

CALENDAR
Dec. 16 through Dec. 23

Sunday – Dec. 16 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 – Holy Eucharist
10:30 – Sunday School
4:00 – Education for Ministry
6:00 PM – Vespers
8:00 PM – Holy Eucharist

Monday - Dec. 17 5:30 Vestry Meeting
8:00 PM – Café Grace – Louttit Hall

Wed. – Dec. 19 6:00 PM – Holy Eucharist

Thurs. – Dec. 20 7:00 AM – Holy Eucharist

Sunday – Dec. 23 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 – Holy Eucharist
4:00 – Education for Ministry
6:00 PM – Vespers
8:00 PM – Holy Eucharist

Birthdays this week: Monday: Len Carter; **Tuesday:** Sue Bentley, Noah Carroll; **Wednesday:** Nathaniel Balanis; **Thursday:** Mary Tunison; **Friday:** Jack Warren

Baptismal Anniversaries: Tuesday: Grace Flemer; **Wednesday:** Grace Tanner; **Thursday:** Joyce Dunmire, Andrew Flemer, Blake Yarbrough

Wedding Anniversaries: Today: Danny & Kim Clark, Fred & Juanita Quinn, Mark & Margaret Weston; **Monday:** Joe & Ann Singletary; **Wednesday:** Ron & Pat Bezona, Richard & Robin Coleman, David & Elise Sandbach; **Friday:** Jimmy & Ingrid Carroll

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December 17: 5:30 Vestry Meeting
December 24: 5:30 Children's Service
December 24: 10:30 Midnight Service
December 25: 10:00 Christmas Day Service
January 5: 3:00 Epiphany Pageant Practice
January 6: 9:30 Epiphany Pageant

Serving Today

Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Walton Carter, Joe Tomberlin,
Sandra Fletcher

Lectors: Mike Holland, Cathy Oglesby, Phyllis Holland

Acolytes: Beth Baker, Pierce Baker, Griff Holland, Phyllis Holland

Ushers: John Hiers, Will Hanson, Tom Carroll

SPECIAL NOTES FOR TODAY

Visitors, welcome to our worship. We invite you to fill out the card in the pew rack in front of you and return via the offering plate. Join us after the service in the Parish Hall for refreshments; we would like to meet you.

2013 pledge cards: Please return cards to the church as soon as possible, we need cards to help work on the 2013 budget. There are more pledge cards in the tower.

2013 Liturgical Kalendars are available in the Tower; a \$2 donation is appreciated.

Vestry will meet Monday, December 17, 2012 at 5:30PM in the Parish Hall. All Vestry members are expected to attend.

Everyone is welcome: H.E.P. (Happy Episcopal People) Party – Sunday, December 23, 2012 at 7PM at David and Elise Sandbach's – **2607 Pebblewood Dr.** Please mark your calendar and plan to come and enjoy an evening of Christmas Cheer – bring a hors d'oeuvre.

Epiphany pageant practice will be held Saturday, January 5 at 3:00 p.m. Meet in the Parish Hall. All Christ Church youth are invited to participate!! Be thinking about what part you want to play: Animal, Angel, Shepherd, Wise Person, Mary or Joseph.

If you would like to help **Adopt-a-Family** from the Haven for Christmas, gifts of clothing, toys, and household items would be much appreciated. The wish list is on the bulletin board. For further information, see Deacon Patricia.

End Of Year Giving: Donations for the 2012 tax year must be given to the church no later than 12/31/2012 or mailed to the church in an envelope postmarked no later than 12/31/2012. Any donations made after December 31, 2012 will be posted on 2013 giving sheet.

Youth craft project needs: cardboard tubes from toilet paper or paper towel rolls. Place these in the box under the table in the tower.

Christ Church is looking for members who are interested in being a **Lay Eucharistic Minister, or a Lector.** Please contact Rev. Joye, Rev. Tar, or the church office if you are interested in helping to serve the church in this manner. Note: Bishop Benhase has stated that Lectors have the option of not vesting and can sit in the congregation during service.

Remember in your prayers: Dave Armstrong, Pat Armstrong, Joan Bailey, Mimi Bajalia, Paul Bourgos, Pat Bradley, Cheryl Critchfield, Grace & Brody Force, Gene and Pam Garner, Travis Grove, Velma Hobgood, Ramona Hoffman, Joe McCartney, Marilyn Miller, Bill Nunn, Jayne Nyhammer, Bernice Roberts, Kathy Rowan, Eloise Smith, Mark Whatley