

JENKINS CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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STEVE ALLEMORE 8:00; PAUL TUCKER 10:15 WORSHIP LEADERS
PEGGY DONEGAN 8:00 & JULIE LUCKS 10:15 SONG LEADER
MELANIE STAUDT - PIANIST SVETA IATSKAYA - ORGANIST
DECEMBER 27, 2009 COLOR: WHITE

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior and Lord and helping people trust Him through WORSHIP, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, OUTREACH, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE TO OTHERS.

ORDER OF THE SERVICE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS December 27, 2009

GATHERING IN JESUS NAME

PRELUDE "Once In Royal David's City"

WELCOME VISITORS & GREETING SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration.

Please sign the attendance register and pass it to other people in the pew with you.

Please indicate what service you attended, 8:00 am or 10:15 am.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS - Write on pew card and place in offering plate to be put in the bulletin.
WE PAUSE FOR A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER, PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIPING GOD. Use this time to make yourself available to God and His Word. Lift up in prayer to His Throne the concerns which have been spoken.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - *Welcoming Jesus, The Light Of The World.*

OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Leader: Praise the Lord of the whole universe - the heavens, the angels, the sun, moon and shining stars.

People: the earth and everything within it - every animal and bird, every fish and creature of the seas;

Leader: every mountain and hill, every tree and plant, every ocean, river and stream, praise the Lord

People: Praise the Lord every ruler and government, all people of every age and every color.

Leader: Praise the One whose glory the angels sang: "Glory to God in the highest heaven,

People: and on earth peace, goodwill among all people."

Leader: young men and maidens, old men and children.

People: Let them praise the name of the LORD,

Leader: for his name alone is exalted;

People: his splendor is above the earth and the heavens

HYMN "O Come, All Ye Faithful"

No. 145

*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

STATEMENT OF FAITH

THE APOSTLES CREED (IN UNISON)

GLORIA PATRI (IN UNISON)

No. 716 & on screen

No. 622 & on screen

CONFESSING OUR SIN

Call to Confession: (James 4:8) Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you **sinner**s, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

Prayer of Confession: (Unison) (Colossians 3) **God of wisdom and grace, guide us to be a people of compassion and kindness. When we clothe ourselves in sin, forgive us. When we separate ourselves from you and your people, bind us together as one. When we withhold forgiveness or harbor hatred, cover us with your mercy, that we may be bound together in love and be guided into your perfect harmony. May your peace rule in our hearts, and your forgiveness flow through our lives. Clothe us in the mercy and patience we so desperately seek, in the name of Jesus Christ. (continue silently). Amen.**

Words of Assurance: (2 Corinthians 5:17-18) If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ.

HYMN

"We Three Kings"

No. 166

EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

OFFERTORY SENTENCE: God looks at the heart, not the hand; the giver not the gift.

OFFERTORY MUSIC: " Good Christian Men, Rejoice"

*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC 8:00 Kim Glasscock 10:15 Julie Lucks

CHILDREN'S TIME 10:15 am

Andrea Barnes

Children may go to Children's Church

Christmas Hymns: Away in a Manger 157; I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day 152;
Good Christian Men Rejoice 151

HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Colossians 3:1-17

NIV

MESSAGE: "Christian Living"

Pastor Larry Guin

*INVITATION HYMN

"Living for Jesus"

No. 372

WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

*BENEDICTION – (Blessing)

*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*PASSING THE BLESSING

*POSTLUDE

"Joy to the World"

*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS, IF ABLE.

We have childcare available for Infants to age 2 and Toddlers 2 to 4 during both services.

INFANT: Nancy Suddarth; Joyce Allemore

We have Children's Church for age 5 through 5th grades. (Children remain in sanctuary through the children's message). Children stay in regular worship on Sundays when we celebrate communion or on days we have special programs.

Our Prayer List: We leave names on for four weeks at a time. If a name has been removed and you wish to add them back on, please feel from to contact the office or fill out a pew card and place it in the offering plate.

