



## Christ Church Press

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### Look For:

- ⇒ AYC Christmas Dessert Concert, Sunday, December 2, at 4:15 p.m.
- ⇒ Christmas Fellowship Dinner, Saturday, December 8, at 6:00 p.m.
- ⇒ Congregational Meeting on Sunday, December 9, following morning worship.
- ⇒ Hendrick Christmas, Thursday, December 13, beginning at 6:00 p.m.
- ⇒ Evensong: A Christmas Festival, Sunday, December 16, at 6:00 p.m.
- ⇒ Christmas Eve Service, Monday, December 24, at 5:00 p.m.

### Pray for Me Campaign – Rallying the Church Around the Next Generation

Is prayer important? Do our covenant children need to know they are being prayed for by adults in their church? If you answered yes to these questions, there is an opportunity to become a Prayer Champion for our next generation. More information will be shared during December and in January. Adults may sign up to become a Prayer Champion and families with children may sign up to request a Prayer Champion to pray for their children. The “Pray for Me Campaign” is a movement designed to naturally create multi-generational relationships through prayer. Please watch the bulletin for more information during December and January.

*Psalm 145:4*

*One generation shall commend Your works to another  
and shall declare Your mighty acts.*



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### Birthdays

04	.....	Marita Myers
05	.....	Martha Holley
06	.....	Allyn Dyer
07	.....	Sarah Claire Doss
08	.....	McDonald Law
09	.....	John Clark
10	.....	Aaron Caruso
11	.....	Paul Lyday Natalie Parish
12	.....	Mike Boyd Oliver Brown
16	.....	Victoria Hulsebus
17	.....	Jed Steed
18	.....	Al Lovingood
19	.....	Catharine Norkus
22	.....	Jay Dyer
28	.....	Noah Doss
29	.....	Carol Rezzelle Gloria Smits
31	.....	Whit Caldwell

### Anniversaries

9	.....	Jackie & Dennis Hillesland
16	.....	Shirley & Todd Hannah
17	.....	Jane & George Bowen Tammy & Robbie Hendrick
19	.....	Audrey & Chris Nabholz
20	.....	Allyn & Stephen Dyer
28	.....	Margaret & Scott Doss



### Worship Our Savior's Birth

#### The Augusta Youth Chorale's Christmas Dessert Concert

**Sunday, December 2, at 4:15 p.m. in the Sanctuary.**

Complimentary desserts following in Covenant Hall.  
Evening Worship beginning at 6:00 p.m.

#### Christmas Fellowship Dinner

**Saturday, December 8, at 6:00 p.m.**

A time of fellowship and worship of our Savior as we remember supported missionaries in the field through collecting a monetary Christmas gift. Music by our Children's String Ensemble and carols sung by everyone. Nursery provided for 3-year-olds and below.

#### Evensong: A Christmas Festival

**Sunday, December 16, at 6:00 p.m.**

Worship and praise through our Sanctuary Choir, Children's Choir, and Orchestra. A message of the 1<sup>st</sup> Christmas Carol will be spoken by Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor. Nursery provided.

#### Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

**Monday, December 24, at 5:00 p.m.**

Everyone welcome and encouraged to join us in the Sanctuary as we worship our Lord on the eve of His birth with Instrumental Ensemble, carols, and God's Word by Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor. We will close the service by singing *Silent Night* with candlelight. Nursery provided.



## Congregational Meeting

There will be a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, December 9, following the morning worship to vote on those who have been nominated, and have agreed to serve, as either Elder or Deacon. A letter with each nominee's biographical information has been mailed to members. Please plan to be present on this date, as well as be in prayer for how God would have you cast your ballot.

*For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.*  
Galatians 5:13



## Missions Matters

At Christ Church, Presbyterian, we financially support and have committed to pray for over 25 missionaries who are proclaiming the good news of the Gospel. Every year at this time our thoughts go out to those who are in foreign lands serving the Lord *who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or lands for My name's sake* (Matthew 19:29). It has been our practice as a body of believers to send those missionaries a financial gift to help and encourage them during this time, where we remember the families and friends they have left to serve the Lord and are our representatives of Christ Church. We have called this gift the "Missionary Love-Gift" as we give just to the missionaries and their families and not to the mission agencies we also support financially and in prayer. As we enjoy or families and grandchildren during this Christmastime, may we also remember our missionaries who we have sent to foreign lands and may we give generously to the Missionary Love-Gift. At the Christmas Fellowship Dinner on December 8, we will have Glenn and Charlene (last name omitted for safety) sharing how unexpected gifts have ministered to them and fellow missionaries. Your financial gift can be given anytime in December: at the dinner or in the offering plates during worship services. Below are the missionaries we are currently financially supporting (last names omitted for those serving in harm's way):

