

PRAYER LIST

FUBC FAMILY: Revival for our church; Joy Kuhar; Kenny Tillman; Micky Sullivan; Denise Stancil; Clarence Whitlow; Frances Fleming; Duane Fender and Family; Jay Pendergrass; Dr. Ivan Yonce; Emogene Johnson; Ethel Snead (Roanoke); Henry Browning, Jr.; Louise Gentry; Margie Reardon; Irma Melton; Connie and John Farina; Betty and Mike Williams; Josephine Snead; Erin Feathers (heart to grow); Nellie Gentry; Nettie Wood; Our Pastor and church leaders; In-active church members.

FUBC EXTENDED FAMILY: Brian Lindquist; Don Brown (Debbie Beyer's uncle); Beverly Terrell (Ivonia and KB's sister); Missy Taylor; Lauryn Hudgins (Crockett's granddaughter); Kerri Foster (niece of Red & Patsy Pulliam); Sue (Emerson Farley's sister); Patty Cabot (Paul and Kathy Beyer's sister); Amy Thompson's mother; Rita's Gable's sister, Linda; Kat Campbell's grandmother, Dottie; Jessie Akers (Jim's mother); Ann McGeorge (Wendell Pollard's cousin); Art & Kathleen Fender (Duane's parents); Jerry and Alline Holloway (former pastor); Gertrude Bousman (Brenda King's mother); Phil Emmert's mother; FUMA.

COMMUNITY AND BEYOND: Letha Crutchfield (Ruxton); Pam Lanford (Colonnades); The Kidd Family; Lennon Monoco; The economy; Owen Clark; Martha Yonce Ricks; Don Reid (friend of Rev. Johnson); Bernard & Gay Harris; Our government leaders; The transition of government following the election; Our service men and women; International peace; People in debt and distress; Neighbors in need of Christ.

“Little Drummer Boy”

(Words and Music by Katherine K. Davis, Henry Onorati, Harry Simeone)

Come they told me, Pa rum pum pum pum
Our new born King to see, Pa rum pum pum pum
Our finest gifts we bring, Pa rum pum pum pum
To lay before the King, Pa rum pum pum pum
Rum pum pum pum, Rum pum pum pum
So to honor Him, Pa rum pum pum pum, When we come.

Little Baby, Pa rum pum pum pum
I am a poor boy too, Pa rum pum pum pum
I have no gift to bring, Pa rum pum pum pum
That's fit to give our King Pa rum pum pum pum
Rum pum pum pum, Rum pum pum pum
Shall I play for you, Pa rum pum pum On my drum.

Mary nodded, Pa rum pum pum pum
The ox and lamb kept time, Pa rum pum pum pum
I played my drum for Him, Pa rum pum pum pum
I played my best for Him, Pa rum pum pum pum
Rum pum pum pum, Rum pum pum pum
Then He smiled at me, Pa rum pum pum pum
Me and my drum. Me and my drum.

Order of Worship December 7, 2008

2nd Sunday of Advent Lord's Supper and Benevolence Offering

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| Prelude | | |
| Welcome and Announcements | | Rev. Warren Johnson |
| Hand of Fellowship | | |
| Call to Worship | | “Emmanuel” |
| Lighting the Advent Candle | | |
| Praise Hymn (In Bulletin) | | “Little Drummer Boy” |
| Scripture and Prayer | | Rev. Johnson |
| Faith Stories | | Congregation |
| Celebration of the Lord's Supper | | |
| Offertory Hymn 76 | | “O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” |
| Offertory Prayer | | Kristin Fields |
| Giving our Offerings of Gratitude | | |
| Offertory | | |
| Doxology | | Congregation |
| Anthem | “Mary Did You Know?” | Adult Choir |
| Message | <u>The Cross and the Christian</u> Josh. 4:1-24; 5:9 | Rev. Johnson |
| Hymn of Decision 301 | | “I Am Resolved” |
| Departing Hymn 387 | | “Bless Be the Tie” |
| Postlude | | Mrs. Ruth Cumbo |

***A Nursery is provided upstairs in the Main Education Building. Hearing assistance devices are also available. Please ask an usher for assistance. .*

SERMON NOTES



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Mrs. Tee White, Secretary
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~ Our Vision ~

*“Developing Kingdom-focused disciples in our area
who are loving, growing and serving.”*

FORK UNION BAPTIST CHURCH CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS

Adult Choir Christmas Concert

Sunday, Dec. 14, 7:00 PM

Reception to Follow

(Please bring goodies!)

A Child was Born

Children's Christmas Program

Sunday, Dec. 21 during the Morning Worship Hour

“Live Nativity” Sunday, Dec 21, 5-6:30 P.M.

**Help is needed to set up on Saturday, and during the event.
(Cookies are needed!)**

Happy Birthday!

December 7: B. J. Arritt
Rhonda White
December 8: Barbara Lacy
Ricky Applegate
December 10: Robbie LeSueur

DEACONS' MEETING

The regular Deacon's Meeting will be held today in the Youth Room at 12:15 PM. Please get to the Youth Room as soon as possible following the worship service.. All deacons please plan to attend.

