

## Ministry Assistants

**December 22, 2019**

### 9:30 am Worship

#### **Greeters**

Betty Kaigler, Margarete Deloe,  
Rhonda Anderson, Karen Crawford,  
Susan and Gary Young,

#### **Connection Café Hosts**

Patty Whitmarsh, Betty Kaigler

#### **Ushers**

Chris Anderson-Captain,  
Bob Wisener, Tim Connelly,  
Tom Everett, Harold Kimball,  
Ryan Anderson, Lito Ortiz

#### **Acolytes**

Conner Strode and Collin Mattingly

#### **Lay Reader**

Carol Downs

#### **Photographer**

Bob Wisener

#### **VIP Outreach**

Carol Downs

#### **Church Nursery**

#### **Sunday School Nursery**

Rebekah McLaughlin  
Britterria Dilbert, Sarah McGalliard

#### **Children's Church**

Lisa McGalliard, Courtney Seagraves

#### **Covenant SS Greeters**

Dee Dee Seagraves, Volunteer

#### **Altar Guild**

Mac and Patty Thompson

#### **Fellowship Coffee Clean-Up:**

Crossroads (Young Adult)

#### **Pianists**

Jane Beare, Susan Ganas, Kathy Smith,  
Suzanne Woodrum

#### **Audio/Visual**

Olivia Amato, Joey Drescher  
Al Harris

## PRAYER CONCERNS

Shiver Family	Gee Family
Donna Henley	Nelson Family
Joan Herbster	Willean Bruckner
Neta Lawrence	Karen Robinson
Jean Cummings	Bob Lawrence
Jim Kaigler	Linda Cowart
Lynn Larkin	Lisa McGalliard
Carter Cummins	Eunice Cook
Ann Swenson	Maxine Harris
Lois Crossley	Al Hudgins
H.D. McDougald	Carolyn Manson
Nell Veale	Irene Wood
John Boyd	Gayle Spilliards

## On The Calendar This Week

### Sunday, December 22, 2019

9:00 am Prayer Chapel open  
9:30 am Worship Service  
10:30 am Connection Café  
10:30 am Celebration of Ministry Brunch  
(Fellowship Hall)  
11:00 am Small Group Study  
11:00 am Gateway-Savannah (Gym)

### Monday, December 23, 2019

1:00 pm Deal the Cards (Rm 21)  
4:30 pm In Spiritus (Rms 22 & 23)  
6:00 pm Dorcas Circle (Rm 21)  
8:00 pm AA Meeting (Rms 29 & 31)

### Tuesday, December 24, 2019

9:00 am Staff Meeting (Rm 20)  
4:30 pm In Spiritus (Rms 22 & 23)  
5:00 pm Christmas Eve Communion  
Service (Sanctuary)

### Wednesday, December 25, 2019

Office Closed  
**CHRISTMAS DAY**

### Thursday, December 26, 2019

Christmas -Office Closed  
8:00 pm AA Meeting (Rms 29 & 31)

### Friday, December 27, 2019

Office Closed

### Saturday, December 28, 2019

No Activity

**You are invited to join us for  
our Christmas Eve Candle  
light Communion Service.**

**Tuesday,  
December 24, 2019  
5:00 P.M.  
Sanctuary**

**DEADLINE:** Year End Contributions  
due by December 29, 2019

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### **Emergency Phone Number for Minister or Staff Member**

If you have an emergency over the  
week-end call

**Rev. Josh Duckworth  
(912) 347-7860**

### **TODAY Celebration of Ministry Brunch**

**December 22, 2019**

**10:30-11:00 A.M.**

**Fellowship Hall**

To Honor

Olivia Amato, John Boyd,  
Sarah Garcia, and  
Rodney Powers

### **2020 Leadership Retreat**

Saturday, January 11, 2020

9:30 A.M. until 2:00 P.M.

Lunch will be provided.

#### **Hosts:**

Curtis and Donna Thomson

### **Contribution Envelopes Are Available For Pick-up in the Narthex!**

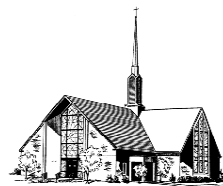
Please stop by the table in the  
Narthex to pick up your contribu-  
tion envelopes for 2020! If you do  
not currently have contribution  
envelopes and would like them for  
your giving, please leave your  
information on the form by the  
envelopes, and you will be able to  
pick up your set the next Sunday.  
if you have any questions, you can  
reach our Financial Administrator  
Malinda Smith in the church office  
on Mondays and Tuesdays or you  
can email her at  
[finance@wbumc.org](mailto:finance@wbumc.org).



### **Sanctuary Flowers**

The flowers are given  
in memory of  
Robert and Carolyn Wilson  
and Dr. A. T. Grout  
by David and Linda Wilson

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## **THE WORSHIP OF GOD December 22, 2019 Fourth Sunday of Advent**

### **RINGING OF THE TRINITY**

### **GREETING**

Rev. Josh Duckworth

### **PRELUDE**

“He Is Born, the Divine Christ Child”  
Arranged by Lyndell Leatherman

Suzanne Woodrum  
Jane Beare

### **LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH**

The Maynard Family

### **\*OPENING HYMN**

No. 230

“O Little Town of Bethlehem”  
Words by Phillips Brooks  
(Stanzas 1 thru 4)

Congregation

**PASSING of the PEACE**

The Peace of Christ be with you!  
And also with you.

**\*APOSTLES' CREED/GLORIA PATRI** No. 881 and 71

Rev. Ken Sharpe

**MORNING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER**

Please email your prayer concerns to: [prayer@wbumc.org](mailto:prayer@wbumc.org) or  
put your prayer card in the prayer box located in the Narthex or by the office.

Rev. Ken Sharpe

**THE CHILDREN'S SERMON**

Kay Williamson

**OFFERTORY HYMN**

No. 219

“What Child Is This”  
Words by William C. Dix  
(Stanzas 1 thru 3)

Congregation

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Carol Downs

**OFFERTORY**

“Mary Did You Know”

Kristi Cannon

**\*DOXOLOGY**

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Congregation

**\*SCRIPTURE READING**

Isaiah 7:10-16

**ANTHEM**

“Come and Adore Him”

The Chancel Choir

**SERMON**

“Immanuel”

Rev. Josh Duckworth

**\*THE INVITATIONAL HYMN**

No. 238

“Angels We Have Heard on High”  
Arrangement by Edward Shippen  
(Stanzas 1 thru 4)

Congregation

**\*THE BENEDICTION**

Rev. Josh Duckworth

**\*THE LIGHT OF THE CHRIST CARRIED INTO THE WORLD**

**THE POSTLUDE**

“Hark The Herald Angels Sing”  
Arranged by Fred Bock  
You are invited to be seated for the postlude

Suzanne Woodrum  
Jane Beare

**\* Those who are able, please stand.**