

*Poinsettias have been placed in honor of:*

Our Sunday School teachers, Elizabeth Reese and Don Robinson  
*by Dave and Pat Huff*

*Poinsettias have been placed in loving memory of:*  
Jim Cobb *by Fredina Cobb*

Don Duncan *by Lita Duncan*

Arnold and Evelyn Disney *by Bob & Linda McBurney, Cliff, Christy, & Casie McBurney, Robin & Fred Hoffman*

Kellee Edwards, Cathy Prewitt, and Maxine Bolding *by Jan Bolding*

Bill Griffith *by Mary Griffith and family*

William Ernest Hensley *by Glennis Hensley & family*

Velmer Hopper *by Jerry & Karen Vanover*  
Henry and Violet Hopper *by Jerry & Karen Vanover*

Juanita Hughes *by David & Cheryl Landrum*

Eddie Hyde *by Tina Hyde & family*

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Landrum *by David & Cheryl Landrum*

Leonard and Marie Leak & Felix and Mattie Pace *by Janet Pace*

Princess McBurney *by Bob & Linda McBurney, Pat Waddle, Willard & Darlene McBurney*

Casey Nicholson *by Austin & April Carty and family*

Bo Pace *by Janet Pace*

Gene Waddle *by Pat Waddle & family*

Jimmy Watkins *by Jenny Watkins & Bob Cain, Marcee Hopper & family, Andrew Watkins & family*

**O.W.L.S. Activity!**

Inside the gorgeous interior of Castle Post is housed Castle Farms Restaurant, a celebration of locally sourced ingredients and Kentucky inspired cuisine. The O.W.L.S. are planning a trip to Versailles, KY on Monday, January 8th, 2018. A \$35 fee will cover the buffet meal and a tour. If you would like to go on this trip, please sign up by Wednesday, December 6th. Please pay your monies when you sign up. Questions? Call Nettie Sosh at 606-215-1061.

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**Sunday, December 3rd - ADVENT I**  
9:30am Children’s Music - Chapel  
9:30am Sunday School  
10:10am Adult Choir  
10:30am Worship Service  
6:00pm Advent Family Dinner

**Monday, December 4th**  
6:00pm Open Gym-FLC

**Tuesday, December 5th**  
Baptist Housing Christmas

**Wednesday, December 6th**  
5:30pm Dinner  
6:00pm Youth & Children Activities  
6:15pm Midweek Bible Study  
7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, December 7th**  
12:00pm Craft Club Christmas -Huff Residence  
1-2:00pm Food Pantry  
6:30pm TriCounty Bridge



Save the Date: Friday and Saturday, April 13-14, 2018. It’s a retreat for women at Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill, Kentucky. Details and signup information coming soon!

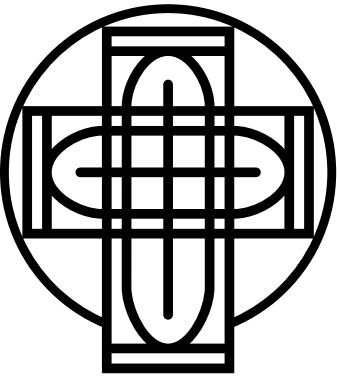


Fellowship Meals

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6TH**  
Menu  
Pinto Beans  
Cole Slaw  
Cornbread  
Dessert

Volunteer Team  
Ann Hacker  
Sharon Pace  
Sherry Pace

*December 3, 2017*



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**Advent and Christmas at First Baptist**

*Tidings of Comfort and Joy*  
December 3, 2017 – 10:30 a.m.  
**The First Sunday of Advent**  
“When We Were Gone Astray”

December 3, 2017 – 6:00 p.m.  
**Advent Family Dinner**  
*with children singing*

December 10, 2017 – 10:30 a.m.  
**The Second Sunday of Advent**  
“Let Nothing You Affright”

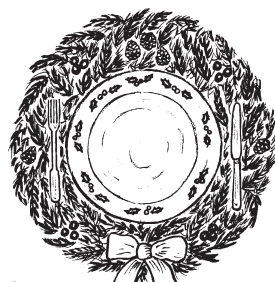
December 17, 2017 – 10:30 a.m.  
**The Third Sunday of Advent**  
“In Tempest, Storm, and Wind”

December 24, 2017 – 10:30 a.m.  
**The Fourth Sunday of Advent**  
“Did Nothing Take in Scorn”

*Gloria*  
December 24, 2017 - 6:00 p.m.  
**Christmas Eve**  
“In Excelsis Deo”

December 31, 2017 – 10:30 a.m.  
**The First Sunday after Christmas**  
“What Great Brightness Did You See?”

