

**SCRIPTURE READING FOR NEXT WEEK:
Isaiah 22-24; Psalm 119:33-56; Romans 7-9**

Announcements:

Candlelight Carol Service: Wednesday, December 24 at 5:00 pm in the Sanctuary

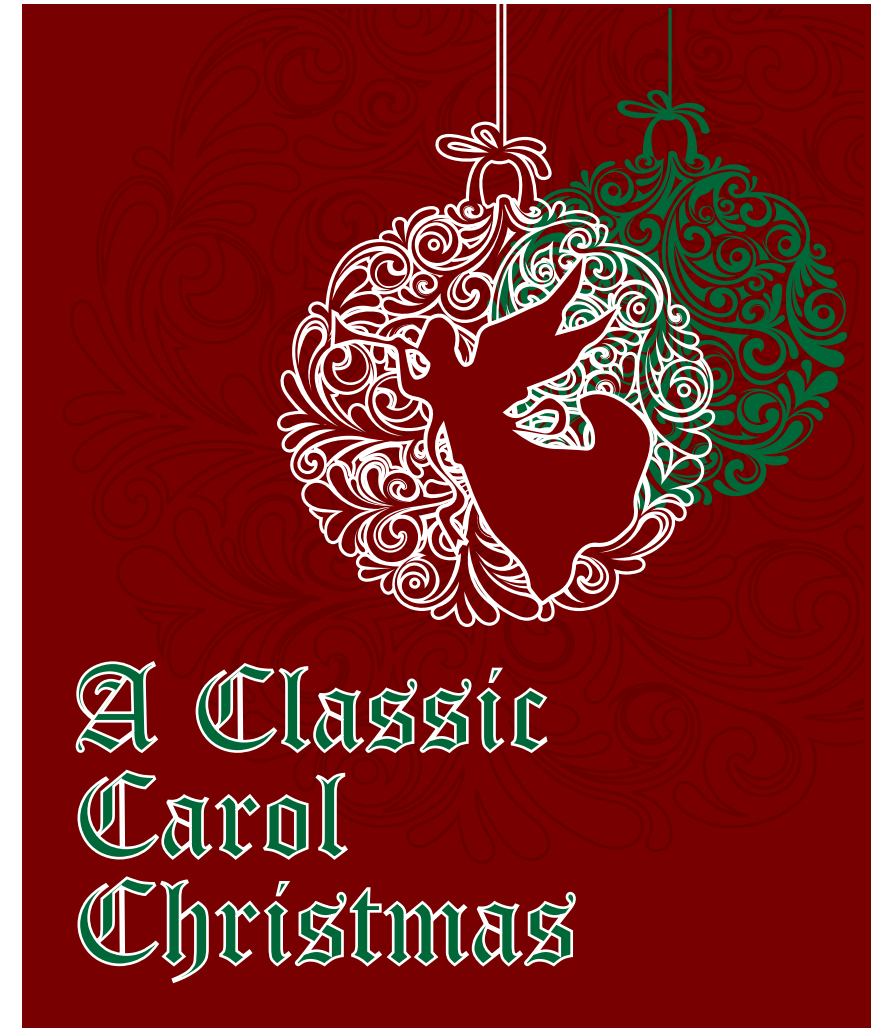
Holiday Office Closings: Wednesday, December 24 - Friday, December 26
Wednesday, December 31 - Thursday, January 1

Year-End Contributions: If delivered in person, contributions must be in the business office by 5:00 pm Tuesday, December 30, 2014. If postmarked or filed electronically, contributions must be postmarked or dated no later than December 31, 2014.

Staff

Dr. Jeff Raines, Senior Pastor
Dr. Glen Adkins, Minister of Music
Rev. Compi Chao, Chinese Mission Pastor
Dr. James Gillespie, FBC School, Head
Meredith Hanna, Minister to Children
Susie Holton, Church Administrator
Dr. Mike McKee, Deaf Mission Pastor
Rev. Katie Mussat, Minister to Students
Tara Partington, Music Associate - Organist
Eric Vandiver, Music Associate - Pianist
Rev. Ronney Joe Webb, Minister of Family Life and Missions

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December 21, 2014
The Fourth Sunday of Advent

