

# Welcome to Jenkins

A Cumberland Presbyterian Church

BRINGING THE MESSAGE TODAY  
MORNING WORSHIP-10:15AM  
TERESA SHULER  
PEGGY DONEGAN  
MELANIE STAUDT

JAMES TAYLOR  
DECEMBER 13, 2015  
WORSHIP LEADER  
SONG LEADER  
PIANIST

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     3rd SUNDAY OF ADVENT (VIOLET)     DECEMBER 13, 2015

## GATHERING IN JESUS NAME

PRELUDE:     *Still, Still, Still*     *Ben Logan*

## CONGREGATION & ANNUAL CORPORATION MEETING

For the purpose of Nomination and Election of Elders: The Session has nominated Jim Baker, Vince Miles and Chip Duncan. The floor will be open for additional nominations from the congregation, but please have that person's permission before you nominate them.

## WELCOME TO ALL

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Register using "Bulletin perforation". Please tear out & place in offering plate

### LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Welcome Jesus, the Light of the World

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.

## ENTERING INTO WORSHIP

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 117

Leader: Praise the Lord, all nations

**People: Praise Him, all peoples!**

Leader: For His loving kindness is great toward us

**People: And the truth of the Lord is everlasting. Praise the Lord!**

\*PRAISE:     *Hark, the Herald Angels Sing*     *No. 133 vs 1 & 3*

\*THE APOSTLES' CREED     No. 716 & on Screen

\*GLORIA PATRI (IN UNISON)     No. 622 & on Screen

## 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)

\*PRAISE:     *O Little Town of Bethlehem*     No. 141 vs 1 & 4

**CALL TO REPENTANCE: Acts 3:19**

Therefore repent and return, so that your sins may be wiped away, in order that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord.

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

**WORD OF ASSURANCE: Hebrews 3:13-14**

But encourage one another day after day, as long as it is *still* called "Today", so that none of you will be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. For we have become partakers of Christ, if we hold fast the beginning of our assurance firm until the end.

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN:     *Mary Jo Bryan*

## GIVING THANKS, PRAISE & ADORATION

**WORD OF BLESSINGS: Psalm 128:4**

Behold, for thus shall the man be blessed who fears the Lord.

OFFERTORY MUSIC:     *I Heard the Bells On Christmas Day*     *Tom Felke*

\*THE DOXOLOGY (625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

PRAISE:     *I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day*     *No. 152 vs 1, 3, 4*

## HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE:     *Isaiah 7:14, Isaiah 9:6-7, Luke 2:10-11*

SERMON:     *What is this "GREAT JOY" of Which the Angel Speaks?*     *James Taylor*  
*Joy to the world THE LORD IS COME! Let every heart prepare him room!!!!*

\*INVITATION HYMN:     *What Child is This?*     *No. 137*

## WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

\*BENEDICTION & BLESSING

\*TAKE THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

\*PASS THE BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE:     *O Sing a Song of Bethlehem*     *Ralph Vaughan Williams*

\*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 13, 2015  
10:15AM SERVICE  
Personal Info & Registration

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Phone/Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_ 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

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## Isaiah 7:14

<sup>14</sup> Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.

## Isaiah 9:6-7

6 For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. 7 Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this.

## Luke 2:10-11

<sup>10</sup> But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. <sup>11</sup> Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord.



### JENKINS WEEKLY ACTIVITIES – DECEMBER 13<sup>th</sup> – DECEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>

#### TODAY

- 9:00am: Sunday School
- 10:15am: Morning Worship Service- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent
- 4:30pm: Youth Meet
- 5:30pm: Super Kids Christmas Party
- 6:00pm: Session Meeting

#### MONDAY

- 4:00pm: Women's Fitness Class
- 5:00pm: Drama Time (Meets Upstairs)

#### TUESDAY

- 9:00am: MDO Children's Christmas Program Today
- 3:30pm: Top Edge Baton
- 5:30pm: Women's Core Strengthening Class
- 6:30pm: Choir Practice

#### WEDNESDAY

- 9:00am: Sonya's Group
- 1:00pm: Quilting Group
- 6:00pm: Youth Meet

#### THURSDAY

- 9:00am: MDO
- 4:00pm: Women's Fitness Class
- 5:30pm: Women's Core Strengthening Class

#### FRIDAY

- 3:30pm: Top Edge Baton
- 5:00pm: Drama Time

#### SATURDAY

- 10:00am: Drama Time

#### NEXT SUNDAY

- 9:00am: Sunday School
- 10:15am: Morning Worship Service- 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent



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### THE SUPERKIDS CHRISTMAS PARTY TONIGHT

Sunday, December 13th at 5:30 p.m.



### CHRISTMAS CARDS

Tis the season to start thinking about Christmas Cards to your Jenkins Family.

Save a stamp and use your Family mailbox for all your cards this year.

Your family mailboxes are located on the table by the door as you exit. Thank you



### CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION SERVICE

Thursday, December 24, 2015

Harp music beginning at 5:00pm with Sveta Yatskyy. The Christmas Eve Communion Service will begin at 5:30pm with Rev. Larry Guin officiating.



**HAPPY DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK TO:**

Daniel Baker & John Waggoner on the 19<sup>th</sup>

**HAPPY DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK TO:**

John & Fran Leeper on the 15<sup>th</sup>; David & Linda McWilliams on the 18<sup>th</sup>:

**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: Debra Eckert

Duty Elder for next week: Gary Bomar

**SUNDAY NURSERY**

\*Nursery worker for this Sunday: Sara Strasser

\*Nursery worker for next week: Joy Wilker



**BAZAAR COLLECTION BOX FOR 2016**

When you are 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 your items. We appreciate any donations to help with next year's Bazaar. Thank you.

**POINSETTIAS**

**YOU MAY TAKE YOUR POINSETTIA HOME WITH YOU AFTER THE CHURCH  
SERVICE ON DECEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup>.**



**CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS**



**IN MEMORY OF:**

**Margaret & Luther Naron by Michael Naron**

**Doc & Maderline McArthur, Adam & Hanna Strasser and Mae Puckett  
by Charles & Sara Strasser**

**Mr. & Mrs. John Bowers and Mr. & Mrs. Adam Strasser  
by Jerry & Ruth Bowers**

**James & Frances Johnson and Hack & Mai Howell by Janice Strasser**

**Anne Lemon and Don & Joyce Smith by Jim & Pam Baker**

**Jack Vaughan by Bobby Vaughan**

**Tony & Irene Grill and Claud & Ruth Shafer by Harold & Angie Shafer**

**Anna Clemons by David & Julie Birdsong**

**Betty Vincent by Don Vincent**

**Mr. Fowler-Scotty Fowler's Father, and Clyde & Pat Duncan,  
Chip Duncan's Parents  
Cindy Douglas, Kathy Duncan's Mother, by Chip & Kathy Duncan**

**Paul Evans, and Don Geary Sr. and Lois Geary by Sheila & Don Geary**

**IN HONOR OF:**

**James & Dawn Taylor by Jenkins CP Congregation**

**Lisa Seelig by Don Vincent**

**Faye Evans by Sheila & Don Geary**