00 pm - Music Therapy—Location: Lindeman Room

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Hot Meals - Sander's Team—Location: Gym

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Return Service Requested

