First Baptist Jackson

# Connection Card **December 20, 2020**

Every Wednesday night, our church gathers to pray for the needs of people in our church. If you have a prayer request, you can email it to office@fbcj.us or write it down here. Please leave this tear off slip on the table in the foyer or place in the offering box at the back of the Worship Center. If you would like a list of the prayer requests, pick one up in

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PRAYER REQUEST:

# This Week's Calendar

# Sunday, December 20

8:00a - Adult Sunday School 9:30a - Sunday School all ages

(Children: Nursery-Gr. 6 meet 9:30 a.-12:15 p. Sunday School/Extended Session)

9:30a – Morning Worship (In Person and LIVESTREAM)

11:00a - Morning Worship (In Person) 6:00p - Bible Study with Pastor Troy

# Monday, December 21

10:00a – Library Team

7:00p – Boy Scouts-Fellowship Hall 7:00p - College Gathering-The Bridge

### Tuesday, December 22

12:00p — Church Podcast on Facebook GA's & Acteens will not meet again until Tues. Jan. 12

### Wednesday, December 23

\*Last day the church office will be open with regular office hours until Mon. Jan. 4 10:00a – Adult 5 Women S.S. NO EVENING ACTIVITIES

# Thursday, December 24

5:00p - Christmas Eve Service (ONLINE ONLY)

### Saturday, December 26

Men's Discipleship #1 will not meet

# Sunday, December 27 and Sunday, January 3

No evening worship or other activities. Morning schedule for both Sundays will remain the same.

# Merry Christmas

# **Pastors & Support Staff**

Troy Richards – Senior Pastor troy@fbcj.us (270) 256-0908

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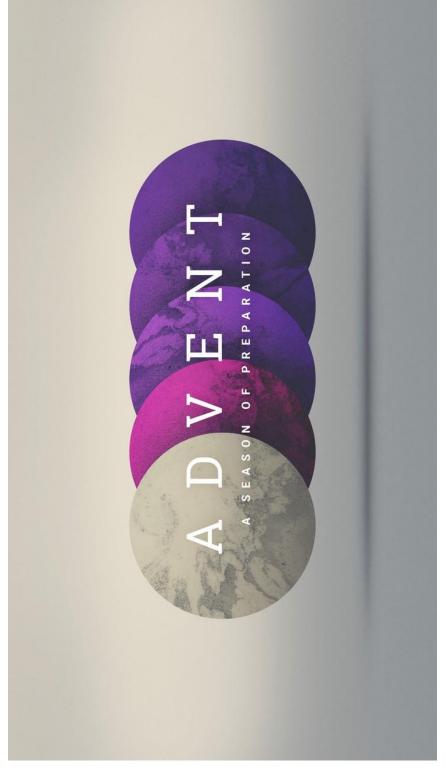
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#### WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST JACKSON

We are so thankful you chose to worship with us today! We believe that God brought you here for a reason and we're just happy you're here. You may find information and answers to (just about) all your questions at the Welcome Center in the foyer, but feel free to come up to any of us and get acquainted if we haven't met you yet. We would love to have the opportunity to share with you what God is doing here at FBC-J — there's so much to tell!

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

ANNOUNCEMENT VIDEO

### **WORSHIP**

Away In A Manger (All Glory To Jesus)
Hark The Herald Angels Sing
Tremble
What A Beautiful Name

# **WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING**

### **WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD**

"Angels" (Peace) Luke 2:12-15

INVITATION BENEDICTION

#### CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Join us ONLINE on our Facebook page or our website at 5:00 p.m. on Christmas Eve for our candlelight service. Candles are available today for you to take home for each member of your family to use during the service.

### **LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING**

Your entire gift reaches the hands of missionaries serving the unreached all across the world. Our goal for this year's Lottie Moon Christmas Offering is \$10,000. Received to date: \$5,291. Offering envelopes are in the chair backs in the Worship Center and also in the foyer. Please make your check to the church and in the memo line write LMCO or when giving online designate your offering for Lottie Moon.

#### **LOTTIE MOON POST OFFICE**

The Lottie Moon Post Office is open and ready to receive your Christmas cards for your church family. It is located in front of the Welcome Center desk in the foyer (by the handicapped entrance). When dropping off your cards, you can leave a donation if you like for the postage you are saving by not having to mail them. If you forgot to bring your cards today, you can drop them by the church office this week (M-Wed). The post office will be open until Sun. Jan. 3. Make sure to check each week for cards you may have received.

#### YEAR END GIVING

For year end contributions, all offerings received at the Sun. Dec. 27 morning worship services will count toward the 2020 tax year. Submit online transfers by Dec. 31 and offerings that are mailed in must be postmarked on or before Dec. 31. Drop by offerings during the week by Wed. Dec. 23 at 4:00 p.m., the last day the church office will be open for the year.

# **Last Week's Report**

Budget Received: \$ 4,081.00 9:30 a.m. Corporate Worship: 68
Budget Required: \$ 9,157.29 11:00 a.m. Corporate Worship: 64
Online Budget Giving on Dec. 10: \$ 1,902.00 Lottie Moon: \$ 1,820.00

**Online Giving for Nov. 2020:** \$ 9,532.93

# **WELCOME!**

We would like to say WELCOME and thank you for visiting with us today! Our pastors would love to follow up with you after your visit. You can contact our Senior Pastor Troy Richards at (270) 256-0908 or visit with him after the service at the Welcome Center in the foyer. Please fill out this slip and place in the offering box at the back of the Worship Center.

Name:
Address:
Email:
Phono #:
Phone #:

### **ADULT BIBLE STUDIES**

Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m.

Open Bible study led by Pastor Troy in the Worship Center

Wednesday nights at 6:00 p.m. (returns Wed. Jan. 6)

Online ZOOM Bible Study and LIVESTREAM on our Facebook page with Pastor Troy