



FAMILIES WORSHIPPING TOGETHER

TODAY is Family Worship Day. Parents please pick up your child (K-3rd grade) from their Sunday School class and bring them to Worship with you.

Sermon Notes for Kids are available in the Worship Center Lobby to help your child stay engaged during the service

The Church in Worship

**December 4, 2016
10:30 a.m.**

ATTENTION

If you have a set of the Church Van or Bus keys, please return them to the Church Office. Thank you, Transportation Ministry Team



NEW MINISTRY INTEREST MEETING

Celebrate Recovery is a Christ centered recovery program for those who struggle with hurts, habits, and hang-ups.

If you are interested in helping others overcome their hurts, habits, and hang-ups through large group worship and small group sharing, we invite you to join us for a leadership interest meeting for a possible Celebrate Recovery Ministry. Join us in the Jewell Room **TODAY** immediately following the Worship Service to discuss the leadership needs to begin this ministry.

Please contact Brandy Waits for details.



Prelude

Carol *Joy to the World*

Welcome and Prayer Danny Anderson

iQuest Kids *Hear the Good News
Angels are Rejoicing*

Carol *The First Noel*

Lighting of the Second Advent Candle

Musical Praise *O Holy Night* The Lithia Singers
Myrna Clayton, soloist

Message Kevin McKoy

Song of Commitment *Praise You*

Church Scripture for Giving

Offertory Andrew Lane

Announcements Maina Mwaura

Departing Chorus *The First Noel
(chorus)*

Postlude



MINISTERIAL STAFF

*Kevin McKoy, Senior Pastor
Marion Beaver, Associate Pastor to Senior Adults
Danny Anderson, Associate Pastor to Students
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HOLIDAY SEASON GREETERS NEEDED

Friendly people are needed to greet guests at the following events:

- December 4th at 5:30 p.m. *It's Christmas in Lithia Springs*
(Greeters arrive at 5:10 p.m.)
- December 24th at 6:00 p.m. Candlelight Service
(Greeters arrive at 5:40 p.m.)
- Christmas Day Service, December 25th at 10:30 a.m.
(Greeters arrive at 10:10 a.m.)

If you would like to lend a helping hand for these events, please place the below information in the offering plate.

Name: _____

Email or Ph#: _____



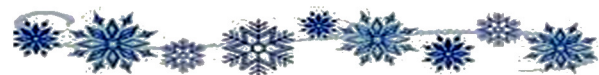
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Lithia Springs, Georgia 30122
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For our Prayer Line, press 350
website: www.fbcls.org

It's Christmas in Lithia Springs

TONIGHT AT 5:30 P.M.

A musical celebration of Jesus' birth featuring the West Side Winds, Myrna Clayton, The Lithia Singers, and the FBCLS Praise Band.

We invite you to stay after the music for more festivities! This will be a time of fun, food, and fellowship. You will be able to enjoy the beautifully decorated tables our Sunday School Classes will be displaying as they contend for "Best Table" Bragging Rights. Please plan to join us in the Activities Center following the musical.



SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES...

Please see the Christmas Dinner Hors d'oeuvre assignments below:

Class	Suggested Items to Bring
Adult 3	Sandwiches
C&C Adult 1	Chips & Dips
Adult 4 Adult 5.5	Meat Hors d'oeuvres (Pigs-in-blankets, meatballs, ham/cream cheese rollups, chicken wings/nuggets)
Adult 7	Vegetable Hors d'oeuvres (raw veggies, cheese olives, cucumber sandwiches, stuffed cherry tomatoes)
Adult 6 Adult 8	Fruit Hors d'oeuvres (fresh cut fruit, fruit salads, fruit kabobs)
Adult 2 Singles Adult 5	Desserts

RETIRED ADULT FELLOWSHIP MEETING

Tuesday, December 13th at 11:00 a.m.

Come hear the glorious sounds of Christmas presented by an ensemble of the Christian Community Orchestra, directed by Jan Booth.

The meat will be provided for the covered dish luncheon. Please bring only vegetables, salads, or desserts.

FBCLS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Tonight

December 12th
December 14th
December 17th
December 21st
December 24th
December 25th

December 28th

It's Christmas in Lithia Springs followed by Christmas Dinner in the Activities Center
Deacons' Christmas Dinner
iQuest Kids Christmas Party at 6:30 p.m.
Operation Christmas Douglas distribution day
No Wednesday Activities
Candlelight Communion Christmas Eve at 6:00 p.m.
Christmas Day Worship at 10:30 a.m.
(No other activities)
No Wednesday Activities



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First Baptist Church
 Lithia Springs
 2016 Goal \$10,000

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING® 2016

HOW DOES THE LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING HELP?