Morning Worship

Prelude	<i>Christmas Fantasy</i> <i>Dan Goeller</i>
Welcome to Worshipers	Jeff Raines, Senior Pastor
*French Carol 89	<i>O Come, All Ye Faithful</i> <i>arr. David Willcocks</i>
*Lighting of the Advent Candle of Peace	Don, Susie and Barry Holton Jewell Parker
*Call to Worship	
Leader:	The Lord be with you.
People:	And also with you.
Leader:	Today is the fourth Sunday of Advent, the Sunday in which we recall the peace we have in Christ.
People:	Through the sound of music, we celebrate the birth of Christ, the incarnation of God.
Leader:	Today we light the Advent candle of Peace.
All:	Behold the glow of God's light—the gift of Peace.
*Invocation	
*Doxology	
Children may come to the steps during the Doxology for the Children's Sermon	
Children's Sermon	Meredith Hanna
English Carol	<i>Joy to the World</i>
<i>The congregation will be invited to stand and sing:</i>	
He rules the world with truth and grace, and makes the nations prove, The glories of his righteousness, and wonders of his love, And wonders of his love, and wonders, wonders of his love.	
Scripture Reading	Katie Mussat
Psalm 146:5-10	
French Carol	<i>Masters in This Hall</i>

MR. & MRS. K. D. LANKFORD, JR. given by Mr. & Mrs. Jim Wedeberg & Andrew Wedeberg family
MR. & MRS. WESLEY THURMAN LEEPER given by Molly & Bob Stewart
MR. & MRS. J. L. LEOPARD, JR. given by Katherine Bicknell
JOHN L. LEOPARD given by Katherine Bicknell
ART MAGART given by Lucille Magart
MR. & MRS. LONNIE R. MALONE given by Jerry Malone
BAXTER RAND METCALFE given by Ginger & Glenn Flournoy; Susan & Steven Shores and Rand Metcalfe, Jr.
JOHN ROBERT MILLS given by Vassar Mills
LORRAINE MONROE given by Faye Elder
ODIS FRANKLIN PARKER given by Don, Susie & Barry Holton & Jewell Parker
INA C. PARNELL given by Susie & Ronnie Parnell
W. R. PARNELL given by Susie & Ronnie Parnell
KATE PILKINTON given by Susie & Ronnie Parnell
ADELAIDE & CHANDLER RIDGEWAY given by Martha & Jim Zum Brunnen
KIRBY ROWE, SR. & MRS. (LOUISE) ROWE given by Mr. & Mrs. Kirby Rowe, Jr.
MR. & MRS. EDWARD BOWEN STEWART given by Molly & Bob Stewart
BOBBIE TEXADA given by Dr. & Mrs. Dayne Hassell; Mary Wilson, Janice Hollier & Andrew, Nolan Wilson, Lesley & Marty Wilson, Abby & Reid
MR. & MRS. A. REID WHERRITT given by Vassar Mills
MAYE WILLIAMS given by Levi & Laura Hinze
NORMA WILLIAMSON given by Rachel & Don Williamson
ROBERT RUDOLPH WILSON given by Mary Wilson, Janice Hollier & Andrew, Nolan Wilson, Lesley & Marty Wilson, Abby & Reid
BABY MASON EDWARD WOODALL given by Mr. & Mrs. John O. Woodall; Judge & Mrs. Gayle K. Hamilton
MR. & MRS. E. NEWTON WRAY given by Mr. & Mrs. Kirby Rowe, Jr.
MR. & MRS. GEORGE D. WRAY, SR. given by Mr. & Mrs. Kirby Rowe, Jr.
PHYLLIS & LOUIS ZUM BRUNNEN, JR. given by Martha & Jim Zum Brunnen

Poinsettias are also displayed in honor of the following persons:

