

10:00 am Worship
December 1, 2024 – 1st Sunday of Advent

The altar is open for personal prayer time prior to the beginning of our service.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

***Hymn** *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* #162

Introduction to the Service Christian Stephens

The Lighting of the First Advent Candle Jaiton & Christian Stephens

There will be signs in the sun, moon, and stars,
and unrest in the nations like those being tossed by the waves of the sea.

Be watchful at all times for God’s Kingdom is near.

The powers of the heavens will be shaken
at the expectation of the coming of the Lord.

Be watchful at all times for God’s Kingdom is near.

You will see Christ coming in the clouds with power and glory. When
this happens, lift up your heads, because your redemption is close.

Be watchful at all times for God’s Kingdom is near.

This generation will not pass away until all things are accomplished.
Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will last forever.

Be watchful at all times for God’s Kingdom is near.

The Lord is coming to make all things new. Come quickly, Lord Jesus.

Choral Response *Christ Be Our Light* Chancel Choir
James Hill, soloist

The Poinsettias Dale Young

***Hymn** *Hail to the Lord’s Anointed* #165

The Sanctuary Green Dale Young

Anthem *The Holly and the Ivy* Chancel Choir

The Christmas Tree Andy Milstead

Anthem *O Christmas Tree* Kelley Hill

The Chrismon Tree Andy Milstead

Offering and Offertory What Child is This? – Chancel Choir
Justin Harden - Flute

Message “I Wonder” Rev. Clint McBroom
The Wonder of It All

Holy Communion

Entrance of Light Andy Milstead

***Hymn** *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* #216

*** Benediction**

Postlude

**please stand as you are able*

*The altar flowers are given by Jim and Ida Turner
in memory of Phoebe Crouch Taylor and Angela Holt Falkner.*

Sign-Ups

Name(s):

Poinsettia Sign Up
_____@ \$19.25

In Honor or memory of

MISSION MINISTRIES NEEDS Mission House

Items needed:

- Hygiene Products for men & woman
- Men’s pants sizes 30-36

ACTS

Items needed:

- 2 lb. bags of cornmeal and flour

Acts – Food Box - \$30
Angel Trees – Located in fellowship hall

*You can place all mission items in the
collection bins by the Coke machine in the
downstairs hallway or bring to office.*

Welcome!
We're glad you're here!

Name(s):

Email (optional):

Prayer Requests

Announcements

This afternoon

4:00 pm - Handbell Rehearsal, *bell room*
5:00 pm - Choir Rehearsal, *choir room*
5:00 - 6:30 pm - Youth & Kids - *check group Facebook pages for details*

Monday, December 2

10:00 am - Ladies Circle, *fellowship hall*
6:00 pm - Church Council Meeting, *fellowship hall*

Wednesday, December 4

9:00 am - 1:00 pm - Mission House Open
No Activities
Youth & Kids - check Facebook pages for schedules

Thursday, December 5

10:00 am - Widows/Widowers Brunch, *fellowship hall*

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING - MONDAY December 2nd @ 6:00 PM

We encourage everyone to attend. This is the best way to hear directly from the church leadership. The meeting will be held in the fellowship hall.

ADOPT A MILITARY FAMILY OF A SOLDIER IN ISREAL

Christmas is not only a hard time for our active military personnel, but also for the families left behind. Our church is collecting donations to provide the spouse with a \$100 gift card to purchase food, gifts, or whatever they may need during this holiday season. If anyone would like to adopt a family or donate, contributions can be made via Visa gift cards, cash, checks, or Venmo (@Ann-Addeo) before December 9. Donations can be dropped off at the church office.

LEARNING TREE CHRISTMAS

If you sponsored a Learning Tree child this Christmas, please bring your unwrapped gifts to the office no later than Wednesday, December 18th.

WHITE CHRISTMAS

We'll be accepting donations for the annual White Christmas until December 15th. Embrace Alabama Kids began over 130 years ago as an orphanage. Today, it is one of the state's most comprehensive and vital resources serving babies, children, youth, teen mothers, college students, and families. Checks can be made out to FMC; "White Christmas" in the memo line

ACTS - FOOD BOX - CHRISTMAS ANGEL TREE – DUE TODAY

Christmas Food Boxes can be purchased at a cost of \$30 per box. Checks can be made out to FMC with "ACTS food boxes" in memo line. The Angel tree. The deadline for toy donations is Sunday, December 1st.

Financial Update – December 1

Contributions
Last week \$ 6,679
Needed each week \$ 8,300
YTD Contributions \$ 380,791
YTD Expenses \$ 368,733
Difference \$ 12,058

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