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*You are invited  
to Advent Dinner*

*December 3, 2017*

Six O'clock in the Evening  
in the fellowship hall.

Meat, bread and drinks will be provided.  
Please bring your favorite side dish, salad  
and/or dessert (to feed 8-10 people).



The Advent wreath is placed in loving memory of  
FELIX AND MATTIE PACE

and  
LEONARD AND MARIE LEAKE

by  
Kevin and Sherry Pace  
Daniel, Lindsay, Jackson, and Harrison Lowe

## *Tidings of Comfort and Joy*

**The First Sunday of Advent**  
**December 3, 2017**  
**Ten-thirty O'clock in the Morning**

### **Scripture Lessons**

Isaiah 64:1-9  
Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19  
I Corinthians 1:3-9  
Mark 13:24-27

### **Anthems by The Sanctuary Choir**

*An Advent Prayer*  
*O Savior, Rend the Heavens Wide*

**Sermon by Austin Carty**  
"When We Were Gone Astray"

### **The Celebration of Communion**

#### **USHERS & GREETERS** **December 3, 2017**

1. Colleen Darabant
2. Norman Teague
3. Myrissa Christy
4. Sherry Pace
4. Glenn Sasser
4. Bill Sosh
5. Nettie Sosh
5. Dave Huff
5. Myrissa Christy
6. Steve Surmont
6. Tom Davis
7. David Landrum

#### **Pastoral Care Emergencies** **Nights and Weekend:**

**Minister: Paul Sims**  
**202-0595**

If you are unable to reach this  
minister, please leave a message  
on his voice mail. Messages will  
be monitored at regular intervals.

**Deacon: Ann Hacker**  
**528-8969**

#### **November 26, 2017 Summary:**

Budget Offerings:	\$	5,831.00
YTD Budget Offerings:	\$	81,224.00
YTD Budget Goal:	\$	90,684.00
Loose Change:	\$	46.11

*Loose change received in December will benefit the First Baptist Church Cold Weather Ministry.*

#### **December 3, 2017:**

**Nursery:** Sue Mills and Glennis Hensley  
**Children's Church:** Cheryl Landrum and Nancy Rich

### **December 2017**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>3 ADVENT I</b> <b>COMMUNION</b> 6:00pm Advent Dinner	<b>4</b> 6:00pm Open Gym	<b>5</b> Baptist Housing Christmas	<b>6</b> 5:30pm Dinner 6:15pm Children & Youth 6:15pm MidWeek Bible Study 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal	<b>7</b> 12:00 pm Craft Christmas at Huff's 1-2:00pm Food Pantry 6:30pm TriCounty Bridge	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10 ADVENT II</b> 5:30pm Youth	<b>11</b> 6:30 pm Deacon/Staff Christmas	<b>12</b> Golden Circle SS Class @ Von Gruenigen	<b>13</b> 5:30pm Dinner 6:15pm Children & Youth 6:15pm MidWeek Bible Study 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal	<b>14</b> 1-2:00pm Food Pantry 7:00pm Learn N Grow Christmas	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17 ADVENT III</b> 3:30pm Christmas Caroling 5:30pm Youth Christmas Party	<b>18</b> 5:30pm Finance Mtg 6:00pm Open Gym	<b>19</b> 6:00pm Stewart SS Class Christmas	<b>20</b> No Activities	<b>21</b> 1-2:00pm Food Pantry 6:30pm TriCounty Bridge	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24 ADVENT IV</b> 6:00pm Christmas Eve Service	<b>25 Christmas Day</b> Office Closed 6:00pm Open Gym	<b>26</b> Office Closed	<b>27</b> No Activities	<b>28</b> 1-2:00pm Food Pantry 6:30pm TriCounty Bridge	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>31 FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS</b>	<b>Notes:</b>					