

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, December 7th

8:30 am Breakfast/Fellowship

*9:15 am Sunday School

*10.30 am Morning Worship

Nurse Provided

5:30 PM Kim Bolton

Tuesday, December 9th

9:30 am Staff Meeting

12:00 Noon Catherine Revel Circle

Meeting at Country Club

5:00 Pm Trustees Meeting

In Grist Library

Wednesday, December 10th

5:00 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, December 11th

Finance Mtg. 5:00—GL

Friday, December 12th

12:15 PM Leika's Christmas

Pageant/ WH

Saturday, December 13th

9:30-11:00 am Breakfast With

Santa/WH

Sunday, December 14th

8:30 am Breakfast/Fellowship

*9:15 am Sunday School

*10.30 am Morning Worship

Nurse Provided

Children Ring, Sing & Recite

5:30 PM Kim Bolton

Monday, December 15th

No Activities Planned.

Tuesday, December 16th

11:30 Staff Meeting—Diane's

Wednesday, December 17th

5:00 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, December 18th

Leika's Closes 1:00

Living Treasures 12:00—WH

Friday, December 19th

Leika's Closed

Saturday, December 20th

No Activities Planned.

IN OUR THOUGHTS

AND PRAYERS

Current: Sherry Bone, Floyd Plummer, Jimmy Dick & Pierson Dick (Polly Sellier's brothers), Anthony Musso (Fred Guarino's cousin), Emily Rogers (Mike Bruner's Sister), Gail Hull (Darien Arrington's aunt), (Catesby Jones, Kaitlyn Jones, Rev. Mike Pearson, George Brown, Amy Carmichael., Nettie Perry, Debbie Sullivan, Olivia Em-pie, AJ & Haley Huckabee family, Wheeler Green, Fred Guarino., Billie McDaniel (William's mother) **Kody Ballard, Randy Smith, Tiffany Brown, Will Roberts, Tammy Mason.**

Ongoing: Caroline Thomas, Bill Livingston, Ray Delp, Sharon Clary, Vaughan J. Bolen, Blann Bell, Betty Rivers, Roger Butler, Andy Seery, Jr. (Ann Thomas' nephew), Michael Steele, Martha Maurer, Blake Flanagan, Gloria Adams, Cassandra Steele, Peggy Cross, Sonny Nelson, Bob Simpson, Linda and Jesse Harris, Dan-ny Jordan, David Saylor, Clark Schatz, Shannon Miller Cook, Mark Rogers, Dorris Sherrer, Bill Sellier, Polly Sellier, Anna Guarino Hamblen, Mary Catherine & Maggie Bailey, Debe Henry, Libby Bar-rett, Caleb Barrett, Jennifer Barrett, Will Barrett, Ralph Hobbs.

Homebound: Eloise Trammel.

IN CHRIST'S SERVICE

DECEMBER 7, 2025

Acolytes:

Handly Henry
Daniel Lovelady

Breakfast Cooks

Kenny Green

Nursery:

Katie Nichols
Susan Wendland

Collection Counters:

Julie Drinkard
Myrna Hollis

Sound Technician:

Larry Roe

Usher Team:

Bill Porter, Randy Lovelady,
Andy Arrington, James McNeill,
Claude Anderson, Owen Nichols

Security Team:

Brad Utsey, Beau Boyd, Derek
Chappelle, Gail Lovelady,
Caroline Anderson

Lay Leader

Bart Adams

Church Street
Methodist Church

Serving God and God's People since 1835



*To be disciples of Jesus Christ through love,
worship, service and evangelism*

Rev. Diane Everette, Pastor

Mr. Gordon F. Welch

Director of Music Ministries/Organist

Ms. Frances Turner

Director of Children's Ministries

Faithful in attendance 11-30-25

Worship 75 Sunday School: 29

Sunday Morning Worship

December 7, 2025 - 10:30 A.M.

Liturgical Color – Purple

Second Sunday of Advent - Peace
Holy Communion

WELCOME TO WORSHIP Rev. Diane Everette
LIGHTING THE PEACE CANDLE Beau Boyd Family
ORGAN PRELUDE Mr. Gordon Welch
Meditation: “Joseph Dearest, Joseph Mine” - arr. Martin

✦CAROL OF PEACE Chancel Choir/Congregation
I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day - Calkin
(See Insert)

Invitation To The Lord’s Table
Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him,
who earnestly repent of their sin
and seek to live in peace with one another.
Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Prayer Of Confession And Pardon
Merciful God,
We confess that we have not loved you with our whole
heart. We have failed to be an obedient church.
We have not done your will, we have broken your law,
We have rebelled against your love,
We have not loved our neighbors,
And we have not heard the cry of the needy.
Forgive us, we pray.
Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Hear the good news:
Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;
that proves God’s love toward us.
In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

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Glory to God. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER Chancel Choir/Congregation
Away in a Manger - Murray
Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask thee to stay
Close by me forever, and love me, I pray;
Bless all the dear children in they tender care,
And fit us for heaven to live with thee there.

MORNING PRAYER Rev. Everette

OUR LORD’S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom
come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our
daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who
trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for-
ever. Amen

OFFERTORY PRAYER Rev. Everette

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Chancel Choir
Advent Peace - Larson
Based on Isaiah 26:3 and Lamentations 3:22-26

✦DOXOLOGY 95 Chancel Choir/Congregation

✦PASSING THE PEACE

CHILDREN’S CHURCH Lauren Wendland
Children three years of age through the 1st grade are invited
to children’s church.

SERMON TEXT Rev. Everette
John 14:25-27

✦CHORUS OF AFFIRMATION 431 Chancel Choir/Congregation
Let There Be Peace on Earth - harm. Webb

MORNING MESSAGE Rev. Everette
“Peace”

The Great Thanksgiving Rev. Everette
Giving of the Bread and Cup

✦CLOSING CAROL 228 Chancel Choir/Congregation
He is Born – harm. Young
✦AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Rev. Everette/Congregation
Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true Church,
Apostolic and Universal, whose Holy Faith let us now declare.

The Apostles Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And
in Jesus Christ his only son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy
Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was cru-
cified, dead and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he as-
cended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion
of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the
life everlasting. Amen

✦GLORIA PATRI (70) Chancel Choir/Congregation

✦ORGAN POSTLUDE Mr. Welch
A Joyous Noel - Paxton

✦Congregation, please stand if able.
The Flowers on the Altar are given to the glory of God
in memory of
Mr. & Mrs. Claude Shaw
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Mock
Gwendolyn Shaw
By: Their Family