

THE LORD'S DAY, December 9, 2018
THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE
8:30 AM and 11:00 Service

Prelude "The First Noel"..... arr. Nancy Lyons Smith
Hymn No. 179 "Angels, from the Realms of Glory"Montgomery/Smart
Song of Worship "O Holy Night" arr. Chris Tomlin
Mission Emphasis
Opening Prayer
Welcome and The Lord's Work
Song of Praise
Worship Anthem "Special with Away In a Manger" arr. Daniel Semsen
Soloist-Janna Klages


Scripture Reading - Isaiah 60:1-3
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory Hymn No. 187 "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day"Lonfellow/Calkin
Offertory
Special Music "Beautiful Star of Bethlehem" Praise Team Ensemble
(Nancy Wells, Susan Parmer, Christopher Ryals and Matt Jackson)

SERMON "The Example of Joseph" Matthew 1:18-25..... Pastor
Hymn of Decision No. 199 "O Come, All Ye Faithful" Wade
Closing Prayer

Closing Song
Emmanuel
Emmanuel, Emmanuel, His name is called Emmanuel;
God with us, revealed in us; His name is called Emmanuel

Postlude "He Is Born".....arr. Mary Ellen Kerrick

Mrs. Lynn Warren, Organist
Mrs. Nancy Well, Pianist
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**The Graded Choir
Christmas
Program
6:00 PM**

First Baptist Church Bulletin

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from the pastor...

Graded Choirs Tonight

It is always a joy to hear our boys and girls sing. Ann White does such a good job of coordinating these choirs. We will be blessed by our children tonight as they sing the songs of Christmas.

Lottie Moon Offering Matters

Each year we are privileged to be a part of the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Thank you for giving \$1,506.72 toward our goal of \$20,000. Please consider carefully what you can give.

Your Pledge is Important

The Lord's business is the most important work we can do. If you have not had the opportunity to bring your pledge commitment, please consider doing that this week.

Adult Musical—December 16

Two wonderful worship opportunities await us on December 16, at 5:30 and 7:00. Please bring a friend to share in these services.

Sanctuary To Be Cooler

We are going to have the sanctuary a little cooler on Sunday mornings. Please remember this as you come for worship.

Our Sympathy To...

Mr. & Mrs. James (Ronda) Ware in the death of his grandmother, Elsie Ware, of Lumpkin, GA.

Sanctuary Flowers

The nativity scene and arrangement on the communion table are given in honor of the Senior Adult Department members, directors, and teachers.

The flowers in the foyer are given in loving memory of Mrs. Louise McRae by Cal and Billie McRae and her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

2018 Contributions

Any contribution for 2018 needs to be given by Monday, December 31, 2018 or it will be reported as a contribution in 2019.

This Week's Calendar

Sunday, December 9, 2018

8:30 AM Early Morning Worship
 9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Worship Service
 6:00 PM Graded Choirs' Program

Monday, December 10, 2018

6:45 AM Youth Prayer Breakfast
 7:30 AM Day Care
 8:00 AM Preschool

Tuesday, December 11, 2018

7:30 AM Day Care
 8:00 AM Preschool
 8:00 AM Women's Exercise Class
 9:00 AM Women's Prayer Ministry

Wednesday, December 12, 2018

7:30 AM Day Care
 8:00 AM Preschool
 5:00 PM Graded Choirs
 Fellowship Supper
 6:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal
 "SIS" Bible Study
 6:15 PM Journey - Youth Bible Study
 Mission Programs
 6:30 PM Prayer Service

Thursday, December 13, 2018

6:30 AM Men's Prayer Breakfast
 7:30 AM Day Care
 8:00 AM Preschool

Friday, December 14, 2018

7:30 AM Day Care
 8:00 AM Preschool

Power Point Presenter

Carol Gaither

Audio Schedule

8:30 & 11:00 AM Marty Roney
 6:00 PM Scott Hester

Lottie Moon Christmas

Offering

Did you know a gift of \$36 provides a sewing teacher for a class of 15 two days a week? Missionaries help people in poverty stricken countries learn a skill such as sewing to help them escape poverty. By giving we not only help these people provide for their families, we help share the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Ushers

8:30 AM Carl Childree
 Larry Colombo
 Treavor Dowling
 Jerry Gulledge
 Jim Helton

11:00 AM Joe Kramer
 Duane Mock
 John Mott
 Carson Pomeroy
 Al Rhodes

Deacon of the Week

Bill Haney will serve as Deacon of the Week. If you need his services in any way, please call 703-2195.

Last Sunday's Report

<u>Offering:</u>	<u>Weekly:</u>	<u>Year to Date:</u>
NEEDED	\$23,391.92	\$1,122,812.16
RECEIVED	\$39,260.10	\$1,135,376.08
Morning Worship Attendance		331
Sunday School Attendance		347
Visitors		9
Youth Building Balance		\$29,306.09

Just for Youth

Youth Prayer Breakfast

Monday, December 10

6:45 AM

Meet @ the Youth Ministry Building

JOURNEY

Youth Bible Study

Wednesday, December 12

Starts @ 6:00 p.m.

Tacky Christmas Sweater Contest!

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Wednesday, December 19

5:00—7:00 p.m.

Meet @ the Youth Ministry Building

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If you would like to host a group, please contact Chris.

Fellowship Supper Menu

Hamburgers, French Fries,
 Baked Beans, Dessert

Music Notes ...

"How To Have The Best Christmas Ever"

Adult Choir Christmas Musical

Sunday, December 16, 2018

5:30 & 7:00 PM



Christmas Pictures



The night of the Adult Choir Christmas Musical, "How To Have The Best Christmas Ever," is almost here and we are so excited! This year we have added a Christmas Photo Booth that will be setup in Adult I. We invite you to take a picture with your family, friends or even an Elfie Selfie. Pictures can be made prior to both performances starting at 4:30 PM. Cookies and apple cider will also be available for you to enjoy while you fellowship.

A Special Christmas List



We are collecting items for people living in tent communities in the panhandle area. These individuals were devastated by Hurricane Michael. The items on the list include: Tents (two man and family); heating blankets; heaters (250 watt); large tarps; bungee cords; rope; small grill; charcoal; flashlights; batteries; socks (kids & adults) and wet wipes. Items can be dropped off at the Christmas Photo Booth the night of the Adult Choir Christmas Musical.