# Welcome to Jenkins

# A Cumberland Presbyterian Church

**BRINGING THE MESSAGE TODAY MORNING WORSHIP-10:15AM JOYCE ALLEMORE MELANIE STAUDT: PIANIST JEANNI WATSON:** 

PASTOR JONATHAN WATSON **DECEMBER 7, 2014 WORSHIP LEADER DIANA STOUT: ORGANIST SONG LEADER** WHITE

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior & Lord, and helping people trust Him through Worship, Christian education, Outreach, Fellowship, and service to others.

ORDER OF THE SERVICE

**COLOR SYMBOLISM:** 

2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

**DECEMBER 7. 2014** 

**GATHERING IN JESUS NAME** 

PRELUDE: O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

Tom Fettke

#### **WELCOME TO ALL**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** 

Register using "Bulletin perforation". Please tear out & place in offering plate WE PAUSE FOR A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER, PREPARING OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP GOD. Use this time to make yourself available to God and His Word.

> LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES Welcome Jesus, the Light of the World **OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD**

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: Isaiah 40:28-31

Leader: Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the

ends of the earth does not become weary or tired People: His understanding is beyond measure

Leader: He gives strength to the weary, and to him who lacks might He increases power.

Though the young grow weary, and vigorous young men stumble badly People: Yet those who wait for the Lord will gain new strength

Leader: They will mount up with wings like eagles, they will run and not get tired

People: They will walk and not become weary

\*PRAISE: Angels, From the Realms of Glory No. 131

#### SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

PRAYER & PRAISE REQUESTS: Please write requests on bulletin perforation or pew cards and place in an offering plate to be shared in next week's bulletin.

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON)

\*THE APOSTLE'S CREED \*GLORIA PATRI (IN USISON) No. 716 & on Screen No. 622 & on Screen

**CALL TO REPENTANCE: Psalm 98:9** 

He is coming to judge the earth; He will judge the world with righteousness and the peoples with equity.

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION: (In Silence) In Jesus Name, Amen!

WORD OF ASSURANCE: Isaiah 40:1-2

"Comfort, O comfort My people," says your God. Speak kindly to Jerusalem; and call out to her, that her warfare has ended, that her iniquity has been removed, that she has received of the Lord's hand double for all her sins."

PRAISE:

It Came Upon the Midnight Clear

No.128

#### EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

WORD OF BLESSING: Mark 1:7-8

"After me One is coming who is mightier than I, and I am not fit to stoop down and untie the thong of His sandals. I baptized you with water; but He will baptize you with the Holv Spirit."

What Can I Give Him? OFFERTORY MUSIC: Don Cason \*THE DOXOLOGY (625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

**HEARING GOD'S WORD** 

TIME WITH OUR CHILDREN:

Mary Jo Bryan

Ralph Williams

\*PRAISE:

All This Glory

God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

## THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

**COMMUNION MUSIC:** 

Gayle Kowalchyk What Child Is This?

Make Ready a People for the Lord **SERMON:** 

Luke 1:8-17

\*INVITATION HYMN: Gentle Shepherd

No. 458

## WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

BENEDICTION - (Blessing)

\*TAKE THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

\*PASS THE BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE: O Sing A Song Of Bethlehem \*Please stand, if you are able, where bulletin is marked with an asterisk.

Nursery - We have childcare available Infants up to age 4 during Sunday school and worship.

### **WELCOME TO JENKINS!** December 7, 2014 10:15AM SERVICE Personal Info & Registration

name:
Address:
Phone/Cell:
Email:
Would you like a visit from our Pastor?
Would you like for someone to share the good news with you and help you make Jesus Lord of your life?
Would you like to know more about how to become a member of the church?
Would you like to receive Jenkins newsletter?
Would you like to be part of a small group for friendship, support and spiritual growth?
Prayer Request  Name published in the bulletin  NOT for the bulletin  Long Term Prayer List

# ALL ORDERS FOR THE POINSETTIAS HAVE BEEN PLACED AND COMPLETED. THANKS TO YOU ALL.



**Margaret & Luther Naron by Michael Naron** 

Mr. & Mrs. Adam Strasser; Mr & Mrs. John Bowers & Ron Bowers
By Jerry & Ruth Bowers

Don & Joyce Smith & Anne Lemmon by Jim & Pam Baker

Paul Evans & Lois & Don Geary by Sheila Geary

Mike Middleton by Angela & Jeremy Middleton

Adam & Hanna Strasser; Robert & Maderline McArthur; Kim Mockridge & Mae Puckett by Charles & Sara Strasser

James Robinson Johnson, Sr & Frances Johnson by Janice Strasser

Dale A. Wachter & Lynne Hartwell Warner by Melanie Staudt

Paul Watson by Jonathan & Jeanni Watson



### **CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION SERVICE**

Wednesday, December 24, @ 5:00 p.m.

