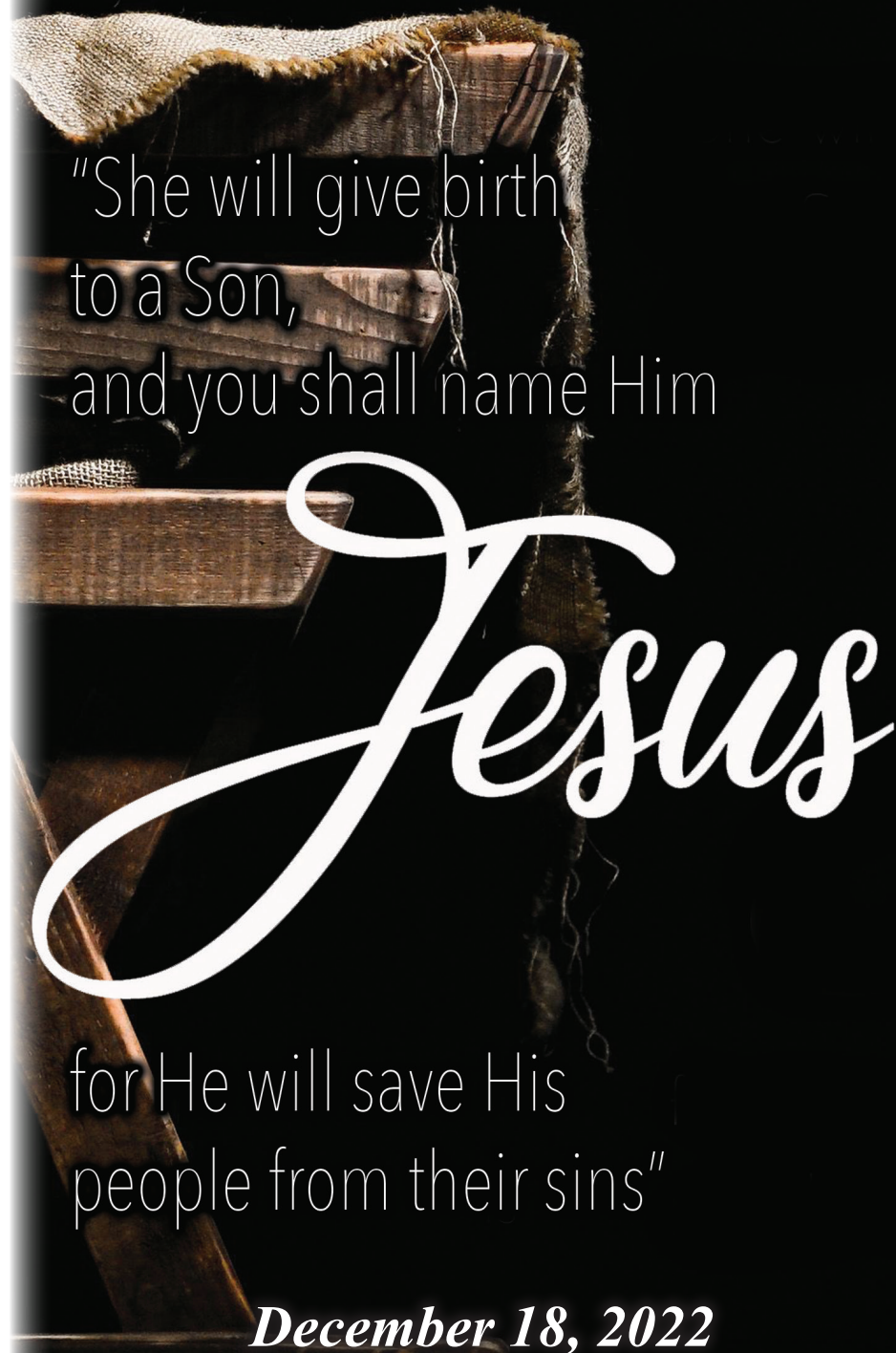


## Prayer Concerns

Megan Atteberry (Boots Hamblin's cousin)	George & Nina Herring	Carol Stephens Tom & Tammy Stephens
Jennie Lou Ausmus	Bill Hudson	William Tatman (Pastor Jeremy's grandpa)
Joe Brown	Mike Huey (Rebecca Conn's cousin)	Dinah Taylor
Johnny Brown	Maggie Logan	Gayle Taylor
Barbara Carnes	Jerry Martin (Boots Hamblin's brother)	Shannon Taylor
Debby Clark	Shirley Mattingly	Marilyn Teague
Chuck Criscillis	Sue Mathes	Ernest Triplett
Randy Croley	Judy Mattox	Eric Wake
Rick Davis	Jennifer Melton	Richard & Lana Warman (John Beams' friend)
Evy Duncan	Brenda Myers	Barbara Wasano
Henrietta Duke	Kenny Nighbert	Ed Winchester (John Beams' friend)
Grant Duke	Elmer Patrick	Betty Witt
Willard & Julia Farris (Kathleen Croley's brother)	Walter Pennington	Florence Young
Wilma Faulkner	Phillip Perkins	
J. Don Faulkner	Sam Reeves	
Imogene Halcomb	Elsie Shelby (Bryan Shelby's mother)	
J.L. Hamblin	Sadie Smith	
Ralph Higginbotham		



