

This Week's Prayer Requests

Prayers & Praises -

Robert Fanucci (from P.O.)	Family of Elsie Andrews
Lorie Ventura (Shelton's mom)	Byron Massie
Clarence (Poochie) Dabney	Edna Goff
DeDe Witt	Nadine Kennedy
Josephine Davis	Emma Jean Markham
Family of Mike Hickock	Ricky Burks
Kathy, Angie Evan's cousin	Audrey Minnick
Barbara Cumber (Polly's friend)	Rachel Beatrice Snead
Eric Peterson (Susan's brother)	Gage Byers
Brent Campbell	Charlotte Crouch
Connie Brown	Paul Hudson
Juanita Mitchen	Brenda Wiles
Nelson Smith (Doris' brother)	Elizabeth Sellick
Diane Tomlin	Willie Douglas
Dan & Jan Reber	Rickey Wright
Tommy Nichols	Shirley Radford
Linda Burger	Brenda Peters
John McCoy	Barbara Wilson
Chico Hawkins	Daniel & Becky Harrison

Our Church/Community –

Lostness in our community
Youth ministry (Jeremy Boykin)

Our Nation/World –

Government leaders & transition	Israel & innocent Palestinians
OCC Shoeboxes	Ukraine (Bakers' ministry)
First Responders	Pastor Santos & 1 st Bapt of Leguisamo
Missionaries	

2024 Regular Giving:

Last Week: \$ 1,686
2024 Budgeted Need: \$ 4,375
Lottie Moon \$ 820
YTD giving + \$ 5,280
(compared to budget)

Attendance Last Week: 65

This Week's Schedule

Sunday –
6:30pm Deacon's Meeting
Tuesday -
5:00pm Candlelight Service

*Merry
Christmas!*

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Mon, Thurs-Fri 1-5pm

Order of Service

Welcome

Hymn #130

Here I Am to Worship

Prayer

Advent Candle 4: Peace

Sherry Byers & Mendy Clark

Special Music Robert & Melissa Overstreet, Alina Dinwiddie

Hymns #191

The Birthday of a King

#192

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Worship with Tithes & Offerings

Choir Specials:

He Is Born, the Divine Christ Child
The Arrival (Alina Dinwiddie, soloist)

Mission Manger Offering

(Children's Service Dismissal – age 4 thru 3rd grade)

Message:

“The Peace of Christmas”

Pastor Ken

Various Scripture Passages

Hymn #547

We Are an Offering

Benediction

Children's Service, Assigned Deacons, Teller Team

Today - Nursery: Robert & Melissa Overstreet

Service: Cheryl Coleman & Kaylee Byers

Next Week - Nursery: Ronnie & Mendy Clark

Service: Susan Massie & Brenda Pinson

Deacon of the Week: Ricky Wright

Backups: Gary Oliver, Craig Rusher

Teller Team: Becky Martin

Next Week: Larry Whorley

Christmas Eve Service

*You, your family, and friends are invited to
the Candlelight Christmas Eve Service
Tuesday at 5:00pm. Come and join in the
worship of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ as
we celebrate His birth!*

2024 LOTTIE MOON OFFERING FOR INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS

This month we are receiving the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions. One hundred percent of this offering will be used to support the work of SBC International Mission Board missionaries; every penny goes directly to the missionaries and their ministries. Our church goal is \$4,000. We will have a special offering time this morning during the worship service. Please use a Lottie Moon / Missions Manger Offering envelope or clearly mark your offering “Lottie Moon”.

General Announcements

Offering Envelopes: Envelopes for 2025 are available in the Education Wing hallway in three choices – an entire boxed set for weekly giving, bundles of 12 envelopes for monthly giving, and bundles of 26 envelopes for bi-weekly giving. All three include envelopes for Annie Armstrong and Lottie Moon. Please clearly print your name and the amount of your offering on the front of your envelope each time you give in order to get an accurate end-of-year tax credit figure. FMI see Sheila Turpin.

*Thanks to everyone that helped in any way with the delivery
of 1,740 Christmas cards this year. Merry Christmas!*

Carolyn B. Morehead