The Service of Communion will include Special Music and conclude with Prayer by Candlelight.

#### Luke 1:8-17

8 Now it happened that while he was performing his priestly service before God in the appointed order of his division, 9 according to the custom of the priestly office, he was chosen by lot to enter the temple of the Lord and burn incense. 10 And the whole multitude of the people were in prayer outside at the hour of the incense offering. 11 And an angel of the Lord appeared to him, standing to the right of the altar of incense. 12 Zacharias was troubled when he saw the angel, and fear gripped him. 13 But the angel said to him, "Do not be afraid, Zacharias, for your petition has been heard, and your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you will give him the name John. 14 You will have joy and gladness, and many will rejoice at his birth. 15 For he will be great in the sight of the Lord; and he will drink no wine or liquor, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit while yet in his mother's womb. 16 And he will turn many of the sons of Israel back to the Lord their God. 17 It is he who will go as a forerunner before Him in the spirit and power of Elijah, to turn the hearts of the fathers back to the children, and the disobedient to the attitude of the righteous, so as to make ready a people prepared for the Lord."



#### JENKINS WEEKLY ACTIVITIES - DECEMBER 7th- DECEMBER 13th

TODAY 9:00am: Sunday School

10:15am: Morning Worship Service-2nd Sunday of Advent

6:00pm: Youth Meet

MONDAY 4:30pm: Women's Fitness Class

TUESDAY 9:00am: MDO

4:00pm: Top Edge Baton

6:30pm: Choir Practice

**WEDNESDAY** 1:00pm: Quilting Group

6:00pm: Youth Meeting

8:00pm: Band Practice

THURSDAY 9:00am: MDO

4:30pm: Women's Fitness Class

6:15pm: Weight Watchers Meeting

**FRIDAY** 4:30pm: Top Edge Baton

**SATURDAY 9:00am:** Outreach Holiday Helper (Families )

**NEXT SUNDAY** 9:00am: Sunday School

10:15am: Morning Worship Service- 3rd Sunday of Advent

Congregation & Annual Corporation Meeting

Children's Christmas Presentation

6:00pm: Session Meeting



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# CONGREGATION & ANNUAL CORPORATION MEETING DECEMBER 14, 2014

For the purpose of the election of our elders, this year the session has nominated Irene Boydston & Melody Staudt. The Congregation has the opportunity to nominate from the floor. Please make sure that you have the permission from that person before placing their name in nomination. Thank you

## **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PRESENTATION**

Please join us at the 10:15 worship service on <u>Sunday, December 14</u>, as the children share "A Story of the Shepherds and the Angels" in scripture and song.



### CHRISTMAS CANTATA

Our Christmas Cantata is scheduled for <u>Sunday December 21, 2014</u>. Please join us for this year's presentation of "Once You've Seen The Star".



It's that time of year again folks, save a stamp and use your Family Mailbox for delivering all your Chrismas Cards this year. Be sure to check your **FAMILY MAILBOX** for Christmas Cards and other important mail you may have. Thank you



#### HAPPY DECEMBER BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK TO:

Marie Crawford on the 8<sup>th</sup>; Jean Fast on the 9<sup>th</sup>; Sara Strasser, Reagan Hardy, on the 10<sup>th</sup>

#### HAPPY DECEMBER ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK TO:

No Anniversaries to report this week.

We would love to acknowledge your Birthday and Anniversary. If we have somehow missed it or don't have it, please let the office know or write it on the Info & Registration form in your bulletin. Thank you.

#### **DUTY ELDER FOR THE WEEK**

Duty Elder for this week: Jerry Bowers Duty Elder for next week: Allan Stout

#### SUNDAY NURSERY

\*Nursery worker for this Sunday: Teresa Francescon

\*Nursery worker for next week: Sara Strasser

Please check your Family Mailbox for <u>Your New 2015</u> updated Nursery List. Thank you



## JENKINS CHRISTMAS COLLECTION BOX FOR THE BAZAAR NEXT YEAR

When your getting your Christmas items out this year and find things you no longer want or need, **We** have a place for them. A collection box has been set up in the gym for you to bring items no longer wanted. We appreciate any donations to help make for a successful Christmas Bazaar next year. Thank you.

The Final Total for this Year's 2014 Bazaar was \$3,352.45