
From the Mailbag

Thanks for your contribution to Community Ministries (Community Kitchen). Your gift will help provide meals for those who might otherwise go to bed hungry tonight. We so appreciate your concern for the hurting and those in need. Thanks for making a difference!

—Pastor Mike Rothwell

Thank you for the unconditional support your congregation has provided to our organization. The kindness and love you give is priceless. May your holiday season be filled with peace and happiness.

—Molly Stephens
Heartland Cares

Thank you to the members of our church for the calls, prayers, and monetary gifts to the church in memory of Al Curtis, my brother, and the uncle of Joe Wallace.

—Bea Chester & Joe Wallace.

Thank you to everyone for their cards, calls, memorial gifts and prayers in the death of my mother, Opal Justice. Your thoughtfulness is sincerely appreciated.

—Phil Justice

This Week's Prayer Concerns

Jack Chapman, Parkview Nursing

Rupert Stivers, 256 Maxfield Dr.

Pat Cownie, 7040 Contest Rd.

Tom & Mary Nell Mathues, Gilbertsville

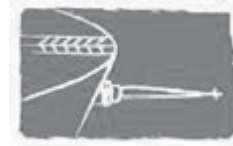
LeRoy Borgerding, Jackson Oaks

PCM Pantry Report

During December, Paducah Cooperative Ministry has asked us to collect any variety of *canned soup*. Our goal is 500 units.

Baptism

Avery Torbett will be baptized at the Christmas Eve service December 24.



The Tower

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Serving Schedule

Dec. 20

Elders: Kent Price and Rhonda James

Deacons: Frank & Sue Fletcher, Del & Judy Fleming, John & Whitney Caywood, Scott & Julie McKeel

Liturgist: Connie Champion

Ushers: Jennifer Palmer & Jack Bell

Greeters: Ken & Robin Bradshaw

Acolyte: Martha McHaney

Communion Clean-Up: Marj & Chuck Heyduck

Reach Out communion: Nettie Bingham & Georgia Boyd; Beverly Craig & Judy Shoulders

Time for Children: Beverly Craig

Elders on Call: Kent Price & Bill Cownie

Dec. 27

Elders: W. R. & Betty Sanders

Deacons: Heather McKinney, Lynn Long, Billy Lanier, Larry Furmann, Pam Hodges, Allison Clark, Mark & Kelly Atnip

Liturgist: BenHenry

Ushers: Jack & Mimmie Roddy

Greeters: Bill & Neva Allen

Acolyte: Jackson Long

Communion Clean-Up: Betty & W. R. Sanders

Reach Out Communion: Bill & Pat Cownie; Kay Henry & Robin Bradshaw

Time for Children: Alan Boyd

Elders on Call: Volunteers needed

• **Communion Preparation:** Cathy Warmack & Judy Shoulders

• **Pew Pad Pick-Up:** Larry Furmann & Billy Lanier

Attendance for December 6—185

Phone (270) 443-8251 Website: fccpaducah.org

Year End Giving

• Income - \$372,967

• Expenses - \$398,814

• Outreach Obligations Due by 12/30 - \$7,075

Let's finish the year in the black! Year-end gifts need to be received by Dec. 30th!

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TOWER *this week*

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Hark! the herald angels sing, Glory to the new-born King!

Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!

Joyful, all ye nations, rise, Join the triumph of the skies;

With the angelic host proclaim Christ is born in Bethlehem!

Hark! the herald angels sing Glory to the new-born King!

Advent Events at FCC

Sermon Series
Tangled in the Tinsel
Dec. 20 - *Life Interrupted*
Dec. 24 - *Feeling Detached*
Dec. 27 - *The Aftermath*

Christmas Eve Candlelight
Service

7 p.m.,
December 24

Church calendar through Dec. 31

- 20** 8:30 a.m. – Contemporary Service
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School
10:45 a.m. – Traditional Worship Service
- 24** 12:00 p.m. – Church Office Closes for Christmas
7:00 p.m. – Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
- 27** 8:30 a.m. – Contemporary Service
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School
10:45 a.m. – Traditional Worship
- 28** Church Office Closed for Christmas Holiday
- 30** Last day to get your 2009 Donation to church office
- 31** 12:00 p.m. – Church Office Closes for New Year's Holiday

Come. See. Discover. Discover the Disciples!