



Sounds of the Season



Jefferson

*Sunday, December 4 at 11:00 a.m.
"Bethlehem's Child"*

New Hebron

*Sunday, December 11 at 6:00 p.m.
"The Saints and Angels Sing"*

Mulberry Springs

*Sunday, December 4 at 6:00 p.m.
Children's Program:
"All About the Baby"*

Woodlawn

*Sunday, December 11 at 11:00 a.m.
Adult Program: "God is with Us"*

*Sunday, December 18 at 10:45 a.m.
Adult Program:
"Noel"*

*Sunday, December 18 at 11:00 a.m.
Children's Program: "I Hope"*

*Sunday, December 18 at 6:00 p.m.
Youth Program:
"Department Store Christmas"*

Immanuel
*Sunday, December 11
at 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
"God With Us"*

Crossroads

*Sunday, December 11
Adult Program:
"Come Let Us Adore" at 10:30 a.m.*

Hallsville

*Sunday, December 18 at 10:45 a.m.
"Come Let us Adore"*

*Children's Program:
"All About That Baby" at 6:00 p.m.*

Friendship

*Sunday, December 18 at 10:30 a.m.
"Christmas! We Remember,
Rejoice, Worship"*





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2016 International Missions Emphasis

"The Gospel Resounds"

Week of Prayer
 December 4-11

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
National Goal: \$155 Million

This year's focus country is Norway. It is a country of startling beauty: icy glaciers, lush meadows, rushing water falls, snow-peaked mountains and more. It once was a deeply religious country with strong Christian values, but postmodern influence of relativism and situational ethics have left many churches empty or their facilities converted to businesses. Take time to learn more by using this year's Mission Study nationals available at www.wmu.org. Your offering goes to support the work of our missionaries in Norway and over 125 other countries. The Lottie Moon offering Goal represents 60% of the anticipated expenses of our International Mission Board.

TAX TUNE-UP WORKSHOP

Tuesday, January 10 @ 6:30 p.m.

Soda Lake Office

If you are the Church Treasurer, Financial Secretary, or anyone who makes decisions about your church's personnel payroll matters, you are encouraged to attend this opportunity designed for you. We will refresh you on these important matters and see what's new for 2017.

CERTIFICATE IN MINISTRY SPRING 2017

Baptist Distinctives
 January 12- February 9

Leadership With Volunteers
 February 16 - March 23

Bivocational Ministry
 April 6 - May 4

As you make plans for the next year, how about considering sharpening your ministry knowledge and skills? CIM courses are perfect for that very thing. These courses are taken from ETBU's degree program in religion, but are uniquely designed to be more practical for adult students serving a local church vocationally or as a volunteer. Another benefit is that ETBU offers these courses at a significantly more affordable cost to encourage individuals to take advantage of an excellent learning opportunity. There are eighteen courses offered over a three-year period. Persons may choose to take one, some, or all of them as they desire. Cost is only \$175 tuition for each course after a one-time admission fee of \$25. Classes Meet on Thursdays from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Soda Lake office. Call us with your questions or for more information.

Girls Mid-Winter Retreat

February 3-4

Lakeview Assembly

for all girls grades 1-12

\$48.00 each

