Touching Lives With Scripture

December 1, 2024 Communion

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." I Thessalonians 5:16-18

Prelude

Welcome

Scripture Reading	I Corinthians 7	
Hymns	Wonderful Grace of Jesus Wonderful, Merciful Savior	
Prayer		
Hymn	His Robes for Mine	
Communion		
Offering Hymn	Christ Our Hope in Life and Death	
Message	"Gratitude vs. Greed: The 10th Commandment" Exodus 20:17	

Closing Prayer

If you need a copy of God's Word or a hymnal for use during our services, they are available on the carts in the foyer.



Missionary of the Month



VeDeme Orphanage & Christian School

Please drop a card of encouragement to them in the brown box in the foyer annex by the missions map.

Record of Faithfulness November 24, 2024

Attendance:		Sunday Giving:	
1st Service:	179	General:	\$22,548
2nd Service:	247	Missions Designated:	\$ 575
3rd Service:	240	Building Fund:	\$ <u>451</u>
Wednesday Evening:	No service	Total:	\$23,574

2024 General Fund & Missions Budget YTD= \$1,367,300 2024 General Fund & Missions Giving YTD= \$1,337,532 Weekly General Fund & Missions Budget=\$31,075

Announcements

Welcome!—We extend a warm welcome to all of our guests. Please complete a yellow guest information card from the chair pocket in front of you, and place it in the offering basket. Thank you!



Poinsettia Project—Poinsettias are available for purchase this year in honor/memory of an individual or couple. Please complete a red form available in the foyer annex, attach payment, and place in the offering basket or turn in to the church office by Sunday, December 15. Cost is \$10 each. Questions? Contact the church office at 304-728-3700.

Decorating Volunteers—Ladies age 16 and older, if you would like to help decorate the auditorium and building for Christmas, we will be working this Friday, December 6, beginning at 10 a.m. Please notify Samantha Spitzer at 304-702-1822 if you are able to help.

Intercessory Prayer—Join us next Sunday, December 8, at 6 p.m. in room 106 for a time of intercessory prayer. All are welcome.

<u>Christmas Strings Concert</u>—Mark your calendars and make plans to join us for a free Christmas strings concert Tuesday evening, December 10, at 7 p.m. in the auditorium. Invite your friends, family and neighbors.

<u>55 Alive!</u>—You are invited to join us for a brunch and cookie exchange Thursday, December 12, at 11 a.m. in the auditorium. Please sign up in the foyer annex. Please bring a wrapped gift to be donated to the Martinsburg Rescue Mission. Gifts should be labeled man, woman, boy or girl and include on the label the contents of the gift. Questions? Contact Rich or Deborah Helman at 304-268-4105.

Congratulations!—FBC extends congratulations to Allison Bowsher on her selection as our new part-time Director of Camp Administration. Join us in welcoming Allison to this new role.

Operation Christmas Child—A total of 359 filled shoeboxes were delivered to the distribution site Monday morning. Thank you for your donations and generosity.

Deacon Of The Week: James Hinkle 540-974-5041 If you need help, please call the deacon of the week listed above.



Join us for our **Wednesday Women Bible study** this week on **December 4 at 6:45 p.m. in modular D-1**. We'll be preparing our hearts for Christmas as we discuss Mary's *Magnificat* found in Luke 1.

SoulCare Ministry: Help for Hurting Hearts—Are you in need of a compassionate space in which to share your burdens? SoulCare offers biblical, peer counseling support. Email <u>soulcareminis-</u> <u>trywv@gmail.com</u> for more information or for an appointment.

FBC MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Bible Study—Join us Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in modular D-2 and Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in modular B-2. Questions? Contact Pastor Dan at 540-532-6980.

Fitness, Fellowship, Faith—Join our F3 group at the pavilion for a morning workout every Tuesday morning from 5:30-6:15 a.m. Rain or shine. Questions? Contact John Perkins at 330-242-9092.

Men's Breakfast—We'd love for you to come out to get to know your brothers in Christ at our 8 a.m. Saturday morning breakfasts. Join us **12/7** at Bonnie's at the Red Byrd in Keedysville, MD. (19409 Shepherdstown Pike, Keedysville, MD 21756) and **12/14** at the Ranson IHOP.



Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Packing in Baltimore MONDAY December 16, 2024

We will be leaving the FBC parking lot at 9:30 a.m. and returning around 5 p.m.

To sign up text "SHOEBOX" to 304-728-3700 by 12/8. Must be 13 years old to attend.

Questions? Contact Pastor Tim at 304-268-0505.



Wednesday Family Night Ministries

<u>Supper @ 6</u> • Serving line open from 6-6:35 p.m. • Suggested donation of \$2 per person. • Children 6 and under free.			<u>Menu</u> Tacos Rice Beans Dessert			
<u>Nursery</u> Ages Newborn-3 years Room 101-105 Renee Hinebaugh	<u>Gopher Buddies</u> Ages 4-Kindergarten Room 106 Check-In Bethany Beasley		<u>Olympians</u> 1st-6th Grades Room 106 Check-In Jessica Porter			
Junior High (Grades 7-8) Modular E Dave & Renee Hinebaugh Pa			Senior High (Grades 9-12) Modular I stor Tim LeMaster			
Adult Classes—7 p.m.						
<u>Men's Bible Stud</u> Modular B-2 Pastor Dan	<u>lv</u>	<u>Women's Bible Study</u> Modular D-1 @ 6:45 p.m. Marcy Bloom				
<u>Combined Adult Class</u> Auditorium Jim Schuppe						
<u>Choir</u> Modular C Samantha Spitzer		BAS	SIC Young Adults Modular D-2 Pastor Van			



Van Marsceau, Senior Pastor Dan Beasley, Associate Pastor of Administration Mark Henson, Associate Pastor of Adult Ministries Tim LeMaster, Associate Pastor of Youth Ministries Michelle Palmer, Office Manager Rich Beddow, Property Supervisor Avery Lipsit, IT Director

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Sunday Services

First Worship Service – 8:00 a.m. Second Worship Service & Sunday School – 9:30 a.m. Third Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.