



Merry Christmas

From the Staff

Pastor Morgan

Kenny Jones

Jan Keepley

Robin Myers

Adam O'Dell

Michael Tomlinson

Dolo Wishard

New Board Members

The following people were elected to new 3 year terms:

Elders: Mark Scott, Teresa Stuttle

Deacons: John Armstrong, Tim Buford, Tom Dickerson, John Greathouse, Jeff Maninfior, Nick Maninfior

Deaconess: Beverly Beeler, Jan Booker, Lisa Clapp, Jeanne Cunningham, Sally Dickerson, Linda Dilley, Joy Eident, Angela Freeman, Kayla Grissom, Sandy Herren, Nancy Huckaba, Jan Little, Amy Maninfior, Janice Morgan, Kathy Newlin, Teresa Stuttle, Judy Smith, Brenda Wofford, Glenda Wright, Caley VanDeventer



Many thanks to FCC, especially Steve, Nancy and Dolo who served a wonderful luncheon following mom's funeral. It was a great relief knowing the church was willing to assist our family in this way. Blessings to you all in this season of Advent. *Evelyn Washburn family*

Choir News

Hear Ye, Hear Ye Calling all Choir members...practice will resume on Wednesday, January 8th at 6 pm. Bring a "singable" friend with you, even if they don't go to church. All are welcome and we will be working on music for February and Easter.



All men are invited to the Men's Breakfast on Saturday, January 4th at 7 am. This month's study and breakfast will be at the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Cooks Mills.



December 22nd
Sermon and Children's Program, both services

December 24th
Christmas Eve Service at 5:30 pm

December 29th
One Worship Service at 9:30 am

- 1 Louise Wiley
- 3 Daryn Clapp
- 5 Ronald Kerans
- 9 Lincoln Scott
- 11 Steve Hayes
- 13 Conlan Armer
- 14 Shawnc Morgan
- 16 Nick Maninfior
- 18 Dan Cunningham
- 19 Raelyne Lane
- 20 Mitchell Clapp
- 21 Nathan Morgan
- 26 Maxine Arthur
- 27 Bill Landrus, Lane Wofford
- 30 Carol Englund, John Armstrong



Last Supper Drama

Michael is looking for men who would like to be in a Holy Week Drama of the Last Supper. There are a few lines spoken, but mostly pan amine. If you are interested in finding out more, please contact him.



Building Fund balance:
\$360,831.16

Sunday, December 22nd

8:30 am Traditional Worship/Children's Program

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Contemporary Worship/Children's Program

No Youth Programs

Monday, December 23rd

10 am Staff Meeting

Tuesday, December 24th ~ office closed

5:30 pm Christmas Eve Service

Wednesday, December 25th ~ office closed

Happy Birthday Jesus!

Thursday, December 26th

No Praise Team Practice

Sunday, December 29th

9:30 am One Worship Service

No Youth Programs

Monday, December 30th

10 am Staff Meeting

Tuesday, December 31st

New Year's Eve ~ Office Closed

Wednesday, January 1st

New Year Day ~ Office Closed

1 pm De-Decorate Christmas

Thursday, January 2nd

No Praise Team Practice

Saturday, January 4th

7 am Men's Breakfast at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church

Sunday, January 5th

8:30 am Traditional Worship

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Contemporary Worship

No Sunday Outlet Program

No F/R Group Meeting

Monday, January 6th

10 am Staff Meeting

5:30 pm Worship Committee Meeting

Tuesday, January 7th

7 am Prayer Meeting

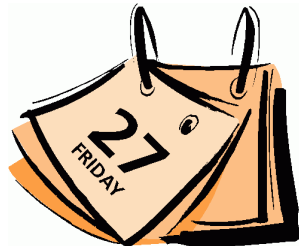
6 pm Bible Journaling

Wednesday, January 8th

9 am Crafts R Us

5 pm Bell Practice

6 pm Choir Practice



Board Splinters 12/9

Deaconesses: served around 90 people at the Thanksgiving Dinner, December 2nd Ladies Night Out served 140 ladies plus 10 men who helped serve and clean up.

Senior Minister: Continuing Discipleship Class with the Elders. Attendance: month of November; 1st service up 8%, 2nd service down 7%. Overall for the year 1st service up 1% and second up 2%.

Worship Leader: reported that the December 15th worship services are completed, Kenny will be working with him during the next couples weeks to make a smooth transition and they are all moved in.

Worship: new computer and software have been installed and replaced the bulb in the projector. Started planning Christmas Eve and bought new drum sticks.

Outreach: donated \$100 to the MMS to help with the free Community Dinner.

Christian Ed: Bible Journaling is going well.

Stewardship: went over the statements.

Trustees: reported good year, no change.

World Outreach: spoke about 2 different missions.

Unfinished Business: Marilyn Purcell asked to hire Michael Tomlinson as the Worship Leader for \$38,000 combining the positions of Worship Leader, Choir Director and Organist.

New Business: Jan Kepley requested to raise the Music Supplies budget by a \$1,000, the 2020 Housing Allowance for Steve Morgan and Michael Tomlinson were approved.

Giving and Expense Totals

December 8th General Giving: \$5,166.00

December 15th General Giving: \$3,699.00

Income Needed Weekly to Meet Budget: \$6,234.23

YTD Income verses Budget Expenses: \$+166,194.37

Church Attendance

Dec. 8th — Traditional: 121, Contemporary: 99 = 220

Dec. 15th — Traditional: 124, Contemporary: 100 = 224

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