

2015 PLEDGE CARD

Did you receive a 2015 pledge card? If so, please leave it in the offering plate. If you have not received a pledge card, please get one from an usher.

Information about your planned giving is vital in planning our ministries and finalizing the 2015 budget.

THE OUTREACH MINISTRY "ANGEL TREE"
is in the vestibule at the Divine and Layton streets entrance.



Please choose an "Angel" and deliver your wrapped gifts to the Historical Room by Sunday, December 21. Tape your "Angel" to the package.

You can also make donations to the Outreach Ministry for the Angel Tree. Mark your check or envelope, "Angel Tree."

Thank you for your support and care of children in Harnett County and beyond!

THE JOURNEY CD Great Christmas Gift!

The Journey soundtrack CDs are available for a suggested donation of \$10. Your donations will be used by the Music Ministry to offset the cost of producing *The Journey* and to host similar events. Thank you for your support.



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CHRISTMAS EVE December 24, 2014 • 6:00 PM

GATHERING • PRELUDE

*INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE "The First Noel" UMH 245

*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

MUSICAL RESPONSE "Emmanuel, Emmanuel"
UMH 264

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "O Holy Night"
Soloist, Patsy Coats

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 2:1-7

A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE "The Best Gift"
Pastor Dan Jones

SACREMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

GREAT THANKSGIVING

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

*HYMN OF LIGHT "Silent Night" UMH 239

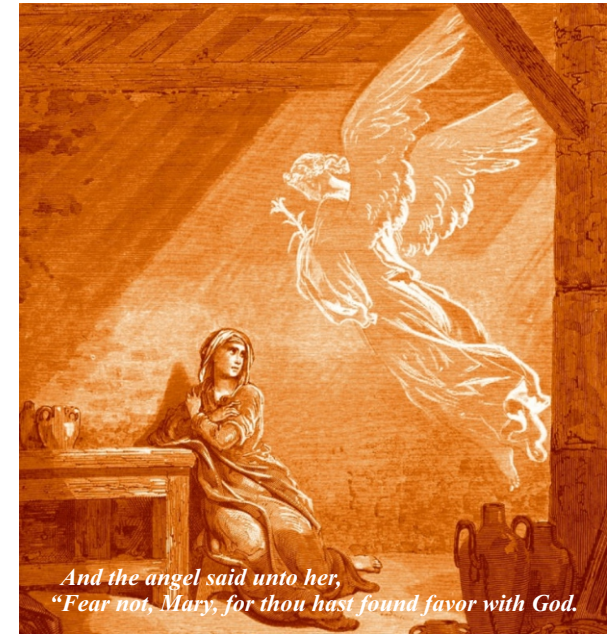
*LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Please leave the Sanctuary in quiet reflection of God's blessing for us and our world through the Infant Savior.

***PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.**

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December 21, 2014

Divine Street United Methodist Church

Dan Jones, Interim Pastor

Adrian Blue, Director of Youth and Children's Ministries

Melanie Leslie, Director of Music Ministries

Johnson Ramsaur, Interim Organist

Patti Queipo, Preschool Director

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A Place to... Belong... Believe... Become



ORDER OF WORSHIP
December 21, 2014 • 11:00 AM
Fourth Sunday of Advent

ENTRANCE

The people come together in the Lord's name.

GATHERING • CANDLE LIGHTING

PRELUDE "Listen for His Coming" Hayes

***HYMN OF PRAISE** "People, Look East" UMH 202

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Luke 1:47-55 UMH 199

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

PROCLAMATION

The Scriptures are opened to the people.

LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE

ANTHEM "Mary, Did You Know?" Greer

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Luke 1:26-38

SERMON "The Angel is Talking to You!"
 Pastor Dan Jones

RESPONSE

The people respond with acts of commitment and faith.

COMMUNITY JOYS, CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

OFFERING

Offertory "Sleeper's Wake" Bach

*Doxology UMH 95

*Dedication of the Offering

SENDING FORTH

The people are sent into ministry with the Lord's blessing.

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT**

"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" UMH 249

***BENEDICTION • EXTINGUISHING THE CANDLES**

***CHORAL RESPONSE**

***TRINITY CHIMES**

***POSTLUDE** "Toccatà Pachelbel"

†*Please sign the Fellowship Pad found at the end of each pew and pass it to your neighbor.*

**PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.*

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given to the glory of Almighty God and in honor of my wife, Frances Opperman, for our thirty-first wedding anniversary on January 7, by Larry Opperman.

SUPPORTING THE CHURCH

BY OUR PRAYERS...

Unless otherwise requested, prayer requests remain on this list for thirty days. We have an active prayer chain. If you have need for immediate prayer, please call the church office or Joanne Taylor at 910-892-7034.

Lou Allred	Ida C. Lawrence	Nancy Thomas	*****
Mary L. Blalock	Marie Leslie	Hannah Willoughby	
Chris Byrd	Janice Lever	Judie Wilkinson	
Daniel Core	Frances Opperman	Kay Wood	
Elliott Gifford	Teeny Perry		
Anne Johnson	Rochelle Pope		

BY OUR SERVICE...

ACOLYTES

December 21 Beth Cowling

December 28 Kyle Parker

ALTAR FLOWERS

December 28 Mike Ennis

January 4 Larry Opperman

ALTAR GUILD

December Joyce Draughon*, Cherry Ennis

January Joanne Taylor*, Sharon Raynor

CHILDREN'S CHURCH VOLUNTEERS

December 21 Cindy Coats

December 28 Steve Parker

FINANCE VOLUNTEERS

December 21 Barbara Bethea, Larry Opperman

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS

December 21 Huntsie Strickland

December 28 Joanne Taylor

USHERS

December Al Gower, Paul Perry

Rhett Raynor, Jim Schmidlin

January Dal Snipes, Sherrell Taylor

Blount Whiteside, Cory Wilson

February James Best, Richard Bond

Mark Brannon, Whit Brewer

YOUTH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY DINNERS

December 21 Christmas Celebration
 at the Schmidlin's

WEDNESDAY VOLUNTEERS

December 24 Christmas Eve Service

BY OUR ATTENDANCE...

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK:

Sunday School Attendance	48
Worship Attendance	149
Offering Received	\$ 5,046.83
Needed Weekly For Budget	\$ 6,133.75

CALENDAR

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>December 21</i>	<i>9:00AM</i>	<i>Chapel Prayer</i>
		<i>9:30AM</i>	<i>Courtyard Coffee/Juice</i>
		<i>9:45AM</i>	<i>Sunday School</i>
		<i>10:45AM</i>	<i>Sanctuary Music</i>
		<i>11:00AM</i>	<i>Worship Service</i>
			<i>Our nursery is staffed from 9:00AM until 12:30PM.</i>
		<i>5:00PM</i>	<i>Youth Christmas Celebration</i>
		<i>7:00PM</i>	<i>Trustees</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>December 24</i>	<i>6:00PM</i>	<i>Christmas Eve Communion</i>

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

December 6	Fay Butler	December 23	Larry Johnson
December 6	Jackson Crumpler	December 23	Nonie Roberson
December 6	Trey Leslie	December 26	Janice Medlin
December 10	Christopher Parker	December 28	Janice Lever
December 10	Kyle Parker	December 28	Mariah Rabb
December 12	Mary L. Blalock	December 28	Elizabeth Murphy
December 18	Trey Apperson	December 29	Mary Jo Rabb
December 19	Ethan Duval	December 30	Hayden Walker
December 21	Richard Bond	December 31	Ed Bateman
December 22	Gavin Tyndall		

