



Baptist Messenger December 21, 2017
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The **Baptist Messenger** will not be printed on December 28 or January 4, 2018.

The **Church Office** will be *closed* on the following dates:

- Monday, December 25
- Tuesday, December 26
- Monday, January 1

Wednesday Meals, AWANA and all other Wednesday activities RESUME January 10

Sunday, December 24
10:30am One Morning Worship Service
No Sunday School
Nursery care for 0 - 1;
Christmas Activity Time for Ages 2-4 (Room 215)
6:00 pm - Family Candlelight Service with
Lord's Supper (no childcare)



Special "Thank You" to Kim Winfield for the beautiful Christmas decorations throughout our church!

IMPORTANT 2017 CONTRIBUTION INFORMATION

Any contribution placed in the offering plate by December 31 or hand-carried and received by the church office by Friday, December 29 at 12:00pm (NOON) will be considered a 2017 contribution.

Any contribution sent to the church by mail that is *postmarked* on or before December 31, 2017 will be considered a 2017 contribution—even if it arrives in the office after January 1, 2018.

Per IRS regulations, any end-of-year contributions not meeting one of these two criteria cannot be considered a 2017 contribution and will be posted to 2018.

Any contribution received at church on Sunday, January 7 will be considered a 2018 contribution (regardless of the date written on the check).

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**NO
Wednesday
Fellowship Meal
December 27
or January 3**

Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:30am One Worship
6:00pm Candlelight Service

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25

MERRY CHRISTMAS
Office Closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26

Office Closed

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27

NO Evening Activities

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31

7:30am Ladies Prayer Time (Room 101)
8:00am Early Worship
9:15am Bible Study
10:30am Late Worship
No Evening Service or Activities

First Family Facts

December 17, 2017

MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Adult	193
Youth	38
6th Grade	7
Children	47
Preschool	20
TOTAL	305

Laundry Love Ministry

January 9, 2018

5pm to 7pm

Assisted by Adult 5

December Birthdays

- 21 - Mary Weaver
- 24 - Bonnie Espinoza, Grace Hladik
- 25 - Wendy Jones, Sadie Koehn
- 26 - Shirlee Barton
- 27 - Bettye Phillips, Ernest Kingcade, Kay Ivy, Abi Poggenpohl, Sherry Porter, Charlene Fisher, Ronda Spena
- 28 - William Ostermaier
- 29 - Brady Clinton, Kaylon Lee
- 30 - Braden Land, Vaughn Sells, Bailey Miller
- 31 - Cynthia Gentry, Cortney Kolb

January Birthdays

- 1 - James Kochick, Carl Fielder, David Humphrey, Brent Tilley
- 2 - Marvin Palmer
- 3 - Jane Waldrum, David Nicholson
- 4 - Jeannette Mitchell, Matthew Betts, Teresa Willems
- 5 - Melanie Betts, Logan McConnell, Addilynn Lytle
- 6 - Tyler Snethen

JANUARY BIBLE STUDY for Adults and Youth

With Dr. Bobby Kelly

January 14 - 17

"1st Peter: Stand Fast in the True Grace of God"



We mourn with you ...to Kyla Hill and family in the passing of her husband, Robert Hill, on December 12.

FBC Personnel Committee is developing Pastoral Search Teams for future needs of our church.

Please pray for this committee:

- Tim Benham
- Kevin Bullard
- Justin Jones
- Terri Fielder
- Dale Fain
- Beth Culver

Youth Winter Retreat

December 28 - 30

Cost: \$15 (plus \$7 for meal on the road)
"Together We Are Stronger"

2017 or 2018 medical release required.

See Sue Norrie for more information or obtain medical release at www.fbc-enid.com/forms

"World Missions Post Office"

Bring your Christmas cards for FBC members to the World Missions Post Office (located in the Light Court) and donate the postage amount to the World Missions Offering.

Please pick your cards up by January 15.