DAILY REVIVAL QUESTIONS

- 1. What is God's purpose today for Fork Union Baptist Church?
- 2. What changes must we make in the life of Fork Union Baptist Church in order to accomplish God's purpose for our church?
- 3. What changes must I/you make in my/our own life in order to accomplish God's purpose for our church?

MEALS ON WHEELS

Help is still needed for additional drivers and riders. Call BJ @ 842-3510 or Jeff @ 842-2857.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE

Thanks so much to all who participated in "Operation Christmas Child" this year and a special thanks to Jeff for operating the relay center. A total of 936 boxes were gathered at Fork Union Baptist Church with 82 from us. Many thanks to the Youth especially

POINSETTIAS

If you would like to place a Poinsettia in the sanctuary for Christmas, please call the church office or drop this in the collection plate, so we can print the information in the Bulletin. They will be placed in the sanctuary on Dec. 14 and 21 in order to be here for the Christmas programs. You may order them from Scarlett's (\$13) or wherever you choose. Deadline, Tuesday, Dec. 9th.

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

In Memory/Honor of: _____

COOKBOOKS AND NOTE CARDS

If you are interested in purchasing a Fork Union Baptist Cookbook (\$10) or a set of Fork Union Baptist note cards (package of 5 cards and envelopes, \$3), they will be available in the church office. They make great Christmas gifts.

"FRIENDSHIP FAMILY"

Volunteers are needed to host an international student for Christmas dinner in their homes. Call Overseas Students Mission @ 434-295-6488.

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Kristin Fields (591-6127)

If you have a need, and you cannot reach the Pastor or your Deacon, please call our Deacon of the Week. She is here to serve you. Kristin also serves the following families: Brandon Bilyard; Roger & Karen Bowles; Janice LeSueur; Dan Thompson; Cadet David Winters; Cadet Mason Stephens; Kip & Kat Campbell; Jane Cobb; and Jeff & Alyson deBondt.

COUNTING TEAM

December: Jim Tew & Garnett Kennedy
January & February: Barbara Cobb & Ty Cobb

Youth News

Sunday, Dec. 7:

9:30 AM Praise Band Practice
9:45 AM Youth meet in Sanctuary.
10:00 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship
4:30-5:15 PM Girls Youth Meeting & Dinner
5:15-5:45 PM Guys Youth Meeting & Dinner

Skycroft Retreat: December 12-14, leave Friday @ 2:00 PM and return Sunday @ 5:00 PM. If you need a ride from school, call Karen. Cost \$80 and medical form required.

Live Nativity/Youth Caroling: December 21: 4-30-6:30 PM, Youth are nativity characters. Snack supper @ 6:30 PM with caroling after.

New Year's Eve Sleepover: Dec. 31-Jan.1: 7PM-10AM.

LAST WEEK'S REPORT

Sunday School
Morning Worship 90
Wednesday Family Night 52

Ministry Needs Goal for November \$12,051.79

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| Nov. 02 | General Fund | \$4,222.85 |
| Nov. 09 | General Fund | 5,025.91 |
| Nov. 16 | General Fund | 1,709.56 |
| Nov. 23 | General Fund | 1,249.16 |
| Nov. 30 | General Fund | 1,324.71 |
| Month-to-Date Total | | \$13,532.19 |
| Designated Gifts | | \$130.00 |

Ministry Needs Goal for December \$19,274.32

CHURCH NURSERY SCHEDULE

Dec. 7: Amy Thompson & Emily LeSueur
Dec.14: Annie Yonce & Jake and Hannah
Dec. 21: No nursery; children's program
Jan. 4: Alyson deBondt & Kinzie Flynn
Jan. 11: Kristin Fields & Hannah Yonce

Thanks to all the volunteers!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH AND SERVICE

Sunday, Dec. 7: 2nd Sunday of Advent & Lord's Supper

Sunday School..... 9:45 AM
Morning Worship 11:00 AM
Deacon's Meeting..... 12:15 AM

Wednesday, Dec. 10:

Fellowship Meal Served 5:45-6:30 PM
Nursery (Birth-3 Yrs.) 6:30-8:00 PM
Children's Choir (Children's Rm.)..... 6:30-6:50 PM
Prayer Time (Fellowship Hall)..... 6:30-6:50 PM
Treasure Hunters (4 Yrs.-Grade 5; Children's Rm.) 7-8:00 PM
Youth Study (Youth Rm.) 7-8:00 PM
Women's Study (Annex)..... 7-8:00 PM
Young Men's Study (Annex) 7-8:00 PM
General Bible Study (Fellowship Hall) 7-8:00 PM

Sunday, Dec. 14: 3rd Sunday of Advent

Sunday School..... 9:45 AM
Morning Worship 11:00 AM
Adult Choir Christmas Concert..... 7:00 PM
(Reception to Follow)