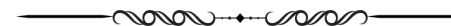


Order of Worship Liturgical Color: Purple

Welcome and Announcements	Deanna Nelson
Celebrating White Christmas	Video
Prelude	Kathy Willis
*Hymn	“Good Christian Friends, Rejoice” Pg. 224
*Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles Creed)	Congregation
Lighting of the Third Advent Candle	Johna Golomb Family
Children’s Moment (Kids exit for Children’s Church)	Ms. Michelle
*Doxology (Ushers bring offering forward)	Congregation
Offering Moment	Dennis Fain
Prayer Concerns	Rev. Matt Albritton
Lord’s Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
Anthem	“Sing, Choirs of Angels!” Chancel Choir
Scripture	Luke 2: 1-14 Rev. Matt Albritton
Sermon	“Our Joy Has Come” Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	“Angels from the Realms of Glory” Pg. 220
Postlude	Kathy Willis

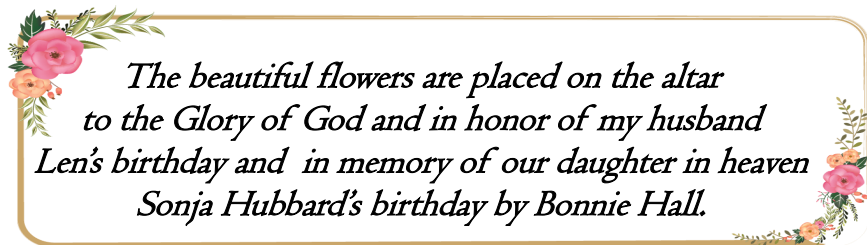
PRAYER CONCERNS:

- ◆ Margaret Ebrecht
- ◆ Larry Hill
- ◆ Mary Daniels
- ◆ Kelly Roth
- ◆ Tammy Albritton
- ◆ Asenath Coker
- ◆ Natalie Williams
- ◆ Billy Daniels
- ◆ Rose Tyler
- ◆ Frank Watson
- ◆ Robert Pickett
- ◆ Beckie-Lea Barker
- ◆ All leaders of this country: local, state, and federal
- ◆ All medical personnel and first responders
- ◆ Students, teachers, parents, and all school personnel
- ◆ Our Country



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- TODAY! December 12th
 1. Deadline for angel tree gifts to be turned in
 2. Deadline for in honor/in memory acknowledgements to be printed in the December 19th bulletin for White Christmas. (White Christmas offerings can be made until December 31st)
- Please note: Wednesday, December 15th will be our last
 1. Children & Youth bus pickup and gathering
 2. Wednesday Morning Bible Study
 3. Wednesday Evening Verse by Verse Bible Study and
 4. Last Wednesday night meal until next year.
- If you haven’t already completed your Faithful Stewardship of Service please do so by December 15th. The forms are located throughout the campus for your convenience or contact the church office.
- *Coming up:* Christmas Eve Communion at 5 p.m. in our Sanctuary. Bring your family to this special worship service as we prepare to welcome the birth of our Savior.



Reading the Bible Through—DECEMBER

<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Hosea 7-8	Ps. 137	Luke 24
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 Hosea 9-10	Prov. 20	Matthew 1
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 Reflect on God as Giver		
<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Hosea 11-12	Ps. 128	Matt. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Hosea 13:-14	Prov. 21	Matt. 3
<input type="checkbox"/> 6 Joel	Psalms 139	Matt. 4
<input type="checkbox"/> 7 Amos 1-3	Prov. 22	Matt. 5
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<input type="checkbox"/> 10 Reflect on God as King of Kings		
<input type="checkbox"/> 11 Amos 8-9	Ps. 141	Matt. 9
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<input type="checkbox"/> 13 Jonah 1-2	Ps. 142	Matt. 11
<input type="checkbox"/> 14 Jonah 3-4	Prov. 25	Matt. 12
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 Micah 1-3	Ps. 143	Matt. 13
<input type="checkbox"/> 16 Micah 4-5	Prov. 26	Matt. 14
<input type="checkbox"/> 17 Reflect on God as Savior		
<input type="checkbox"/> 18 Micah 6-7	Ps. 144	Matt. 15
<input type="checkbox"/> 19 Nahum	Prov. 27	Matt. 16
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<input type="checkbox"/> 21 Zephaniah	Prov. 28	Matt. 18
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<input type="checkbox"/> 24 Reflect on God as Emmanuel		
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Third Sunday of Advent

Mission Statement:

With a heart for Jesus Christ, First United Methodist Church of Wetumpka comes together as a family of God. Our purpose is to welcome and win our community to Jesus Christ. By encouraging spiritual growth, and fostering Christian fellowship, we give glory and praise to our God.