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**PRAYER WALK THIS SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2nd**  
**There will be a Prayer Walk after the 10:45**  
**service this Sunday. Please join us.**

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE OFFERING

In December the kids are invited to bring winter hats, gloves, scarves, and kids socks that will be donated to Prince of Peace for their homeless ministry.



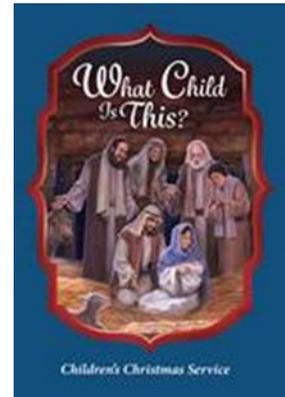
### CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Mark this joyful event on your calendar so you don't forget: What Child Is This? children's Christmas service on Sunday, December 16th at 10:45 AM. Let the joy about Jesus' birth fill your heart!

Everyone is invited to join us for a spaghetti lunch and reception in the fellowship hall following the service. Please sign up for the lunch on the bulletin board so we can be sure to have plenty of food.

PARENTS - please sign your child up for the Children's Christmas Service on the bulletin board OR e-mail Hailey Robertson ([dce@messiahgrh.org](mailto:dce@messiahgrh.org)) if your child/children are going to participate in the service.

Age 3 - High School are welcome to be a part of sharing the news of Jesus' birth!



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## Service Times

**Saturday @ 5:30 pm**  
Traditional Worship

**Sunday @ 8:30 am**  
Traditional Worship

**Sunday @ 10:45 am**  
Contemporary Worship

## Youth News

### Sunday School

**Come join us:**

**High School:** 9th through 12th grade, join us in Room 3 (downstairs) as we study God's Word.

**Middle School:** 6th through 8th grade students, come to Room 2 downstairs for a Bible Study made just for you.

**Kids' Connect:** 2nd through 5th grade. Join us in Kids' Connect, Room 1, downstairs.

**Little Lambs:** Age 3 through 1st grade. If your child is in this age group, please join us downstairs in Room 6 where children will learn the love of Jesus in a hands-on way.

## Adult Bible Studies

### Sunday Morning

**Fellowship Hall:**

## HOLIDAY YOGA CLASS SCHEDULE

There will be **NO** classes on Monday:  
December 24th and  
December 31st.



## KID'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

All kids age 3 and up are invited to the Kid's Christmas Party here at Messiah

on December 15th from 6:30 to 9:30 PM. Cost is \$5 per child (for food and supplies).

Please sign up by December 9th.

Contact Hailey Robertson

([dce@messiahgrh.org](mailto:dce@messiahgrh.org)).



## NANCY LOGSDON

In June, 2013, Nancy Logsdon was diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease. She gradually declined but continued to do well, though, until the summer of 2017. When we came back from Michigan in September she began to decline at a faster rate, and this decline increased in 2018. Wednesday, Nov. 28th, she entered the Alois Alzheimer Center in Greenhills. We want to thank our brothers and sisters in Christ at Messiah for the kindness, friendship, encouragement, and help you have extended to us during this passage through the valley of the shadow of death. You have been the rod and the staff of the Lord to comfort us. We appreciate that and know that she will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

In Christ,  
Gary Logsdon

## PRINCE OF PEACE DINNER

Sign-up sheet for donations to Prince of Peace dinner on Wednesday, December 12th is now on the bulletin board in the Narthex. Please leave donations in the kitchen. Any questions call Sandy Walter or Joan Rieger. Thank you for your generosity.

Pastor Stuckwisch's education hour will be discussing the history of Lutheranism.

**Lower Lever Conference Room:**  
Lower Level Conference Room:

"Small Group Bible Study will be studying the Good News about the ministry of Jesus the Messiah according to the Evangelist Luke".

**Wednesday - 10:15 am**

**Ladies Bible Study**

**Thursday - 7:00 pm**

**Men's Bible Study -  
Cancelled until further notice.**

**Contact Info**

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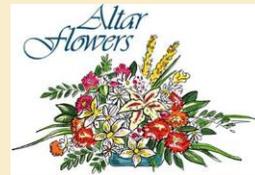
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**ALTAR FLOWERS - REMINDER**

If you are on the list for flowers for December, please remember to pay for your flowers first or they will not be ordered. Thank you for understanding.



