



**Birthdays**  
 12/01 - Ellen McGahee  
 12/16 - John Caldwell, Sr.



**Anniversaries**  
 12/31—  
 Gene & Luann Staulcup



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				Preschool 6:30am-6PM 1	Preschool 6:30am-6PM 2	3
4 "When Angels Bring The Message: <i>Gabriel &amp; Mary</i> <i>Luke 1:26-35, 38</i> Sunday Service @ 11AM	5 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	6 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	7 Preschool 6:30am-6PM Midweek Prayer & Reflection 12 (Noon) Advent Bible Study 5:15pm in Sanctuary Bible Study Choir Practice 6pm in Sanctuary	8 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	9 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	10
11 "When Angels Bring The Message: <i>An Angel of the Lord            &amp; Joseph</i> <i>Matthew 1:18-25</i> Sunday Service @ 11AM	12 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	13 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	14 Preschool 6:30am-6PM Midweek Prayer & Reflection 12:00 (Noon) Advent Bible Study 5:15pm in Sanctuary Bible Study Choir Practice 6pm in Sanctuary	15 Preschool 6:30am-6PM 9am— <b>Christ Food Pantry</b>	16 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	17
18 "When Angels Bring The Message: <i>The Angels &amp; The Shepherds</i> <i>Luke 2:14, 15-20</i> Sunday Service @ 11AM <i>Woodlawn Chancel Choir</i> Presents: "A Glorious Night" Commitment Sunday	19 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	20 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	21 Preschool 6:30am-6PM Midweek Prayer & Reflection 12:00 (Noon) Advent Bible Study 5:15pm in Sanctuary Bible Study Choir Practice 6pm in Sanctuary	22 Preschool 6:30am-12PM	23 CLOSED	24 "When Angels Bring The Message: <i>Living Nativity</i> " <i>Candlelight Communion,</i> <i>Carols, and</i> <i>Blessing of the Creche</i> <i>Christmas Eve</i> <i>Service @ 6pm</i>
25 "When Angels Bring The Message: <i>Living Word</i> " <i>John 1:1-14</i> Sunday Service @ 10AM	26 CLOSED	27 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	28 Preschool 6:30am-6PM Midweek Prayer & Reflection 12:00 (Noon) Advent Bible Study Begins 5:15pm in Sanctuary Bible Study Choir Practice 6pm in Sanctuary	29 Preschool 6:30am-6PM	30 Preschool 6:30am-12PM	31 



December 2022

Service Project: This year, Woodlawn Preschool has been asked to provide a Christmas Meal with the fixin's for two families of six in our community.

If you will be participating in this project, please let us know by email and what items you can provide. All items must be received by **THE MORNING OF DECEMBER 19th**.

The following items are needed, all food items must be unprepared:

- 2 Turkeys
- 4 Boxes of Cake Mix
- 2 Hams
- 2 Boxes w/ 4 Sticks of Butter or Margarine
- 2 Packages of Dinner Rolls
- 2 Dozen Eggs (1 Dozen Each)
- 4 Large Cans of Yams
- 4 Boxes of Stove Top Stuffing
- 4 Large Cans of Green Beans
- 2 Cans of Cranberry Sauce
- 2 Boxes of Mashed Potatoes
- 2 Pies (Your Flavor Choice)

**Winter Specials Schedule:**

- Music - Monday Mornings
- Soccer Shots - Tuesday, December 6th, will be a makeup soccer day and will not resume until after the 1st of the year.
- Movement - Wednesday Mornings
- Pre-K Computer - Thursday & Friday Mornings

**SAFETY ISSUES:** Please when entering and exiting the building, **DO NOT ALLOW** other people to enter or exit the building unless a staff member is present.

Need: We are in need of clean, plastic grocery bags for the Food Pantry and the Center.

**Seasonal Clothing:** As the weather begins to change, we ask that parents please make sure that all children have a weather-appropriate change of clothing that is properly labeled with the child's name. Please make sure that they have **AT LEAST 2** changes of clothing, as we do not have clothing to accommodate the children.

Please also make sure that your children have enough diapers and wipes each week!

**Winter Camp Care!**

If your child needs Winter Camp Care during the holiday season, please make sure you notify the office of the days that you will need! Thank you for your cooperation!

