

Plan for you and your family to celebrate Christmas Eve with us!

Monday, December 24th
5:00pm & 6:00pm Christmas Eve Services

We hope your plans include coming to celebrate the birth of our Lord Jesus with your church family on Christmas Eve!

This is a beautiful time of music and scripture, encouragement, communion and fellowship.

So bring your whole family and let's worship the Christ Child together.

HELP SETUP FOR SUNDAY!

All Deacons and anyone else willing to help set up chairs for next Sunday's combined service should be at the church **Saturday, December 29th at 10:00 a.m.** With enough help, set up should go quickly. Thanks in advance for your help!

2019 OFFERING ENVELOPE NOTICE

If you make regular contributions to FCC in cash and want a receipt for your tax records please notify the church that you want envelopes for 2019. Envelopes are not needed for contributions by check.

FCC BASKETBALL

We are looking for passionate people to help FCC Kid's Basketball in the following areas: Referees, Game-day Ambassadors, Coaches, Set Up, and Registration. Registration is Saturday, January 12th. Practices begin on January 21st with six weeks of games beginning on Saturday, February 2nd. Please contact Jesse Brinkley if you are interested or have questions.

COMMUNION PREPARATION

Please sign up at the Welcome Center to prepare communion **ONE TIME** (or more) in 2019!

We still have 31 spots to fill & need your help!

TRAINING IS AVAILABLE!

This is a great opportunity to serve and everyone is encouraged to sign up!

Please contact Bob Lybarger at 367-2910 with any questions.

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

Throughout the month of December we will be collecting: **Soup & Crackers** for the Salem Food Pantry. Items can be left in the collection box in the foyer.

Welcome!

We are pleased you have chosen to worship with us today. If this is your first time to visit with us, we invite you to stop by our Welcome Center in the Foyer as you leave and pick up additional information about our church. We appreciate your visit and look forward to worshipping with you again. Please complete the perforated Connection Card and place it in the offering plate or take it to the Welcome Center following the service.

At the Welcome Center you will also find a map of our facility, a list of Bible Fellowship Classes, and information about various ministry groups of FCC.

Communion

We celebrate around the Lord's Table each Sunday. Our communion service is open to all believers who have put their trust in Jesus Christ. You may partake as the emblems are passed to you to remember our Lord's death.

Becoming a Christ Follower & Church Membership

The most impacting decision you'll ever make in your lifetime is to surrender your life to Jesus Christ by accepting him as Savior and Lord. Come forward during the invitation time of our service or seek any one of our leaders.

Facts & Figures - December 16, 2018

8:00 am Worship	118
Bible School	142
9:30 am Worship	123
11:00 am Worship	211
Total Worship	452

Ministry Fund Offering	\$	11764.25
*Add. Designated gifts	\$	224.48
Total	\$	11988.73
Weekly Ministry Needs		\$12,072.86

REACH OUT!

INTO OUR COMMUNITY

The Presbyterian Church has a monthly hygiene giveaway and spends time in prayer with many families.

Many items are needed to meet the need in our community. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Items needed are: **Shampoo, Toilet Paper, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Deodorant, Bars of Soap, Razors, Shaving Cream and Tissues.**

Please place the items in the collection box in the foyer. Contact Patty Squibb, 548-4070, with any questions.

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

TODAY:

- 8:00 a.m. Worship
- 9:30 a.m. Worship & Classes
- 11:00 a.m. Worship

MONDAY: Church Office Closed

- 5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service
- 6:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service

TUESDAY: Church Office Closed

WEDNESDAY:

No programs

THURSDAY:

- 12:00 p.m. Men's Basketball

SATURDAY:

- 10:00 a.m. Setup Chairs in Gym

NURSING MOTHERS ROOM

A special room is available for nursing mothers. Stop by the Welcome Center for additional information.

A Life Giving Branch

Isaiah 11:1

Matthew 1:18-25

tekton = c _____; carpenter

All of us can look around and be h _____.

God wants people of f _____ who are eager to o _____.

God will use our w _____ and obscurity for his glory.

CONNECTION CARD
12/23/2018

Thank you for attending. Please help us by filling out this card and placing it in the offering plate.

Service attending: 8:00 9:30 11:00

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/ State/ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

First names of family attending worship with you: _____

- I am: a first time guest an out of town visitor
 a regular attendee a member of FCC
 searching for a church home

Staff

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Prayer List

HOME [unless otherwise noted]

Nancy Kraps
 Doris Baldrige
 Mark Baldrige
 JD Hargis
 JoAnn Laney (sister of Lynn Kohrig)
 Terry Heern
 Rue Davis
 Kennah Heistand (niece of Emily Lane)
 Dancee Wiggins
 Erika Schumpert
 Ken Krase, Jr.
 Janet Martens (sister of Keith Kemp)
 Becky Couch (sister of Katie Wilson)
 Anita Wyatt
 Beth (Baldrige) Runion
 Jean Spicer (friend of Bob & Kathy Russell)
 Kelly Gurvis (friend of Alexa Thornton)
 Maurice Black [Centralia Manor]
 Amy Follett
 Patty Lane (mother of Chris Lane)
 Virginia Favela (mother of Trish Padberg)
 Mona Watson
 Beckham Bass
 Lucy Molenhour [Twin Willows]
 Jerry Schaubert

Please Note:
 Our leadership team prays for *all* requests that come to us via our Connection Card. In order for all current requests to be added to our printed list, we may remove names that have been continuously printed for one month or more. Thank you.

Prayer Needs

I am requesting prayer for:

- Please keep private.
 Please add to the published prayer list.

Order of Worship

→ **GATHERING**

Found In You
Hark The Herald (with King of Heaven)

↓ **THE WORD**

Message

↑ **THANKSGIVING**

O Come Let Us Adore Him

Communion Thoughts, Prayer & Passing

Offering Prayer & Passing

← **DISMISSAL**

Christ Is Enough

Closing Thoughts

Ministry Highlight

COMBINED WORSHIP

Sunday, December 30th

10:30 a.m.

Join us in the CLC for one Combined Service at 10:30 am on Sunday, December 30th.

Our kids worship team “Jump, Shout and Praise” will be leading this Family 5th Sunday service!

Donuts at 9:00 am in the Fellowship Hall with Bible School Fellowship at 9:30 am.

There will be no school-age programming during the 10:30 am service, as we encourage families to worship together. Nursery and Preschool classes will run as normal.

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