Your gifts will go towards...

- Training and equipping willing people to TEACH the Gospel to lost people throughout the world
- MAKING CONNECTIONS and building relationships with unchurched people groups
- PLANTING churches and mentoring new believers

LOTTIE MOON POST OFFICE COMING SOON

You can 'mail' Christmas cards to your FBCLS church family via the LMPO, which will be located in the Worship Center Lobby soon. Drop off and pick up your holiday greetings cards, and donate the amount you would have spent on postage to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS DOUGLAS

Operation Christmas Douglas County is a combined outreach targeting the children who receive free or reduced cost school meals, along with children classified as homeless, children in foster care, and the children at Youth Villages in Douglas County.

FBC Lithia is here to proclaim our Savior Jesus Christ and share how we plan to honor Him and serve His children with Operation Christmas Douglas.

Here is how you can be involved:

- ◆ Bring a new, unwrapped toy for a child - infant to 17 years old. The Collection Box is located in the Church Office Foyer.
- ◆ Help with preparation of the bags on Saturdays and Sundays.
- ◆ On Saturday, December 17th from 8:00 a.m. to noon come help us hand out gifts to our families.

If you are available and wish to support this ministry, please contact Kathy Miller for details.



STUDENT NEWS

Sunday, December 11th

Youth Parent Meeting in the Fellowship Hall following the Worship Service.

Remedy Progressive Dinner & Christmas Jam!
 Must sign up TODAY with Antonette. Cost \$10.00
 Meet at the Bus Barn at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 18th

Youth Christmas Party Bring a \$10 gift for our gift exchange. More information soon.

THANK YOU

I want to express my great appreciation for the cards and gifts received for my 94th birthday. I am blessed beyond words by the love of my church family. Thank you!

Dr. Marion Beaver



WEEK AT A GLANCE: DECEMBER 4-11

SUNDAY, December 4

Second Sunday of Advent
 After the Worship Service
 11:45 Celebrate Recovery Meeting
 5:30 It's Christmas in Lithia Springs followed by Christmas Dinner

TUESDAY, December 6

7:00 Praise Band Practice

WEDNESDAY, December 7

6:30 Prayer Time, iQuest, ESL, Choir Practice, and Youth Frontline

FRIDAY, December 9

10:30 Ruth Sunday School Class Gathering

SUNDAY, December 11

7:00 Praise Band Rehearsal
 8:50 Pre-Service Prayer with Pastor
 9:15 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship Service
 12:00 Youth Parent Meeting
 5:00 Remedy Progressive Dinner
 5:30 Personnel Committee Meeting
 Stewardship Committee Meeting
 Property Committee Meeting
 Recreation Committee Meeting

SERVING IN MINISTRY

MINISTRY	DECEMBER 4	DECEMBER 11
DEACON VISITATION	Joey Nesbitt Terry Redwine Ken Howle	Don Garland Andrew Lane Jim Rose
FIRST IMPRESSIONS	Brandy Brown Will Pirkle Craig Brown Abbie Mayeske Amanda Crider	Katie Anderson Seth Redwine Will & Whitney Pirkle Michael Bankole Christy McKoy
KIDSTYLE WORSHIP DECEMBER	Family Worship Day	Craig Brown Trey Strickland
NURSING HM VISITOR	No visitors this week. Delivering cookies.	
PRAYER WARRIORS	Sheila Garza Mary Scott	Rick Martin Chris Mayeske
PRESCHOOL MINISTRY		
◆ Desk	Barbara Mayeske	Lisa Hawkins
◆ Babies	Lara Bankole Christy McKoy	Jenny Mahan Sandy Stanger
◆ Toddlers	Kathy Holland Danielle Taylor	Woody Mahan Kenya McGee
◆ Preschool	Jane Robinette Patsy Cameron	Richard Raines Dana Raines
MEDIA MINISTRY	Woody Mahan Andrew Lane Blake McMichen Jeff McGuire Mark Sampson John Horton Brett Beasley	Woody Mahan Brenda-Ann Miller Seth Redwine Kimberly McGuire Mark Sampson Bobby McConnell Brett Beasley
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