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

- Thursday - December 22nd - Woodlawn Preschool will **CLOSE @ 12 (Noon)** for the Christmas Holiday.
- Friday, December 23rd & Monday, December 26th - Woodlawn Preschool will be **CLOSED** in observance of Christmas. The center will reopen on Tuesday, December 27th.
- Friday - December 30th - Woodlawn Preschool will **CLOSE @ 12 (Noon)** for New Years Eve.
- Monday - January 2nd - Woodlawn Preschool will be **CLOSED** in observance of New Years Day. The center will reopen on Tuesday, January 3rd.
- Monday - January 16th - Woodlawn Preschool will be **CLOSED** in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. The center will reopen on Tuesday, January 17th

Please feel free to contact the office during normal business hours at

(706) 738-2546

You can also email us after hours at the emails below:

[woodlawnaugustaumc@gmail.com](mailto:woodlawnaugustaumc@gmail.com) or [cuppe4567@gmail.com](mailto:cuppe4567@gmail.com)



**New Advent Bible Study**  
Wednesdays @ 5:15pm

Explore the four angelic visits surrounding the birth of Jesus with Susan Robb in *The Angels of Christmas*, a four-week Advent study.

*The Angels of Christmas: Hearing God's Voice in Advent*, a four-week Advent study by Susan Robb, explores the four angelic visits surrounding the birth of Jesus with Zechariah, Mary, Joseph, and the shepherds. In this study, the reader will explore the visits and dive deep into the history of the angel Gabriel—and other angels—in the Old Testament. *The Angels of Christmas* uses these four angelic appearances to discuss God's presence in history and our lives today. The messages of the angels hold meaning for listeners both then and now.

**A Glorious Night**

Presented By: *The Woodlawn Chancel Choir* December 18th - 11:00am

Join the Woodlawn Chancel Choir as they bring you along for the beautiful journey of Mary as she makes her way to the Manger to birth our Messiah, the King of Kings, on *A Glorious Night!*

**Stewardship**

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another." 1 Peter 4:10

**Stewardship Commitment Sunday - December 18th @ 11:00am**

As we anticipate a new year of ministry (2023) here at Woodlawn, let us focus on how we will commit our presence, prayers, talents, and financial gifts in the New Year.

The worship service will include an opportunity for us to come forward with our Commitment Cards.

Music Ministry and the Columbia County Orchestra presents **O Come O Come EMMANUEL**

ADMIT ONE CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Friday December 16, 2022 7:00 PM

Dessert Reception Following Concert

St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church with the Columbia County Orchestra will be presenting their Annual Christmas Concert on Friday, December 16th, 2022 @ 7pm at St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church with a Dessert Reception to Follow.

Join them as they present a variety of Advent & Christmas selections that retell the events of the Christmas Story, with special orchestrations arranged by Jeremy Froebel.

Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at the door or by visiting [www.st-teresa.com](http://www.st-teresa.com).

Join as we celebrate The Preparation, and The Birth!!

# THE TIDINGS

## Woodlawn United Methodist

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**WHEN ANGELS BRING THE MESSAGE... YOU WANT TO BE HERE!!**  
**WORSHIP & SERMON SERIES, ADVENT & CHRISTMAS**

**December 4th - 2nd Sunday of Advent**  
**"When Angels Bring The Message: Gabriel & Mary"**  
**LUKE 1:26-35, 38**

**December 11th - 3rd Sunday of Advent**  
**"When Angels Bring The Message: An Angel of the Lord & Joseph"**  
**Matthew 1:18-25**

**December 18th - 4th Sunday of Advent**  
**Stewardship Commitment Sunday**  
**"When Angels Bring The Message: The Angels & The Shepherds"**  
**Luke 2:14, 15-20**

*Woodlawn Chancel Choir Presents: "A Glorious Night"*

**December 24th - Christmas Eve @ 6pm**  
**"When Angels Bring The Message: Living Nativity"**  
**Luke 19:1-10**

**December 25th - Christmas Day @ 10am**  
**"When Angels Bring The Message: Living Word"**  
**John 1:1-14**

**COME... SHARE... REJOICE!!!**  
**Grace and Peace,**  
**Pastor Sonny Mason**

"Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel."  
**- Isaiah 7:14**



Prayer Group will not be meeting until further notice. The Prayer List will be sent out weekly via email to inform everyone of the Prayer Requests. If you have any prayer requests, please contact Pastor Sonny at [bernardsmason@aol.com](mailto:bernardsmason@aol.com)

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CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE!!