

Office Closings. The Church Office will be closed through December 28 and again January 3 and 4 for holiday vacations.

Sounds of Christmas CD's—Michael Wheeler is producing CD's of this special night of jazzy holiday music. These are available for purchase for \$5 (the cost of creation). Please email or call the church office if you'd like one.

De-Hanging of the Greens. On Sunday, January 2 right after worship, we need some help! Join us for the organized chaos of taking down Christmas decorations and hauling everything back to its place in the attic—decently and in order, the Presbyterian way. This does not take long at all when we have enough help! Please sign up in the lobby.

GriefShare: Starting January 9 at 2pm at Fayette Presbyterian. Our 13 week group is led by caring people who have experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead. For more information and registration, please contact Sharon Ayers, 404-402-4094 or Mary Lou Montgomery, 770-460-3326.

Our **2022 Sanctuary Flower Chart** is in the hall, hanging on the wall next to the main bulletin board. Take a minute to choose your Sundays in the new year to donate the flower arrangements that beautify our Sanctuary in memory or honor of your loved ones! The arrangements are \$30 each—payment can be dropped in the offering any time before or on the Sunday you choose.

Calvary Refuge Center 2022. Calvary Refuge is an emergency homeless shelter located in Forest Park. Our church members have been supporting Calvary since the late 1990's, monetarily and by preparing food for the clients. Groups within our church have been providing dinner every 1st Saturday of each month of the year. **Next year we will have 4 months that have not been filled**, so we are opening them up for volunteers church wide. A signup sheet is on the table in front of the church office. If you are interested and willing to provide for those less fortunate, please sign up. I will contact each volunteer with details of what we need. This is open to all even if you are already providing food on another month with one of the groups. Food is all that is required. Food will be delivered by other volunteers. If you have any questions, please contact Lamar Hasty (Lhasty51@bellsouth.net or 404-617-0015)

Have a Prayer Request? Submit it to our prayer chain! Please call Sharon's cell phone or email her to submit prayer requests or to receive emailed prayer concerns. Sharon: 404-402-4094 or sharart.ayers@gmail.com. Current Prayer Concerns:

Edna, Karen Anthony's mother, health concerns

Loss of church member, Stan Ross

Berkeley Stonebraker, continued recovery

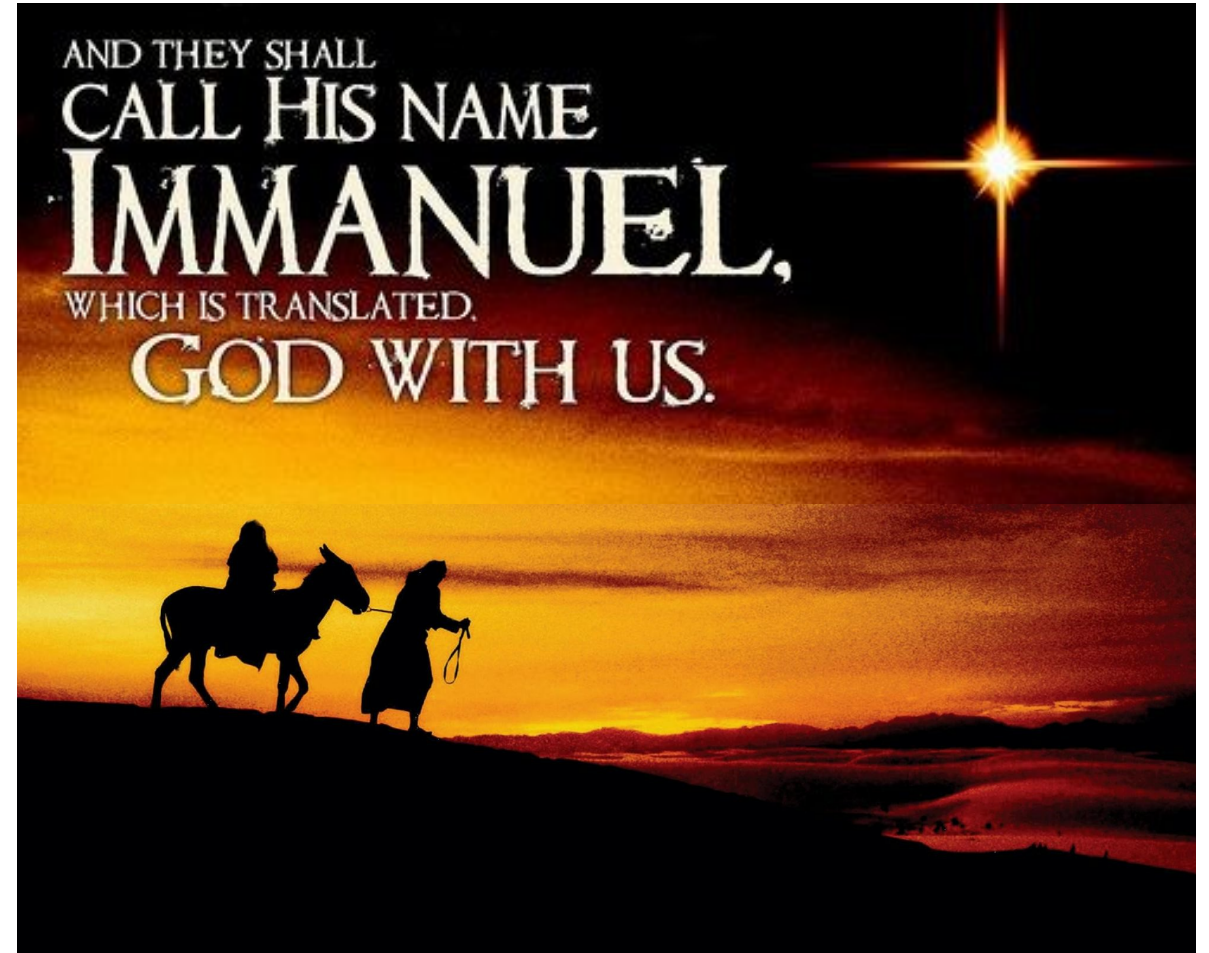
Beth Holliday Nuss, continued recovery

Linda McNeill, continued recovery

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December 26, 2021



1ST SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

Welcome to all who are worshipping with us. Children ages 4 - 5th grade are invited to Children's Church after Children's Time. Nursery is available for infants - age 3, down Heritage Hall off the main lobby. Assistive hearing devices and large-print bulletins are available from an usher. As we enter a holy space and time this morning, please silence your electronic devices.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude and Candle Lighting

Hymn #119 **Hark! The Harold Angels Sing** MENDELSSOHN

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Reading: Matthew 1:18-25

Hymn #115 **Away in a Manger** MUELLER

Children's Time

Sermon

Hymn #132 **Good Christian Friends, Rejoice** IN DULCE JUBILO

Christmas Prayer

Hymn #136

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

GO TELL IT

Benediction

As our time of worship comes to an end, our time of service begins

Today, we will take up the Christmas Joy Offering in addition to our regular offerings. Each year during the Christmas season, we turn our eyes to Bethlehem and celebrate the wondrous gift of Jesus Christ, our Savior. By giving to the Christmas Joy Offering, you honor this gift by providing assistance to current and retired church workers in their time of need and by developing our future leaders at Presbyterian-related racial ethnic schools and colleges.

Please feel free to take your **donated poinsettia** after today's worship.

Children's Church. Melanie Mickleboro will lead Children's Church today.