



Join us at 9:30 or 11:00 this first Sunday during the season of Christmas. May we live in the glow of the Christ Child.

Pastor's sermon is titled "Stones of Remembrance" from Joshua 4:1-7, 24.

There will be a special breakfast for the Cobbs at 8:45.

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Ethan Philip Eplin will receive the sacrament of baptism during the 11:00 service. Ethan, born December 4, is the son of Sara Harvey and Philip Eplin and grandson of Leslie Harvey. He was also our Baby Jesus on Christmas Eve. May God enfold Ethan in His arms of love and grace.

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The deadline for reservations (and payment) for Pastor's retirement event at Renault's is Sunday, Jan. 4. Sign up with Dawn, Priscilla, or any member of the even planning committee. Cost is \$20 for adults and \$10 for children.

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Many thanks to Bob Gillis for writing and producing the Christmas Eve pageant and to Tina Harvey and Robin McBrearty for their direction. And thanks also to Robin who filled in as "Joseph" during the 5:00 service!

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The office will be closed next Thursday. Happy New Year!

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Mailboxes will be up until January 25. Please check your box regularly. Annual report books and year-end statement of giving letters will be distributed by that date.

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The deadline for annual reports is January 5. Annual meeting will be Sunday, January 25. Rev. Timothy Hines will be preaching at the 10:00 service and will stay to moderate the meeting.

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The schedule for January worship services is below. All Sundays are single worship Sundays except for Jan. 11.
01/04 10:00 Communion Rev. Deborah Brincivalli followed by a "town meeting" where she will help to answer your questions about our new adventure in finding the right Pastor
01/11 9:30 & 11:00 Holland family will lead both services. Harold & Cheryl Hawkes will be away.
01/18 10:00 Rev. Patricia Epprecht (one service due to Pastor's retirement event)
01/25 10:00 Rev. Timothy Hines followed by Annual Meeting and a pizza lunch.

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The Fellowship Committee has purchased new tables and chairs. The old ones are for sale. Round tables are \$25. Chairs in good condition are \$10. Less than perfect chairs are \$5.00. See Dawn Duran.

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The staff luncheon is Monday at noon at Celina's. The pastor's Bible Study group will meet at Romanelli's on Tuesday at noon. Or meet at the church at 11:30 for a ride.

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Lunch Bunch will travel to Romanelli's on Jan. 7. Russ Adkisson will drive the van. Meet at 11:30 at church or at the restaurant at noon.

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Thanks again for your donations of poinsettias to decorate the sanctuary on Christmas Eve. They were lovely! Now, please take them home.

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The Fellowship Committee will have their first soup sale of 2015 on Sunday, January 11th. If you are interested in making soup, please sign up on the sheet posted in the foyer and get your soup containers from Kris Jenoriki. The soup will be sold before the first service and in between both services on Jan 11th. We hope to have many types of soups and also hope to see many of you there!!

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As you're putting away your Christmas decorations think about recycling the Christmas greeting cards you received from family and friends. St. Jude's recycled card program accepts all types of greeting cards (year round now). Donated cards are cropped, put on blank card stock and recycled into new cards, which are then sold to customers. This program is operated by Kids, Corp., a program for the children at St. Jude's to learn entrepreneurship skills. All types of greeting cards, including Christmas, are used. Please send the front of the card only and exclude all Hallmark, Disney and American Greeting cards. 5" x 7" size or smaller is requested, and if there is any writing on the back of the card front, we request you do not send as we are unable to use. Give your card donations to Russ, Kris, or leave them in the office.

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Sunday Servants

Lay Assistants

9:30 Lee Wolff
11:00 Priscilla Schultheis

Deacons Guest Book

9:30 Naida Burgess
11:00

Head Ushers

9:30 Barbara & Dan Hughes
11:00 Jean Delesantro, Tina Brown

Acolyte

9:30

Collection

9:30 Justin & Nick Hughes

Nursery

9:30 Gloria Achamizo

Refreshments

Laurie McManus

Van Driver

Vic Abelson

Breakfast Club Kitchen Crew

Set-up – Jordan & Christian Hawkes
Cook – Cheryl, Kris & Bryan
Clean-up – Olga Davies, Jean Delesantro

Please Remember in Prayer

Betsy Cunius

This Week in Our Church . . .

Sunday

8:45 Breakfast
9:30 Sunday School & Worship
10:30 Refreshments
11:00 Worship with Baptism

Monday

12:00 Staff Lunch at Celina's
6:00 Senior Youth

Tuesday

11:30 Bible Study Lunch at Romanelli's

Wednesday New Year's Eve

Thursday

Happy New Year!

Friday

Saturday