

December 29, 2024

“What Comes After the Manger?”

Notes from today’s message:  
John 1:14

**PRAYER LIST**

Prayer List Policy: We will leave each name on the list for 3 weeks.  
\* First week; \*\* 2nd week; \*\*\* Final week unless otherwise requested.

Rachel Burkett, Mark Deane, James Holt, Beth Smith, Francis Berger, Claude Berger, Susan Ratliff, Tayler Tennant, Don Nodtvedt, Ann Jennings, Judy Bryant, Rachel Whitt, Brenda Harden, Lea Smith, Clay Knick, Ainsley & Rory Sullivan, Sandra Hardy, Ronald Brooks, Herb Hardy, Phyllis Mitchell, our Church Family, \*Julius Boles, \*Family of Robert Talbott, \*Karen Ward, \*Jason Harris, \*Carolyn Megginson, \*\*Brenda Echols & Family, \*\*Eugene Phillips, \*\*\*Marcus Brogan.

Other prayer requests? Please write them on a Welcome Card located in your pew and drop them in the offering plate.

Remember those in Nursing Homes & Assisted Living Facilities:

Stratford House: Nancy Weatherford Roman Eagle: Becky Harris  
Nancy Batterman  
Katie Eubank

Remember our Servicemen and Servicewomen

Andrew Nodtvedt Aidan Hall  
Jacob Hardy

**THIS WEEK AT FAIRVIEW**

**Sunday, December 29**

8:45 am Contemporary Worship  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Traditional Worship  
5:15 pm Youth Group

**Monday, December 30**

10:30 am Staff Meeting

**Tuesday, December 31**

**New Year’s Eve**

**Wednesday, January 1**

**New Year’s Day**

**Happy New Year!**

10:00 am - Come & Go New Year’s  
12:00 pm Communion

**Thursday, January 2**

**Friday, January 3**

**Sunday, January 5**

8:45 am Contemporary Worship  
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**Total Giving Compared to Expenses as of 12/22/2024**

Total year-to-date budgeted giving: \$515,518.82  
Total year-to-date budgeted expenses: \$503,866.70

*Special thanks to Josh Marlowe for bringing the message at this morning.*

*Thank you for all of your prayers, cards, and generosity throughout this Advent and Christmas season.*

*Your Staff,*

*Rev. Barry Taylor, Debbie Deane, Dee Dee Dillard,  
Josh Marlowe, Margaret Snider, and Sandra Moore*

### **Church Office Holiday Schedule**

Please note that the church office will be closed on January 1 for New Year's. We hope everyone had a safe and joyous Christmas and we wish you a happy and blessed New Year!

### **December Missions**

During December our monthly mission focus will be on collecting donations for the Fellowship Fund so we can continue to assist with needs in the community. You can place your donations in the Little White Church or in the offering plate in an envelope marked Fellowship Fund. Thanks so much for your wonderful response of lap throws for the nursing homes. Your generosity is truly appreciated!

### **Staff Love Offering**

This is a reminder to use a Love Offering envelope if you are giving a Christmas Love Offering for your church staff. Extra Love Offering envelopes are located in the racks on the pews.

### **2025 Altar Flowers**

The sign-up sheet for placing flowers in the sanctuary is on the bulletin board outside the Church Office. Thank you to all who placed flowers in 2024. They were beautiful! There are still openings in for 2024 in December if anyone wants to place flowers this month. Just let Debbie know.

### **2025 Offering Envelopes**

The 2025 Offering Envelopes are now available. Please stop by the table in the Fellowship Room and get yours. If there is not a box for you, please place your name on the list beside the envelopes and specify if you need monthly or weekly envelopes and we will get a set made for you. Please use your envelopes to help us post your offerings correctly.

### **January-February Upper Room Now Available**

The January/February edition of The Upper Room can be found in the Fellowship Room this morning.

### **Christmas Card Mail Center**

Remember to check the narthex for the Christmas card mail center. Don't forget to check the mail center each Sunday.

### **New Year's Day Communion**

Please take note that Pastor Barry will be here from 10:00am to 12:00 pm to offer communion for New Year's Day. It will be a floating event where you can take communion and receive a prayer for the new year. Please make plans to come out and celebrate New Year's Day with us!

## Prayer for the New Year

— AVEPRAY —

O God, most powerful and compassionate, we praise and thank You for this year that we are concluding.

Thank You for all the blessings, lessons, and encounters we had with You. As we begin a new one, we humbly ask You to be with us. Guide us to the path of renewal and becoming better persons. Bestow Your blessings upon us so that we may grow in holiness all the days of this new year. Through Christ our Lord.

AMEN



*Love God \* Share Hope \* Serve All*

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1<sup>st</sup> Sunday After Christmas

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### Welcome and Announcements

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**\*Gloria Patri** #70

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- o Soap
- o Shaving Cream & Razors
- o Deodorant - Men's And Women's
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- o Dish Detergent
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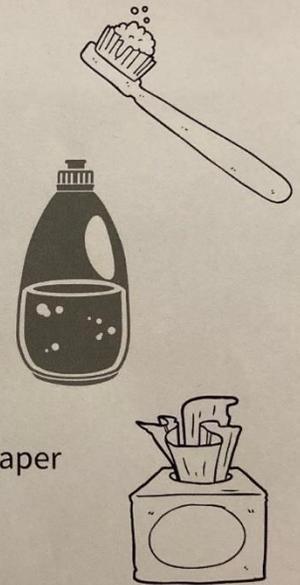


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