ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Sunday Evening Worship Services will begin at 5:30 pm instead of 6:30 pm until further notice.
- There will be NO youth group tonight!
- ***** There will be **NO Bible Studies next week** $(21^{st} \& 22^{nd})$. We will return the following week.
- There is NO worship leader practice this Wednesday. Our next practice is Wednesday, December 29th at 6:00 PM.
- ♦ Youth Christmas Service Project Day is TOMORROW!! -December 20th at 2:00 PM. IF you haven't signed up and plan to participate, please see Dewayne or Stephanie TODAY! The youth will sing for the residents at Brookdale Arlington. Youth should be dropped off at the church by 1:15 PM to ride the bus. After singing, the youth will return to the church for a snack and then go out Christmas caroling until 6:30 PM.
- Please join us for our Candlelight Service on Christmas * Eve @ 7:00 pm
- ♦ Next Sunday, December 26th, is the LAST Sunday for the **Christmas Card Delivery Project!**
- Youth Committee Planning Meeting- January 9th at 2:00 PM. Parents are welcome to attend the meeting as we plan for the upcoming year!
- Our next Contemporary Worship Service will be * Sunday, January 16th. Please join us

Special Announcement

It's that time of year again. The Elders are accepting nominations to serve on the board for 2022. We need these as quickly as possible in order for the potential candidates to be contacted and prepared for the election early in the new year.

SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School – Nurserv 12/19 No Nursery 12/26 Sherry S. & Laura P.

Worship - Nurserv 12/19 No Nurserv 12/26 Sherry S. & Laura P.

Communion Table Dec: Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton **Dec:** Becky Ormond Jan: A.J. Stancill & Tom LaBarbera Jan: Need Volunteer

Preparing Communion

Home Communion Dec: Dan Black (258-0897) Jan: Johnny Pinnner (714-4695)

Unlock & Secure the Building Dec: Jorge Bocanegra Jan: Need Volunteer

Opening **Prayer Request** 12/26 Jamie Swart 12/26 Tom LaBarbera 1/02 Robert Pinner 1/02 Greg Spain

Communion Med 12/26 A.J. Stancill 1/02 Jorge Bocanegra

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For announcement videos, please call/text Stephanie Mayo at 919-427-1434 or contact Dewayne Woolard.



UPCOMING AT MPCC

SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Service 4:00 PM Choir Practice (11/21) 5:00 PM Youth Play Practice 6:30 PM Evening Worship

MONDAY 7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting (2nd Monday of each month)

TUESDAY

10:00 AM Bible Study 5:15 PM Youth Play Practice 7:00 PM Young Ladies Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM Bible Study 6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice **Youth Christmas Play** TODAY!! 10:30 AM

Youth Service Project December 20th 1:15 PM (Meet at church)

Christmas Eve Service December 24th 7:00 PM

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude: "O Holy Night" Elani Mayo

"Born is the King" led by Abby, Leann, Madison & Summer

WELCOME

Caroline Elks, Eli Scott, Gibson Pinner, Parker Scott

Scripture: Aubrey Swart Prayer: Ty Woolard Announcement Video

"Christmas Bells" Caroline Elks, Eli Scott, Gibson Pinner, Parker Scott

Handbells

Caroline Elks, Eli Scott, Emma Briley, Gibson Pinner, Parker Scott, Wyatt Knotts

"Baby Jesus Goes to Sleep"

Featuring: Addison Tucker, Charlie Scott, Emmy Alvarez, Griffin Pinner, Lyndon Scott, MillieCay Knotts, Wade Swart

"Jump for Joy" by the MPCC Kindergarten & Below Youth

"Christmas Medley" led by Abby, Dylan, Elani, & Madison * Please Stand and Join Us Singing! *

Communion Meditation: Summer, Aubrey, Gray, Emma, Abby "Worthy is the Lamb" led by Emma, Dylan, Gray, & Summer (if you wish to partake of the Lord's Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)

A Superhero Christmas by the MPCC Youth

Invitation Reading: Elani, Dylan, Abby, Emma, Summer

"He Shall Reign" led by Aubrey, David, Dylan, & Elani * Please Stand and Join Us Singing! *

Closing Prayer: David Mayo III & David Mayo IV

"Go Tell it on the Mountain" led by Eli, Gibson, Leann, Parker, & Wyatt



Ruth Clifton

Chris Oakley



Eli & Charlie Scott
Jamie, Allison, Aubrey & Wade
D ylan & Emma Briley
Annie Holder
Children & Grandchildren "Love you"
Someone thinking of you
Family

In Memory Of:	<u>Given By</u> :
Allen Spain	Donna, Jamie, Allison, Aubrey & Wade
Charles & Ken Black Dee Dee DeLorenzo	Family
Edward Briley Milton Spain George Crawford	Eric Briley & Family







Allen & Edna McLawhorn	Family
Kenneth Hathaway	Family
Faye Stocks	Keith, Kim & Kristen Stocks & Al & Kimberly Gurganus
Bettie Ruth Staton	Keith Stocks
Howard Forbes	Forbes Family
Bennett – Gerrard	Jayne Bennett
Debra & Robbie Pinner Blannie & Joe Pinner	Myra & Johnny Pinner
Elmo & Vick Dupree	Myra & Johnny Pinner
Carl & Claudia Scott	Sheryl & Steve Scott
Doug Oakley	Family
Russell Sr & Louise Spain	Family
Jerry & Lila McLawhorn	Family
Roy Lee & Percy Elks	Family
Shirley Russell	Family
David Mayo, Sr. David Mayo, Jr. Susie Perdue	Family
Joe Teel, Sr. Bebe Teel Pattie Fleming Patricia Warner	Family