Long term prayer list:

Chris Lyle (Iraq)
 Claire McCandlish
 (Granddaughter of Donna
 McCandlish Callison)
 Lois Wilson (Alzheimer, Kim
 Glasscock)
 Jamie & Lucas Orner
 (P Donegan niece-missionaries
 to Siberia)
 Margie Seeman
 Jackie (salvation)
 Kim Nixon (radiation)
 Debbie Hatfield (Maniers)
 Steve Wilson
 Doc McArthur
 Chrissier Hall (military
 grandson of Banniza's)
 Phillip Sugg
 Nick Shelton
 Lori Farnsworth & Mitchell
 Clemons (sister and nephew
 of Theresa Bell)
 Chris Moores (FL sis-in-law of
 Tom Moores)
 Cathy Green (cancer)
 Claire Puryear (surgery on
 ears, 3yrs old)
 Alla Yatsky (Yaraslov mom)
 Evelyn Bennett
 Sharon Ziemann

Angelina, Mikey, and
 Charlotte Miller
 Janice Simpson (cancer)
 Alan Gregory (cancer)
 Emily Bartlett (thyroid cancer)
 Brody Laanisto & Family
11/30
 Steve Hackenbracht (job)
 Robert Williams (Brain Tumor
 -Son-In-Law to LD and Theresa
 Bell)
 Muncy family
 Curtis Campbell
 Scott Moses
 Aunt Jean Chase
 Michael & Katie Hofer
 Family of Foster Ables
 Family of Inez McCormick
 Family of Felix C. Langley
 Jerry McCormick
12/06
 Tisa Banniza (sister of Jimmy
 Banniza)
 Charles Banniza (brother of
 Jimmy Banniza)
 Mattye Porter (friend of Karen
 Hawkins)
 Family of Linda Evans
 (H.Finley sister)
 Tim Kerns
 Scott Jenkins

Horner Family
 Dot Thomas
 Family of Jack Durrant
12/13
 Family of David Lovelace
 John Freeburg(surg went well
 Annabella Rodriquez (H1N1)
 Austin Chase (job)
 Julie Waters (stomach)
 Adeline Londergan & family
 (Susan Doman's aunt in Mass.)
 Melanie Staudt (eye surgery)
 Lauren Linder (foot surgery)
 Exams
 Steve Lucks (back surgery)
 Yaraslov (traveling to p/u mom)
 Mary Jo Bryan (surgery 12/29)
 Bobby Stevenson (cancer)
 J. Don & Sheila Geary (travel)
 Alex Bryan (Mike's Brother)
 Sveta (voice)
12/20
 Alan Treece (loss of Sandi)
 Family of Paula Cruise
 (esp. Debbie Treece)
 Ruth Ann Davis (Cancer,
 friend of Amy & Jeremy Murphy)
 Family of Harold Bates
 Family of John Moore
 Our armed forces

Colossians 3:1-17

¹ Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. ² Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. ³ For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. ⁴ When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. ⁵ Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. ⁶ Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. ⁷ You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived. ⁸ But now you must rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips. ⁹ Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices ¹⁰ and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator. ¹¹ Here there is no Greek or Jew, circumcised or uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave or free, but Christ is all, and is in all. ¹² Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. ¹³ Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. ¹⁴ And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity. ¹⁵ Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. ¹⁶ Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God. ¹⁷ And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

LEADER: THE WORD OF GOD, FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD
 PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD

“Christian Living” Colossians 3:1-17

2 Samuel 2:26 And the child Samuel grew on, and was in favour both with the LORD, and also with men.

Luke 2:52 And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man. It is God's desire that Christians grow in their relationship with Him.

The Apostle Paul's wrote to the Christians at Phillipi. ¹⁴ I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus. ¹⁵ Let us therefore, as many as be perfect, be thus minded:

A large number of Christians have no desire to get any closer to God and Jesus than just the minimum.

We have words like: Justification, regeneration, adoption, sanctification, growth in grace, but that is just what they are in too many cases – just words.

Advent. Christmas. What difference does Jesus coming make on how we live?
 Vertical? Horizontal?

Profile of New life in Christ. v. 12-15

Character of Christian worship. v. 16-17

Childhood experience of Jesus a model for us. Luke 2:41-52.