Rick & Betty Aschmann, MTW  
Dick & Nancy Bagge, Wycliffe Bible Translators  
Louis & Anne Carter, SIM  
Paul & Laura Chinchen, ABC  
Chris & Cary Drinkard, CO  
Glenn & Charlene, Wycliffe Bible Translators  
Kermit & Cheryl, Green House in Parish  
Jay & Nancy, MTW  
Doug & Amy Nunziato, MATA  
Kurt & Pat Nelson, East-West Ministries  
Rev. Charlie Rector, PEF  
Steven & Rachelle Smith, PEF  
Bruck & Barbara Wannemacher, MTW

Greg & Julieann, Global Serve  
Bob & Andrea Burnham, MTW  
Cheryl Crocker, MTW  
Karl & Debbie Dortzbach, MTW  
Eliseo & Paula Guadagno, Italy Project 16  
Tim & Lisa Higginbotham, NAIM  
Steve & Sherrie Letchford, SIM  
David & Erin Pervis, MTW  
Clay & Darlene Quarterman, MTW  
Noah & Karleigh Stephens, MTW  
Rev. Paul Volpitto, PEF  
Stephen & Kellie, ELIC



Thank you to all who participated in this year's Operation Christmas Child. The members of Christ Church, Presbyterian have had the wonderful privilege of packing **95** gift-filled shoe boxes to be delivered to boys and girls all around the world. A 14-year-old girl in Paraguay wrote a note expressing how Operation Christmas Child has touched her life: "I'm very grateful for the beautiful gifts that I received, but the most wonderful thing was to meet Jesus through the Bible lessons," she said. "Now I keep talking to others about Jesus, telling them how much God loves them. Some of my friends have already trusted Jesus as their Savior.

Please pray that the children who receive shoe boxes this year will not only enjoy the gifts inside but will learn the true meaning of Christmas and find joy and hope as they trust in Jesus.

# December

### Weekly Sunday Schedule:

9:45 a.m. Sunday School • 10:30 a.m. Church-wide Fellowship  
11:00 a.m. Worship • 6:00 p.m. Worship

Please pray daily for our CC,P supported missionaries and missions agencies listed in italics. Those listed without their last name are serving in harm's way. Also, if their name is underlined, it's their birthday.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<b>1</b>
						<i>10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal for Evensong</i> <i>Institute for Creation Research</i>
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
11:00 a.m. Holy Communion 4:15 p.m. AYC Christmas Dessert Concert 5:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m. Trail Life	7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study, Augusta	6:15 p.m. Brass Ensemble Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal	7:00 p.m. Diaconate Meeting	7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer	6:00 p.m. Christmas Fellowship Dinner
<i>Paul &amp; Laura Chinchen</i>	<i>Tim &amp; Lana Higginbotham</i>	<i>Steve &amp; Kellie</i>	<i>Eliseo &amp; Paula Guadagno</i>	<i>Clay &amp; Darlene Quarterman &amp; Heritage Academy</i>	<i>Bob &amp; Andrea Burnham Palmer Home for Children</i>	<i>Gordon K. Reed &amp; Agape Ministries</i>
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
11:45 a.m. Congregational Meeting 4:30 p.m. AYC Rehearsal 5:00 p.m. Sunday Prayer	6:30 p.m. American Heritage Girls 7:00 p.m. Trail Life	7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study, Evans	6:15 p.m. Brass Ensemble Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting	6:00 p.m. Hendrick Christmas	7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer	10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal for Evensong
<i>Glenn &amp; Sharlene</i>	<i>Martin Clink</i>	<i>Rick &amp; Betty Aschmann</i>	<i>Paul Volpitto &amp; Steven Smith</i>	<i>Promise 686 &amp; Trail Life</i>	<i>Cheryl Crocker &amp; Kim Green</i>	<i>Chris &amp; Cary Drinkard</i>
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
5:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m. Evensong: A Christmas Celebration	7:00 p.m. Trail Life		6:15 p.m. Brass Ensemble Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal		7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer	
<i>Steve &amp; Sherri Letchford</i>	<i>Greg &amp; Julieann</i>	<i>Bruce &amp; Barbara Wannemacher</i>	<i>Dick &amp; Nancy Bagge</i>	<i>Jay &amp; Nancy Eliseo Guadagno</i>	<i>Charles Rector</i>	<i>Augusta Care Pregnancy Center</i>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
5:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting	5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service	<i>Merry Christmas</i>				
<i>Kurt &amp; Pat Nelson</i>	<i>American Heritage Girls Jews for Jesus</i>	<i>Louis &amp; Anne Carter</i>	<i>David &amp; Erin Pervis</i>	<i>John &amp; <u>Cris</u> Oliver</i>	<i>Noah &amp; Karleigh Stephens</i>	<i>Kermit &amp; Cheryl</i>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>					
5:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting	<i>Karl &amp; Debbie Dortzbach</i>					
<i>Doug &amp; Amy Nunziato</i>						