MATTIE LOU BIBLE given by Ruth Sunday School Class
RUTH BLAIR given by Marie Blair
MR. & MRS. JAMES BOLTON given by Dr. & Mrs. Dayne Hassell
GINGER & GLENN FLOURNOY given by Susan & Steven Shores and Rand Metcalfe, Jr.
MARY ALICE GRUBBS given by Mary Wilson
FRANCES KURZ given by John & Martha Anderson
SHARON MABUS given by Mary Wilson
JEWELL CANTRELL PARKER given by Don, Susie & Barry Holton
THE PASTOR & STAFF of FBC SHREVEPORT given by Don Holton
MILLY PITTMAN given by Mary Wilson
THE JEFF RAINES FAMILY given by Pat Warner
MARY SHOEMAKER given by Tom & Jean Bundy; Mary Wilson
DON TEXADA given by Dr. & Mrs. Dayne Hassell
BETTY WHEELER given by Pat Warner
WALT, KATIE & LOU-ANNE WILLIAMS given by Shela & Tom Williams

Poinsettia Memorials

The poinsettias on display have been given in memory of the following persons:

DAN ADAMS given by Levi & Laura Hinze
 EDWIN P. ALEXANDER given by Kay Alexander
 HORACE H. ALVORD, III given by Marjorie Alvord
 HARRY W. ASKEW given by Susie & Ronnie Parnell
 ALICE & JOHN BATEMAN given by Barbara Wilson; Anne Bateman
 ALBERT BICKNELL given by Katherine Bicknell
 HAROLD R. BICKNELL given by Katherine Bicknell
 MR. & MRS. J. L. BICKNELL given by Katherine Bicknell
 RICHARD BICKNELL given by Katherine Bicknell
 DON BLAIR given by Marie Blair
 BILLIE BOSWELL given by Ray Boswell; Mary Wilson
 MAXINE BRIDGES given by The Lagersen family
 MR. & MRS. PRINCE CALAHAN & GERALD given by Mavis Calahan
 JAY CARTER given by Susie & Ronnie Parnell
 DORIS & LAMAR CLEMENT given by Keitha Fox
 COL. & MRS. N. G. COX given by Judge & Mrs. Gayle K. Hamilton
 FRANK D. CROOK given by Joyce Crook
 MR. & MRS. A. F. DAVIS given by Mr. & Mrs. Sid Rhodes
 RICHARD M. DAVIS given by Mr. & Mrs. Sid Rhodes
 GENE DENNIS given by Sylvia Dennis
 THOMAS DEWETT given by Marjorie Dewett
 DR. & MRS. WILLIAM DRUMMOND given by Dr. & Mrs. Dick Drummond
 JAMES FORREST DUNN given by Rachel & Don Williamson
 CHARLIE ELDER given by Faye Elder
 JOHN E. EWING given by Helen Ewing
 MR. & MRS. A. G. FLOURNOY, SR. given by Ginger & Glenn Flournoy
 NENA COURTNEY FLOURNOY given by Ginger & Glenn Flournoy
 WILLIAM WADE FOX given by Keitha Fox
 DR. & MRS. S. F. FRASER given by Dr. & Mrs. Dick Drummond
 MILDRED RIDGEWAY GALLOWAY given by Martha & Jim Zum Brunnen
 HOMER GREEN given by Barry & Marilyn Green
 KATE & CLARENCE HAMEL given by Ginger & Glenn Flournoy
 MR. & MRS. EDWARD C. HAMILTON, SR. given by Judge & Mrs. Gayle K. Hamilton
 FLO HARDIN given by Barbara Hartwell
 WAYNE & MARIE HAYES given by Barbara Hartwell
 DR. & MRS. JOHN A. HENDRICK, SR. given by Mr. & Mrs. Kirby Rowe, Jr.
 MR. & MRS. HERIBERTO HERNANDEZ given by Judge & Mrs. Gayle K. Hamilton
 ZACHARY WARREN HOLLIER given by Andrew Robert Hollier
 EVELYN PARKER HOOD given by Jewell Parker, Don, Susie & Barry Holton
 PAIGE HUDSON given by Barry & Marilyn Green
 ANNIE MAE HUMPHRIES given by Maylon & Betty Jo Humphries
 JULIE JANGULA given by JJ & Carolyn Jangula
 MARTHA JOHNSON given by Ray Boswell; Mary Wilson
 BOLYNN JONES given by JJ & Carolyn Jangula
 AL & ELIZABETH KESSLER given by John & Martha Anderson
 FREDERICK LAGERSEN given by The Lagersen family