Remember those who are homebound or in Nursing Homes, ill and in pain. Pray for our troops as they serve around the world. Pray that God will safeguard them and provide for their needs, whether physical, spiritual or emotional. Pray for peace for the Cumberland Presbyterian Churches in Buenaventura, Columbia, South America. (Church Bombings)

Wednesday Night Prayer concerns: 11/11 George at Ravenwood (swine flu); Matthew Reagan (mono?); Travis Trammel; Ken (67 fell out window); Fort Hood families; Dodge for a cause; Hogman's house fire; Peace of our nation/new spirit. **12/2** Frank Baugh; Scott Moses; 3 year old – heart surgery; Clinton; Mrs. Naron; Mary Freeman; Christmas Play; Ashley; Victoria; Melanie – eye; Melanie – injured toddler; Jessie; Dot Arnold.

WOW

Wednesday Night Meal Offering: Currently + \$ 295.77 Total

Date	Cost	Received	Date	Cost	Received
10/28	\$119.61	\$116.00	11/04	\$106.78	\$219.00
11/11	\$ 90.58	\$219.21(To Hogman)	11/18	\$ 93.90	\$ 97.00
12/2	\$ 80.03	\$103.00	12/9	\$ 70.88	\$ 87.00

LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE: Worship --8:00 am-- 103, 10:15 am--103; SS 9:00 am-- 75

DUTY ELDER FOR THIS WEEK: John Rippy

DUTY ELDER FOR NEXT WEEK: Sam Suddarth

Week of December 27, 2009

TODAY	8:00 am	Worship Service
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship Service
		No Young Life Voices Practice, No Choir Practice
	2:00 pm	Youth meet at Church for YEC
MONDAY	10:00 am	Bible study
	1:00 pm	Quilting Club
	7:00 pm	Aerobics
TUESDAY		
WEDNESDAY		No activities this week
THURSDAY	6:30 am	Men at Prayer
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY	6:00 pm	Holiday Concert (See more information below)
NEXT SUNDAY	8:00 am	Worship Service & Holy Communion
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship Service & Holy Communion

January 2, 2009 Saturday 6pm

Holiday Concert (in the series of community Classical Music Concerts)

Once & 4 All with other special guests will present beautiful and unforgettable Celtic, Folk, Sacred, and Classical music.

Refreshments. Free admission. (Donations and help with the refreshments are greatly appreciated).

HAPPY DECEMBER & JANUARY BIRTHDAYS TO: Rachel Robertson on the 27th; Beverly Medlen on the 28th; Allison Hatfield on the 30th; Matt Thomas on the 31st, Charlotte Miller on the 31st, Holly Finley on the 1st.

HAPPY DECEMBER ANNIVERSARY TO: Steve and Julie Lucks on the 27th.

Please remember to check your mail box.

Please remember to check the church kitchen for any dishes you may have used to bring food. We seem to have an over stock of dishes.

Upcoming/Ongoing Events for Jenkins Youth

YEC

All students who have signed up and are attending YEC will need to meet at the church today at 2pm. We will ride together so no student will need to take their own car. Don't forget to bring a blanket to give away!

Youth Minister address & phone: Patrick Wilkerson, 3920 Puckett Creek Crossing Murfreesboro, Tn. 37128 Cell phone 901-378-6084 jenkinscpcyouth@gmail.com (new e-mail)

CPWM

SOLES FOR SOULS

There is a box for shoes (new and slightly used) in the hallway to the gym building just outside the Narthex door. Visit www.giveshoes.org for info, there are brochures in the office

CHURCH LIBRARY NEWS

White Christmas Pie by Wanda E. Brunstetter is a bittersweet holiday romance about a young man with a tortured past and a young woman looking for answers.

NOLENSVILLE LIBRARY - MS. KAREN'S STORY TIME

Join us on Wednesdays at 10:30

No Story Time on Wednesday, December 30

2010 means Census.

Donna Lewis will be taking applications for work during census time (approx. 6 weeks) in early 2010 at Nolensville Town Hall, Thursday Night January 7, 6:00 pm, Friday at 10:00 am and at the Library Saturday at 10:00 am. The pay is over \$14 per hour. There are brochures in the Narthex with more info.

NEW BULLETIN BOARDS – Let's help keep our church inviting. Bulletin boards are now located between the doors in the Narthex and on the church library wall. Please post your flyers here instead of on doors and walls. Also bulletin board across from church office has job/service postings. See December newsletter for more information.

Moderator Sam Suddarth will speak at Fayetteville CPC today, and he and Nancy will leave for San Francisco, Hong Kong and Korea on January 9th. Please pray for them as they travel to meet Cumberland Presbyterians around the world.