

First Baptist Church
Williamsburg, Kentucky
Second Sunday of Advent
December 9, 2018

Song of Praise *Cantique de Noel* Handbell Choir
 by Adolphe Adam
 arr. by Ellen Jane Lorenz

Song of Praise *O Sing a Song of Bethlehem* Handbell Choir
 Traditional English Melody
 arr. by Valerie Stephenson

Welcome, Scripture, and Invocation Jolly Sharp
 Luke 1.5-25

The Lighting of the Advent Candle The Kleinmann Family

Hymn 265 *The First Noel* Congregation
 (Children in preschool through second grade may leave
 with Super Church leaders during the hymn.)

Offertory Prayer David Williams

Offertory *Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus* Handbell Choir
 by Rowland H. Pritchard
 arr. by Chris Smith
 How Still We See Him Lie
 O Little Town of Bethlehem
 and *Once in Royal David's City*
 arr. Paul McFarland

Worship Music *What Child is This?* Adult Choir
 arr. by Jay Rouse

Prayers of the People Tyler Johnson

Message 'Zechariah's Chance' Ande Myers

Hymn of Commitment 664 Congregation
 Take My Life, Lead Me Lord

Benediction Tyler Johnson

Postlude *It Came Upon a Midnight Clear* Piano
 by Edmund H. Sears and Richard S. Willis

<i>Prayer Concerns</i>		
Kathleen Bond	Bill Brown	Barbara Brown
Kaysen Brock	Danny Brown	Barbara Carnes
Debby Clark	Marian Colette	Randy Croley
Charlotte Dupier	Chuck Dupier	Bobby Everage
Wilma Faulkner	Wanda Freeman	Everett Hamblin
Dora Hamby	Matt Howard	Linda Jarboe
Clarsie Jeffries	Rebecca Gibson	Wanda Jeffries
Cathy Jones	George & Nina Herring	Betty Mars
Janice Lambdin	Barbara & Stan Wasano	
Betty & Ralph Higginbotham	Bill & Nadine Hudson	
Thomas & Carol Stephens	Ashley Creekmore Oaks	
Sue Mathes	Marcella Mountjoy	Barbara Neubert
Ron Newman	Brenda Rains	Barbara Petrey
Donnie Rains	Della Rose	Josh Tyree
Gayle & Philip Majors	Walter Pennington	Irene Rooney
James 'Jim' Renfro	Dorothy Pennington	Roger Stephens
Marilyn Teague	Jack & Sadie Smith	Pam Stanford
Emma West	Eddie Winchester	Jarrod Wilson
Florence Young	Luke Wells	Donnie Wilson
Tom Rains (Sharon Perkins' father)		Erica Harris
Skylar Cotter	Jim Newman	Veronica Rains
Janet Logan		

Calendar of Events—First Baptist Church Williamsburg

December 9, 2018

- 10:00 am - Sunday School/Kids Connect
- 10:00 am - McPherson-Wood Class Breakfast (CLC Kitchen)
- 11:00 am - Morning Worship (Sanctuary)
- 11:30 am - Super Church (J.L.'s Classroom)
- 12:00 pm - Personnel Committee (Parlor)
- 2:30 pm - Christmas in a Small Town (WISD Gym)
- 5:00 pm - Youth Small Groups (West's Home)
- 5:00 pm - Deacons' Meeting (Williams' Home)
- 6:00 pm - Young Adult Small Group (Helen's House)

Monday, December 10, 2018

- 5:00 pm - Firstercise (CLC)

Tuesday, December 11, 2018

- 8:30 am - Yoga (CLC)
- 10:00 am - Peace by Piece Quilting (Basement)
- 3:00 pm - Afterschool Tutoring
- 3:30 pm - Staff Meeting
- 6:00 pm - Aerobics (CLC)

Wednesday, December 12, 2018

- 5:00 pm - Firstercise (CLC)
- 6:00 pm - Advent Worship (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 pm - Axis Student Ministry (Youth Room)
- 7:00 pm - Choir

