



Weekly Musings

A Church for All Generations

Sunday, December 7, 2025

2nd Sunday of Advent



Poinsettias and Decorations Needed for Christmas

Would you like to donate a monetary gift towards poinsettias and decorations for the Sanctuary?

The amount is determined by you.

Please place your donation in an envelope and place it in the offering.

Direct your questions to Vickie Deal.

2026 Flower Calendar!

Please sign up on the 2026 flower calendar across from the water fountain, if you would like to provide altar flowers for Sunday morning worship on a specific date in 2026.

Giving Tree



The Mission's Team has set up a Christmas tree in the Narthex. Our holiday gift giving focus is to our local Operation HELP and Grace Place-Somerset area. Please take a tag and return the unwrapped gift with gift tag by the "return by" date on the tag. As always, if you would like to make a monetary donation and have us purchase a gift that is always an option!



Christmas

Celebrate a Family Christmas!

You are invited to celebrate together
Christmas Eve, December 24:
at either 4, 7, or 11 PM



Sunday, December 7

8:30 AM Receiving New Members

Join in on the celebration when we receive Andy Shadrick and Jack Stamp as new members during the 8:30 AM worship service.

10:30 AM Children's Christmas Program

The Christmas season will soon be upon us. Our church school children will be sharing the Christmas story with you!

11:30 AM Hanging of the Greens

All are welcome to join the church decorating party **after the second service**. Enjoy a Sunday meal before decorating. Fun for all ages!

December Mission of the Month

December Mission of the Month is dedicated to the **Africa University Women's Tuition Contribution**. The vision of Africa University is to aspire to become a world class university for leadership development in Africa.



This Week at a Glance

Sunday, December 7

Online Worship Available on the Website & YouTube pgs.

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| 8:30a | Worship Service | Sanctuary |
| 8:30a | Receiving New Members | Sanctuary |
| 9:30a | Coffee & Fellowship | Fellowship Hall |
| 9:30a | Sunday School for Kids | Lower Level |
| 10:30a | Christmas Program | Fellowship Hall |
| 10:30a | Worship Service | Sanctuary |
| 11:30a | Hanging of the Greens | Whole Church |

Monday, December 8

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| 9:00a | ADRC Day Away Program | Lower Level |
| 11:00a | Debriefing Meeting | Multi-Purpose Rm |
| 5:30p | Wiegand Ringers | Fellowship Hall |

Tuesday, December 9

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| 10:00a | OA Meeting | Points of Interest |
| 2:00p | H.A.M.A. Mtg | TBA |
| 7:00p | Zoom Finance Mtg | Online |

Wednesday, December 10

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| 9:00a | Wed. Food Giveaway | Curbside |
| 9:30a | Men's Koffee Klutch | Fellowship Hall |
| 10:30a | Zoom Bible Study | Online |
| 5:30p | Wednesday Night Meal | Fellowship Hall |
| 7:00p | Zoom Prayer + | Online |

Thursday, December 11

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| 9:00a | ADRC Day Away Program | Lower Level |
| 2:00p | Sermon Recording | Sanctuary |

Friday, December 12

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| 2:00p | CCH/Willow Glen Solarium | CCH |
| | Holiday Open House | |

Saturday, December 13

No Activities

Sun., December 14 3rd Sunday of Advent



Advent is a Christian season of preparation that occurs in the four weeks before Christmas. The season is marked by anticipation and reflection, focusing on themes of hope, peace, joy, and love. Sunday, December 14 is the 3rd Sunday of Advent. Each week we will light a candle to remind us that Jesus is coming. On

Sunday, December 14th, we will be lighting three candles. The candle of Hope, the candle of Peace and the candle of Joy.

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5:30 PM Wednesday, Dec. 10 Meal



On Wednesday, December 10 a *Mystery Meal* will be served along with a dessert and drinks. But guess what? We received a hint to the mystery meal. It's soup, soup, and soup.

Three different types of soups will be served. Come and taste the mystery soups. The suggested donation is \$5 per meal or \$15 per family. Reserve your meal today @ HUDSONUMC@SBCGLOBAL.NET or call 715.386.3921.

Please pre-register to reserve your meal by NOON Tuesday, December 9.



Monday, December 15th January Newsletter Reminder

The next Musings article deadline is **Monday, December 15** for the January issue. Anyone can submit an article or information to the newsletter.

Please send in your articles to

HUDSONUMC@SBCGLOBAL.NET.

Thur., Dec. 18 H.O.M.E. Meal



On **Thursday, December 18** all the churches in the Hudson area will be preparing a Christmas meal. We are looking for volunteers on

Thursday, December 18 to help prepare and serve the H.O.M.E. Meal. We are also in need of folks to help clean up afterwards. Please email Barb at 1nuttynana@gmail.com if you are available to help.



Sunday, December 21 Happy Birthday Jesus!

Join the Sunday School group on Dec 21st for a Happy Birthday Jesus Party in the fellowship hall from 9:30-10:30 am during coffee hour. Enjoy Happy Birthday Cupcakes and there will be an opportunity to make and take Christmas Ornaments!

Food Cupboard Needs



There is a box next to the giving tree which is labeled for the Hudson Food Cupboard. Contributions left there will go to the Hudson Food Cupboard. Thank you for your generosity! If you have any questions, please talk to Denise Stalker.