**COOKIE PACK TIME**

It's time to think Christmas Cookies for the Women's Auxiliary Annual Cookie Pack. People in nursing homes and care centers love these little boxes and the Christmas Story! It's Monday, December 3 at 9:30am at Christ Lutheran Church, 3301 Compton Rd. We need lots of regular and diabetic cookies to go to care centers around Cincinnati. Please no bar cookies and no nuts or fruits except raisins. If you cannot join us, you can make your cookies at home and deliver to Messiah by December 2nd. We're hoping you can join us-all are welcome.

**HOLIDAY FUNDRAISING CONCERT AT  
PRINCE OF PEACE**

LeVan & LeVan will be performing a free concert at Prince of Peace on Saturday, December 1st, at 7:00 PM in the sanctuary. A free-will offering will benefit the music ministry of Prince of Peace. For further information, please see the insert in this weekend's ministry folder.

**January OWLS:** January meeting will be Wed. Jan. 16 (note change of day) for our delicious pot-luck luncheon at 11:30 a.m. followed by a program HERE AT MESSIAH given by a staff member of Artworks, telling us about the beautiful murals all over the city, including a new one in Finneytown on the front of Brentwood Bowl.

There will be a \$5 admission fee for this program. Please sign the list in the narthex if you'd like to be included.



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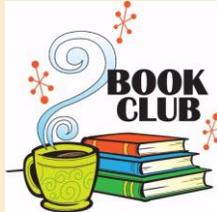
**Upcoming Message:**

**December 1-2, 2018  
Hanging of the Greens  
service**

**JANUARY BOOK CLUB**

We will meet on Jan. 13 at 2:30 pm at the home of Sandy Walter, 5808 Leslie Drive, Fairfield,

to discuss "Educated" a memoir by Tara Westover. This is an amazing story of a young Mormon girl who decided to go to college, when she had had no formal education. Join us for an interesting discussion!



**ANGEL WISHES**

The Angel Wishes program continues for our clients who are part of our Caring Center. There are 38 families currently in this program whom we help at Christmas time with practical things that

can help their current situation - car repairs, utility payments, computers for work or school, dental work, etc. We ask for you to donate any amount you would like as you prayerfully consider this. We need approximately \$11,000. (G.E.



employees- remember your gift can be doubled). **There is now a box in the narthex** to place your donations made out to Tri-County SOUL Ministries - or you can include with your Messiah donation - earmarked for TCSM Angel Wishes. These families are active Christians who just need a little boost! The deadline for gifts is Dec. 16.

**HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE**



December 5 - Advent Service, 7:00 PM (Dinner, 5:45)

December 12-Advent Service, 7:00 PM (Dinner, 5:45)

December 16-Children's Christmas Program, 10:45 AM

December 19-Advent Service, 7:00 PM (Dinner, 5:45)

December 22-Saturday Traditional Service, 5:30 PM

December 23-Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 AM

December 24-Christmas Eve Services, 5:00 & 7:00 PM

December 25-Christmas Day Service, 10:00 AM

December 29-Saturday Traditional Service, 5:30 PM

December 30-Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 AM

December 31-New Year's Eve Service, 7:00 PM

#### **PROGRESSIVE DINNER UPDATE - DECEMBER 9th**



If you plan on attending the Progressive Dinner, please sign the sheet on the bulletin board by December 2nd. Please let us know if you plan on bringing soup, salad, appetizer or dessert to share and if you will be riding in the van from church. If you plan on going in the van, you will need to be at the church by 4:45 PM in order to leave by 5 PM. If you are driving yourself, please arrive at the Wolford's by 5:40. There is also a list of addresses and maps to the houses on the bulletin board. **Sign-up Genius is now ready for you to use** to sign up for the Progressive Dinner and a Facebook notice will be coming soon. The cost will be \$5.00/person, payable at the first house.

#### **Where:**

John and Laura Priebe, 1258 Campground Dr.,  
Lawrenceburg

Tim and Diane Wolford, 1176 Kentucky Lane, West  
Harrison

Scott and Susan Silver, 1790 Einsel Road,  
Lawrenceburg

**ANGEL TREE IN THE NARTHEX**

We are looking to have "new" angel ornaments for the tree this year. Please bring 1 (or more) either from your collection or purchased and place on the tree.

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Office closed on Friday**

