

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**

**December 7, 2008**

**10:00 a.m.**

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**WELCOME AND FAMILY NEWS**

“O Come, All Ye Faithful”  
# 145

“Emmanuel”  
#134

**SANCTUARY CHOIR**

“People Like You and Me”

**OFFERING**

**Kids dismissed to  
Children’s Church for ages 3 – 6 yrs old**

“Go, Tell It on the Mountain”  
#138

“Angels From the Realms of Glory”  
#131

“More Precious than Silver”

**PRAYER**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

**SERMON**

Pastor Mel Nead

**CLOSING HYMN**

**CLOSING PRAYER**

**TODAY’S ACTIVITIES**

4-7:00 p.m. Youth Service Sunday  
No Youth Group Tonight  
6:00 p.m. Celebration of Advent  
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

**WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

**Tuesday, December 9**

**6:00 p.m. Administrative Team Meeting –  
please see Pastor Mel for a copy  
of the agenda.**  
6:30 p.m. Men’s Basketball in Fellowship Hall

**Wednesday, December 10**

6:00 p.m. Youth Group Small Group

**Thursday, December 11**

7:00 p.m. WMI Christmas Party at Church

**Friday, December 12**

10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Gift Wrapping at  
College Mall  
8:00 p.m. Youth Lock in at the church

**Saturday, December 13**

9-11:30 a.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal  
6:00 p.m. New Life Christmas Party

**SUPPORT A NEEDY CHILD  
IN MONROE COUNTY**

WMI is organizing Christmas gift giving to underprivileged children in Monroe County. You may sign up for specific children and age groups. **Bring your wrapped and labeled gifts to the church by Sunday, December 14.** If you have questions, see Joy Jones.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED  
FOR GIFT WRAPPING AT COLLEGE MALL**

Friday, December 12, 10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Saturday, December 20, 10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**IN FRONT OF DICK’S SPORTING GOODS**

We anticipate serving a **HIGH VOLUME** of shoppers **BOTH DAYS**. Please sign up in foyer. **Donations needed:** gift wrap, tissue paper, shirt boxes, ribbon, gift tags, scotch tape and bottled water. **Supplies are coming in very slowly. See Robin Prichard or Arvada Onken.**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Sunday, December 14, 10:00 a.m.**

Cantata presented by Sanctuary Choir

**Sunday, December 14, 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.**

Open House hosted by the Pastoral Staff Fellowship Hall

**Sunday, December 21, 6:00 p.m.**

Christmas Drama – **A few donations of materials for this production are needed:**  
**10 2-inch sized styrofoam balls**  
**2 large bags of polifill**

**Wednesday, December 24, 6:00 p.m.**

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

**CHRISTMAS POSTCARDS**

Available at the Welcome Center are Christmas postcards with our Christmas services information on them for you to take and give to friends, family or neighbors, or hand address them, and we will mail them for you.

### **CHRISTMAS PROGRAM FLYERS**

To help promote the Christmas program, there are flyers for the Christmas program at the Welcome Center, that Dorothy would like you to take and distribute to friends, family, neighbors and businesses.

**BIBLE QUIZ TEAM CALENDARS** are available **TODAY** in the Fellowship Hall. **Quantities are limited.** See Brad or Robin Prichard.

### **SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGERS NEEDED**

Thurs., Dec. 18 and Fri., Dec. 19  
10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

**Inside College Mall at Macy's**

2 hour shifts available.

Bring a chair.

**Sign up in foyer. See Joyce Gray.**

### **GREETERS**

**Today** – Bob and Bonnie Baker

**December 14** – Gary and Donna Middleton

### **NURSERY ATTENDANTS**

**Today** - 10:00 a.m. – Jan Nead

6:00 p.m. – Teresa Billingsley

**December 14** - 10:00 a.m – Robin Prichard

6:00 p.m. – Khiva Harding

### **COMMON GROUND**

**Today** - Robin Prichard

**Volunteers are needed for December 14 and December 28, as well as the month of January. Please sign up in foyer.**

### **FINANCE REPORT**

Needed weekly to fully fund 2008 budget \$7,656.00

Average weekly offering in 2008 – \$6,947.91

Last week's offering - \$7,035.42

A financial goal for the end of the year:

End the year in the black



Pat Nicely, Carolyn Thickstun and Grace Sylvester



**Morning Worship Service....10:00 a.m.**  
**Sunday School/Bible Study.....9:00 a.m.**  
**Youth Group .....5:30 p.m.**  
**Kidzone.....6:00 p.m.**  
**Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.**

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