

# *December 1, 2024 – Announcements*

## **CHURCH BUDGET**

Weekly Budget Needs = \$6,594.00  
11/17/2024 = \$14,840.00

YTD Budget Needs = \$303,324.00  
YTD Receipts = \$284,118.70

## **ANGEL TREE 2024**

Gifts with the attached angel name must be turned in by *December 15<sup>th</sup>* to the church office. For more information, contact Lane or Sue Lewis.

## **PRAYER OPPORTUNITY**

Attention all good people. The pastor needs people who are willing to pray for him and with him concerning the weekly sermons. He needs at least three teams consisting of five people each to operate in one-week increments. Each team will engage in daily prayer, at the direction of the pastor, praying with the pastor on Sunday mornings concerning the sermon, and praying during the worship service for the powerful moving of the Holy Spirit. One caveat, the pastor needs individuals who will attend church consistently because this is of great importance concerning the life of our church. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Kevin as soon as possible.

## **ATTENTION WHBC KIDS!**

Bring an adult and join us at **4:30 PM on Sunday, December 8th**, for a jolly holiday bus ride to Florence to enjoy dinner together and a walk through some beautiful Christmas lights! We'll stop on the way home for fresh donuts and milk, and carol our way back to church. Cost is \$7 per child. Contact Jessica Garvin for more information.

## **YOUNG AT HEART**

On Wednesday, **December 18th**, Young at Heart will be going to Saluda Shoals to see the Christmas lights! Please make plans to come and enjoy this time together. The bus will be leaving at approximately 4:00 pm. Please sign up in the church office as soon as you can.

## **CHRISTMAS STAFF LOVE OFFERING**

Traditionally our church family has expressed their love and appreciation to our church staff through a special love offering. We want to give you the opportunity to share in this tradition. To participate in this expression of love during Christmas, please place your gift in a Christmas Staff Love Offering envelope and place it in the offering plate or return it to the church office by **Wednesday, December 18th**. The love offering will be presented to the church staff before the Christmas holiday.

## **CHRISTMAS FAMILY NIGHT**

Please join us at 6:00 pm on **December 22nd** in the Fellowship Hall for our annual Christmas Family Night. We will have hot chocolate, Christmas treats, fun, a talent show, and who knows what else! You do not want to miss it! For more information see Pastor Kevin.

## **CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE**

Please join us for our annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 5:30 pm on **December 24th**. This will be a special time for us to gather with together with our families and celebrate the birth of our King Jesus.

## **2025 OFFERING ENVELOPES**

The 2025 offering envelopes will be available in the atrium on **Sunday, December 22nd**. If you do not find your name or your child's name, please contact the church office and we will be happy to get a box assigned to you. If you know of someone who needs their box delivered, please feel free to take their box to them. Thank you for giving to support the Lord's work through our church.

## **2024 FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS**

Many folks want to make financial contributions to the church at the end of the year for 2024 Tax Deductions. These are certainly encouraged and appreciated. We would like to request that all financial contributions for the 2024 Tax Year please be in the office no later than closing at **12:00 pm on Tuesday, December 31st**. To allow for trade and settlement of stocks to count for 2024, all stocks should be in the church office by **12:00 pm on Monday, December 23rd**. Thank you for your help!