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SACRED  STORIES

WEEK 14, DAILY BIBLE READINGS

December 19th - Isaiah 7:10-17

December 20th - Jeremiah 33:14-18

December 21st - Luke 1:5-25

December 22nd - Luke 1:26-38

December 23rd - Luke 1:39-56

December 24th - Isaiah 9:2-7



***First Baptist Church***  
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***December 18, 2022 ~ Fourth Sunday of Advent***

Worship in Song	<i>The Carpenter</i> <i>The Donkey</i> <i>Away In A Manger</i> <b><i>Director: Meg Judd / Pianist: Sharon McGinley</i></b>	Children's Choir
Welcome & Invocation		Garnet Chrisman
Video	‘The Unexpected Messiah: Love’	The Skit Guys
Lighting of the Love Candle		Young Adult Class
Worship in Song	269 - <i>How Great Our Joy!</i>	Congregation
Worship in Song	259 - <i>Angels, From The Realms Of Glory</i>	Congregation
Offertory Prayer		David Etter
Offertory	<i>Infant Holy, Infant Lowly</i> Traditional Polish Carol Arranged by Anthony Giamanco	Alex Stone
Worship in Song	<i>I Wonder As I Wonder</i> Arranged by John Jacob Niles <b><i>Soloist: Kay Lewis</i></b>	Vocal Solo

Children's Church

Janet Logan

**ADULTS: The Lord be with you as you worship.**  
*KIDS: And also with you.*

Worship in Song	<i>Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light</i> Chorale from “The Christmas Oratorio” By Johann Sebastian Bach	Adult Choir
Scripture Reading	Matthew 1:18-25	Marcia Fess
Message	‘Jesus as Immanuel’	Jeremy Shannon
Time of Commitment	278 - <i>Angels We Have Heard On High</i>	Congregation
Benediction	815 - <i>Doxology</i>	Congregation
Postlude	<i>Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus</i> Rowland H. Prichard	Alex Stone

**Deacons of the Week:** Larry West (304-5545)  
 // David Etter (524-4617)

**Ushers and Greeters:** Keaton & Abbey Logan // Evan Manning  
 // Todd Mattingly

**Nursery:** Stacey Estes

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**\*\*Children's Church:** As we prepare for our children's ministry in 2023, we are looking for willing volunteers to help with our Sunday morning children's church time. We have several dedicated volunteers, but we need a few more to help create a rotation schedule. We hope to get enough help that each person only has to serve once every 1-2 months. If you are willing to help, please contact Pastor Jeremy or the church office.

**\*\*Food Pantry:** Our monthly curbside distribution will be Wednesday, December 21st from 4:00 till 5:00 PM. We will not have UC student volunteers this month to help us. We will need extra volunteers for both packing the bags and distribution. If you can help in any way, please contact Norma Dunston at 606-521-7885 or the church office.

**\*\*Christmas Mission Offerings:** Envelopes are available at all the main doors for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions and the CBF Global Mission Offering.

**\*\*Christmas Joy:** FBC would like to invite you to give an honorarium or memorial donation during this Christmas season. The donation should be marked "Christmas Joy" and be accompanied by the Christmas Joy form (*included with the bulletin*). The honorariums and memorials will be listed in the worship bulletin (without the amounts) on Sunday, December 25th and in the newsletter on Friday, December 23rd. All donations must be turned into the church office by Monday, December 19th.

**\*\*Christmas Poinsettias:** The Decorations Committee has placed Christmas Poinsettias around our church sanctuary. If you would like to purchase one of these poinsettias in honor or memory of someone, a group, or an event, please contact the church office for more information. These gifts will be acknowledged, along with the Christmas Joy donations, in the worship bulletin on Sunday, December 25th and in the newsletter on Friday, December 23rd. All donations must be turned into the church office by Monday, December 19th. (*The poinsettias may be taken home after the morning worship service on December 25th.*)

**\*\*Christmas Services:** Christmas Eve Candlelight Service will be Saturday, December 24th at 5:30 PM. Christmas Day worship service only on Sunday, December 25th at 11:00 AM.

**\*\*Church Office Closure:** The FBC office will be closed Monday - Friday, December 26th - 30th in observance of Christmas and New Year. There will

be NO online newsletter for Friday, December 30th.

**\*\*Peace by Piece Quilting:** Calling anyone interested in helping make baby quilts, lap quilts or fidget pads. Come find out how YOU can help! You don't have to be a great seamstress. We will meet downstairs in the sewing room Tuesday, January 3rd at 10:00 AM. Contact Pat Ramey for more information or to share your interest.

**\*\*2022 Giving:** Since FBCW is a charitable organization and gifts to it are tax deductible, IRS regulations and rules must be followed. Gifts to FBCW placed in the offering plate, mailed to the church, or given online must be received by Saturday, December 31st, to be counted as a 2022 gift. If you would like to have a copy of your giving record for IRS purposes, please let the church office know. These will go out after all donations for the 2022 year are posted.

**\*\*2023 Giving Envelopes:** New giving envelopes are available in the hallway outside the church office. They can be picked up anytime during regular office hours or on Sundays. If you don't find yours there, let Rebecca know and she will prepare you a set.

**\*\*FBCW Snow Policy:** During inclement weather, please check the First Baptist Church website, Facebook page, and / or WKYT 27 Lexington for event and service cancellation notices. Sunday morning services will always be held when safe to do so, but please use common sense and caution before traveling.



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Please print names as you want them listed:

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

Given by: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please use the back of this form if more space is needed!*