English Carol Sarah Sherry, soloist	<i>How Far Is It to Bethlehem</i>
Catalonian Carol	<i>Fum, Fum, Fum!</i>
English Carol	<i>The First Nowell</i>
<i>The congregation will be invited to stand and sing:</i>	
Then let us all with one accord, sing praises to our heavenly Lord, That hath made heaven and earth of nought, And with his blood mankind hath bought, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Born is the King of Israel.	
*Prayer of Thanksgiving	Ronney Joe Webb
Offertory French Carol Gale Odom and Lucas Richter, soloists	<i>O Holy Night</i> <i>arr. John Rutter</i>
Polish Carol	<i>Infant Holy, Infant Lowly</i>
French Carol	<i>Ding! Dong! Merrily On High</i>
English Carol	<i>I Saw Three Ships</i>
English German Carol	<i>Hark! The Herald Angels Sing</i>
Sermon: The Angel's Song Luke 2:8-19	Jeff Raines
*French Carol of Response 100	<i>Angels We Have Heard On High</i>
*Benediction	
*Congregational Response	
He rules the world with truth and grace, and makes the nations prove, The glories of his righteousness, and wonders of his love, And wonders of his love, and wonders, wonders of his love.	
Postlude	<i>Christmas Fantasy (Reprise)</i>

Sanctuary Choir
Glen Adkins, Director

Sopranos

Martha Anderson
Fran Barlow
Marie Blair
Beverly Calhoun
Corinne Carroll
Nancy Chapman
Summer Chapman
Lani Duke
Joan Fulco
Dolores Gaddy
Lauren Gates
Marilyn Green
Fay Hardin
Jamie Huguet
Patsy Jones
Ashley Koch
Gale Odom
Betty King
Terrie Roberts
Terri Rovell
Peggy Salley
Stephanie Slack
Susie Tingle
Leslie Townsend
Maria Webb
Betty Wheeler
Mary Evelyn Whitehurst
Sarah Wilkerson
Mary Wilson

Altos

Mary Ann Elgin
Johnette Evans
Helen Ewing
Carolle Green
Carolyn Huckabay
Jane Lindsey
Eunice Maris
Katie Mussat
Ann Oakes
Ann Ogletree
Melba Oldham
Darcie Raines
Alice Roberts
Cheryl Rubin
Bobbie Shaw
Sarah Sherry
Bitsy Smith
Heather Vandiver
Brenda Walker
Sarah Wilkerson
Mar'Sue Wilson

Bell Choir
Clista Adkins
Corinne Carroll
Elissa Cram
Dick Day
Joan Fulco
Jerry Malone
Amy Ostendorff
Debbie Sayres
Stephanie Slack
Eric Vandiver
Heather Vandiver

Tenor

Clista Adkins
Mary Adkins
Kent Bernard
Elmer Carr
Robin Grubbs
Glenn Jackson
Ricky Jones
Aaron Mussat
Katie Beth Ongena
Lucas Richter
Jim Roberts
Eric Vandiver
Josh Yarbrough

Bass

Lance Alexander
Bernard Bolton
Raymond Boswell
Judd Chapman
Rance Cram
Dick Day
Billy Guin
Steve Heard
Marvin Jones
John Odom
Joshua Ongena
John Shaw
Bob Stewart
Harry Townsend

The Orchestra

Violin I

Matt Albert
Elizabeth O'Bannon
Christopher Reed
Jennifer Miranne
Emilio Castro

Violin II

Gary Bruns
Elaine Webb
Joe Cooper
Elizabeth Grondin

Viola

Borys Smolaga
Adrienne Gabriel
Todd Gabriel

Cello

Ruth Drummond
Kristina Vaska Haas

Contrabass

Peter Haas

Bass Guitar

Mike Woods

Flute

Sally Horak
Arthur Williams

Oboe

Leah Forsyth
Carol Lynch

Clarinet

Thomas Phillips
Sandra Clark

Bassoon

Janelle Ott

Horn

James Boldin
Kristine Coreil
Colin McRae
Josh Waldrop

Trumpet

Christopher Williams
Ty Hood
David Hardin

Trombone

James Layfield
Larry Holbert

Tuba

Clay Garrett

Timpani/Percussion

Chandler Teague
Anthony Robinson
Doug Parmelee
Joshua Ongena

Harp

Janel Hector

Organ

Tara Partington

Piano

Eric Vandiver

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