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### Friday, December 1, 2023

8:00 am - 12:00 noon Office Staff will be available to let you in to work on your Advent Dinner table decorations.

#### Sunday, December 3, 2023

9:00 am Choir Rehearsal 9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service

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4:00 pm Handbell Choir

6:00 pm Advent Potluck Dinner

#### Wednesday, December 6. 2023

5:30 pm Meal (call by **Mon., Dec. 4** to

make or cancel reservation)

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dress Rehearsal for the

Christmas Program.

6:15 pm Bible Study - Book of Revelation

6:15 pm Children & Youth Activities

#### **Mark Your Calendars**

Sunday, Dec. 10 Christmas Program.

Tuesday, Dec. 12 Deacons Dinner at Seasons.

Wednesday, Dec. 13 1st Quarter Business Mtg

Sunday, Dec. 17 Christmas Caroling.



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Thank you so much for help with filling 200 shoeboxes as FBC's part of the 3,500 Christmas Boxes for Appalahia Program. Thank you to all that donated items, money and time in making Christmas a little brighter for children in southeast Kentucky and northeast Tennessee. Nancy Rich P.S. Scarlette can still use help with the remaining boxes.

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The Advent Wreath is placed in memory of FELIX & MATTIE PACE and LEONARD & MARIE LEAKE

by

Kevin & Sherry Pace; Daniel, Lindsay, Jackson, Harrison & Emerson Lowe



We extend our sincere sympathy to Anna Litteral and family in the loss of her sister, Faye Pickard on November 5, 2023.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the Teague family, FBC and Wilma Nolan in the loss of Norman Teague.

We extend our sincere sympathy to Cheryl Landrum and family in the loss of her sister, Kimberly Younts.

# Sign Up to Serve a White Flag Ministry Meal



The 2023-2024 White Flag Ministry season is getting geared up. You can help by cooking (or

catering!) and then help us serve Team up with coworkers or friends and plan to cook for 50-100 people beginning Mon., November 27 at 4:00 pm. We need volunteers for daily meals Mondays-Fridays. Thank You!





Please join us for our Annual Advent POT-**LUCK Dinner** this Sunday evening at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring your favorite potluck dish and/or dessert to share. FBC will provide the meat and drinks. And please bring an ornatment for our **Christmas Tree!** 

If you would like to place a Memorial Poinsettia in the Sanctuary, please contact the office no later than Fri., Poinsettia Dec. 8 by 12:00 noon. The cost is \$30 each.



### **Urgent Volunteer Need**

Due to a large Covid outbreak out of state, a mission team scheduled to come and assist with organizing and packing Christmas Boxes for Appalachia, has had to cancel. This was expected to be about 600 volunteer hours on this large project. Daily opportunities are available to serve in organizing and packing Christmas boxes in our Family Life Center. This is the hub where this project is coordinated. Help is needed immediately because we have to get the boxes **ready for school distribution**. The requests for Christmas boxes that we are trying to meet this year is approximately 3,500. If you can help for a couple of hours, or a couple of days, **please** contact Scarlette at 606-305-3134 or at sjasper@cbf.net.

# First Baptist Church at Worship

# **First Sunday of Advent**

December 3, 2023 Ten-thirty O'clock in the Morning

# **Scripture Lessons**

Isaiah 64:1-9; Mark 13:24-37

#### Children's Moment by Jeremiah Banks

Sermon by Alex Lockridge

"The Power of Hope"

### **Offertory Anthem**

"Beautiful Star of Bethlehem"

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

Minister: Jeremiah Banks - (325) 301-8311

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

Deacon: David Landrum - (606) 304-1957

#### November 26, 2023 Offering Summary

Weekly Budget Goal: 9,315.56 **Budget Offerings:** 5,793.00 YTD Budget Offering: 73.995.50

**NOTE**: To stay on budget, weekly tithing needs to be no less than \$9,315.56 for an overall FY Budget of \$484,409.12.

November Loose Change Offering \$ Loose Change received in **December** will benefit The White Flag Ministry