

A blessed Advent to you! Today as we worship, we begin the season of anticipation, hope and preparation for the coming Messiah. Welcome. Here at Fairfield, we offer a contemporary service at 9:00am; Sunday School for all ages at 10:00am and our traditional service at 11:00am. Please ask Dr. Steve Starzer, Rev. Darren Utley or any of the ushers for information on various programs and ministries. If you have any questions please feel free to call the church office 730-7164 or e-mail us at office@fairfieldpcusa.org. You can also visit our web site at www.fairfieldpcusa.org.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Jack Briel

Becky Clark

John Crowe & his cousin, Ted

Tanner Franklin

Fran Hansbrough's sister, Jane

Kristy Harden's brother-in-law

Marshall Hart

Ken Moore

Virginia Phipps

Donna Richbourg's great-nephew

Peggie Rosen's sister, Alice

Lynne Rudolph

Nancy Walls

Barbara Wash

All who serve our nation here
and abroad.

Please call the church office (730-7164) or let a pastor know at the end of the service for someone to be on our prayer list. **Names will normally be listed in bulletin for 3 weeks, unless we receive updates.**

The arrangement in the sanctuary today was given by Bill & Judie Thompson to the Glory of God and in celebration of Christ's birth.

NURSERY CARE

9am Infant/Toddler: Mitzi Marker & McKenzie Marker

Next Week: Sandra Brewster & Hannah Reasor

9am Kid's Worship: Angela Schwartz

Next Week: Deb Utley

10am Infant/Toddler: Majken Whitaker & Marge Wantz

Next Week: Jennifer France & Brenda Blue

11am Infant/Toddler: Anne Young & Nikki Glass

Next Week: Angela Schwartz & Jan Fadeley

WE OFFER A KID'S WORSHIP PROGRAM during the 9:00am service for ages **3 years old through 2nd grade**. The program takes place in Room # 18.

YOUTH GROUP

- **Dec. 2:** No Youth Group
- **Dec. 9:** Youth Group, 4:30pm

AN ADVENT FAMILY WORKSHOP will take place this morning in the Heritage Hall at 10:00am. Please join us!

MCEF COLLECTION is today. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please write MCEF in the memo part of your check and mark it on the offering envelope as well. Thank you.

THE MECHANICSVILLE CHRISTMAS PARADE is today from 2-4pm and MCEF will have a float in the parade. If you are attending the parade, please bring a couple of cans of food to give them as they go by in the parade.

2019 PLEDGES: If you were unable to be with us on Dedication Sunday, you may still bring your pledge cards in. Please place them in the offering plate during the Offertory. Extra cards are available in the Attendance Books. Please pray about making a commitment to our ministries for 2019.

THE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY TEAMS will meet in the Heritage Hall this **Tuesday, December 4th** at 7:00pm. This includes the Evangelism Team and the Missions Team.

THE PERSONNEL TEAM will meet in Room #32 on **Wednesday, December 5th** at 7:00pm.

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING has been called for next Sunday, **December 9 at 9:55am in the Family Center** for the purpose of electing officers and approving changes in Terms of Call for Steve and Darren. The nominating committee presents the following names for the Class of 2021 Elders: Fran Hansbrough, Mark Price, Gene Rosen, Stuart Settle, Wyatt Wills and Deborah Wood and the the Class of 2021 Deacons: Sandra Brewster, Jessica Ingerman, Shirley McGhee, Majken Whitaker and Dale Woodfin. The committee also nominates Peggie Rosen to fill a 2 year term in the Class of 2020 Deacons.

ANGEL TREE PROGRAM: Please be sure bring your (wrapped) gifts to the children to the church by **Sunday, December 9th** and they will be delivered for you. Please place them under the Christmas tree in the narthex behind the sanctuary. You can deliver them directly to the children if you wish. Call Janet Chelette (307-5583) if you have any questions.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY continues on **Thursday mornings** at 10:00am! Please join us in the choir room as we continue our study on John's gospel. Bring your Bible and your curiosity. Questions? Call Anne Young at 730-8361.

CHRISTIAN YOGA CLASSES: We will have our class this coming Thursday, **December 6** and then we will take a break for the holidays! Join us in the Foundations Classroom. Wear comfortable clothing. Call Willye Fishburne if you have any questions 559-0775.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED in joining our church family, talk to one of our ministers, Dr. Steve Starzer or Rev. Darren Utley or call them at the church (730-7164) to find out more! We would welcome you with open arms!

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS

Dec. 2	Contemporary Worship Service (Family Center)	9:00am
	Sunday School	10:00am
	Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary)	11:00am
	New Beginnings Church Service (Family Center)	11:00am
Dec. 4	Christian Ministry Teams (Heritage Hall)	7:00pm
	Evangelism Meeting (#19)	
	Missions Team (#14)	
	Deacon's Meeting (#20)	7:00pm
Dec. 5	Prayer Shawl Ministry (Barlow Parlor)	10:30am
	Fairfield Ringers (sanctuary)	7:00pm
	Personnel Team (#32)	7:00pm
	Adult Choir Practice (sanctuary)	8:00pm
Dec. 6	Adult Bible Study (Choir room)	10:00am
	Christian Yoga Class (#29)	7:00pm
	Boy Scouts (Heritage Hall)	7:00pm
	Praise Band Practice (Family Center)	8:00pm
Dec. 8	NBC Choir Practice (#30)	1:00pm