<u>Given By</u>: Eli & Charlie Scott

A SUPERHERO CHRISTMAS

Superman: Ty Woolard Wonder Woman: Madison Woolard Spiderwoman: Aubrey Swart Hulk: David Mayo IV Batwoman: Summer Bullock Cat Woman: Elani Mayo Bat Girl: Leann Elks Starfire: Emma Briley Mary: Abby Gaskins Joseph: David Mayo III Shepherds: Dylan Briley & Gray Elks Angel: Rayne Bullock

Guest Superheroes: Caroline Elks, Eli Scott, Gibson Pinner, Parker Scott, Wyatt Knotts

Little Shepherds: Griffin Pinner & Wade Swart

Cows: Charlie Scott & Lyndon Scott **Sheep:** Addison Tucker, Emmy Alvarez, & MillieCay Knotts

A big thank you to Dewayne Woolard and Mark Scott for running the sound booth for the play and for all our practices!

Thank you to all of the parents for helping your children practice their parts in the play and for letting them be a part of the play this year! We APPRECIATE YOU!





Christmas Card Delivery Project

Beginning December 12th, we invite you to bring your Christmas cards to church for in-church delivery to those in our church family. This will save you postage on the mailing of your cards as well as time on addressing them. Simply, prepare your Christmas cards writing clearly the first and last name of the person or the family to whom they should be delivered. If you have time, it will be a BIG help to put them in alphabetical order by last names. Drop your cards in one of the two mail boxes which will be located in the foyer of the sanctuary and the entrance of the educational wing. The church postal workers will sort the cards each Sunday and place them in the designated Mt. Pleasant Christmas Card Post Office which will be located in the sanctuary foyer. Church family members are asked to check the Post Office before leaving to pick up any Christmas Cards for you or your family. The cards will be arranged in alphabetical order by last name. Cards will be accepted through Sunday, December 26th. Don't miss out on this opportunity to encourage and minister to one another during the celebration of our Savior's birth.

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Bill Staton Covid 1
- 2 Amy Taylor – stage 4 cancer
- 3 Wayne Elks – procedure on lungs
- Myrtle Teel mobility issues 4
- 5 Sandra Brown – in Vidant – health concerns
- Frankie Spain recovering from knee surgery on 12/9 6
- 7 Aaron Warnick - chemo treatments
- Debra Staton kidney stone removal moved to 1/11 8
- Betty Kinney lung issues 9
- Chris Smith car accident 10
- 11 David Giles leukemia
- Dewey Woolard awaiting treatment plan 12
- Kim Wallace recovering 5-12 wks;non-weight bearing 13
- Mary LaBarbera seeing Dr. 12/29 14
- Mason Bennett recovering after valve surgery 15
- Dean Everett cancer 16
- 17 Grace Bronson bone marrow transplant developed pneumonia
- 18 Michael Wood recovering from heart surgery
- 19 John Wood recovering from broken femur
- Becky Piner chemo for throat cancer 20
- 21 Mary Lou McLawhorn moved to acute skilled care for wound care
- 22 Sherry Maurice released from hospital
- Ty Woolard tests in 6 months 23
- 24 Sylvia Gentile in Cancer Center
- Toni Mayfield surgery delivered baby at 28 wks 25
- Dan Breeding injuries from car accident 26
- Mike Hoyst home under hospice care 27
- Peggy Hoyst Parkinsons 28
- 29 Maria Garcia needs lung & possible kidney transplant - covid complications - @ University of Maryland
- 30 Judy Johnson back issues better; cyst on eye
- 31 Nelda Moore starting radiation 10/18

PRAYER CONCERNS cont'd

- 32 Ellis Powell mass in intestines treating w/chemo so they can operate - battling stage 4 ovarian cancer
- 33 Ann Carraway 3 more immunotherapy treatments
- 34 Graham Tunstall lung cancer
- 35 Joseph Fowler awaiting defibulator
- 36 Doris Kastanek breast cancer
- 37 Dennis Kleen internal bleeding
- 38 Brandy Edward Duke scan not good, new meds
- 39 Tim Miles liver cancer
- 40 Elaine O'Neal Parkinson's Disease
- 41 David Matthews pancreatic cancer; surgery then will plan therapy
- 42 Sheila Monroe Duke for a month
- 43 Sahana Chapman shoulder recovery problematic; may have to re-do surgery
- 44 Tom Dainty continues infusions & chemo; tolerance is good; very tired
- 45 Lanie Jordan home recovering from heart transplant
- 46 Mary Peaks continuing chemo treatments
- 47 Student of Trudy Garris bone demineralization
- 48 Tony Redemdi pancreatic cancer surgery
- 49 Doug Griffin- bone cancer; another round of chemo
- 50 Robbie Stallings upcoming surgery at Duke
- 51 Kourtney Stallings
- 52 Lisa Manning bone cancer

LOVE & SUPPORT

- Jayne Mayhew **Guy Smith Connie Herring** Savanna Grace Bailey Louise Cowell **Unspoken Request**
- Myrna Rogerson Carrie Elmore Andy McKinney Sarah Glasgow **Tina Nobles**
 - Dawn Johnson **Glynn Bright** LB Garris Jean Gurkin Lucille Mayo

On-Going Prayers For

Jean Allen

Charles Cowell

Our Church Leaders Our Music Ministry

Our Church Family Our Country

Our Youth Ministry Our Military Forces