Thursday, December 13, 2018

- 8:30 am - Yoga (CLC)
- 3:00 pm - Afterschool Tutoring
- 6:00 pm - Aerobics (CLC)

Friday, December 14, 2018

- 6:30 pm - Men's Bible Class Christmas Dinner (CLC)

Sunday, December 16, 2018

- 9:30 am - Children's Christmas Breakfast
- 10:00 am - Sunday School/Kids Connect
- 11:00 am - Morning Worship (Sanctuary)
- 5:00 pm - Youth Small Groups (CLC)
- 5:30 pm - Soup, Appetizer, and Christmas Caroling (CLC)
- 6:00 pm - Young Adult Small Group (Helen's House)

PEACE



*The glory of the Lord shall be
revealed, and all flesh shall see it
together, for the mouth of the
Lord has spoken.
~ Isaiah 40.5*

December 9, 2018

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

- **Wednesday Advent Worship** at 6:00 pm in the sanctuary.
- **Kids Connect Sunday School** members are collecting personal hygiene items in order to prepare a Christmas bag for those who come to the Food Pantry in December. You can help by dropping off **toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, bars of soap, and washcloths** in the church office.
- **Children's Christmas Breakfast** is Sunday, December 16, at 10:00 am in the CLC Kitchen. Children and parents, make plans to attend this fun and festive event.
- **Soup, Appetizers, and Caroling: A Christmas Fellowship** — Join us in the Christian Life Center on Sunday, December 16, at 5:30 pm, to celebrate Christmas traditionally: eating together and caroling. We need 6-7 crock pots of soup and everyone else to bring appetizers to share. At 6:15 pm, we will go caroling. If you can make a soup or could suggest someone who would enjoy carolers, call the church office.
- **Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion Service:** Monday, December 24, 5:30 pm, in the sanctuary. Make this part of your Christmas tradition as we remember the birth of our Savior and Lord.
- **December Missions Giving:** The Deacons recommend that we give toward missions in two ways. One is the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering through the International Mission Board of SBC and the second is through Kentucky CBF. Envelopes are available in the pew racks.
- **Christmas Joy Memorial Offering:** Gifts in memory or in honor of someone may be given at this time of year. Forms are located at the doors. These will be listed (without the amounts) on Sunday, December 30.
- **Seeking Upward Coaches, Referees, and Concession** volunteers. The first FBC-hosted game is Saturday, February 2. Call Tyler for more information.

Christmas/Advent Activities at First Baptist Williamsburg

December 9:

- **McPherson Wood Class Breakfast** at 9:45 am in CLC Kitchen.
- **Handbells** in morning worship at 11:00 am in the sanctuary.
- **Christmas in a Small Town** at 5:30 pm at the WISD Gym.
- **Deacons' Christmas Meeting** at 5:00 pm at the Williams' home.

December 12:

- **Advent Evening Worship** at 6:00 pm in the sanctuary.

December 14:

- **Men's Bible Class Christmas Dinner** at 6:30 pm in CLC Kitchen.

December 16:

- **Children's Christmas Breakfast** at 10:00 am in CLC Kitchen.
- **Advent Morning Worship** at 11:00 am in the sanctuary.
- **Soup, Appetizers, and Church-wide Caroling.** Meet in the CLC at 5:00 pm for soup and appetizers.

December 17:

- **Hymn Sing at Williamsburg Health and Rehabilitation Center** at 2:00 pm

December 19:

- **Advent Evening Service** at 6:00 pm in the sanctuary.
- **Youth Christmas Progressive Dinner** begins at 5:30 pm in the youth room.
- **Food Pantry** at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

December 20:

- **Blue Christmas Worship Service** at 7:00 pm at the First United Methodist Church.

December 23:

- **Advent Morning Worship** at 11:00 am in the sanctuary.

Deacon of the Week: David Williams (549-0145) // Ginnie West (304-7560)

Ushers and Greeters: Tom and Tammy Stephens // Todd Mattingly // Anne Bays

Super Church Workers: Kathryn Hart // Allison Maxey

Nursery: Kathy Karr