

# Southwestern Baptist Church

Our Church At Worship  
Sunday, December 4, 2016  
The Second Sunday Of Advent - PEACE

## MORNING WORSHIP

Call To Worship

*O Come, All Ye Faithful - # 89*

### Celebrating Advent

Opening Prayer - Pastor

Welcome And Fellowship

Fellowship Chorus - Sheila Vaught

*(Instrumental)*

Praise And Worship

*Angels We Have Heard On High - # 100*

*Go, Tell It On The Mountain - # 95*

*What Can I Give Him*

Offertory - Sheila Vaught

*(Instrumental)*

Special Music - Choir

*Carols Sing*

Message

"Getting Ready For Christmas"

Pastor

Luke 1:26-38 (NASB)

Invitation Hymn

*Just As I Am - # 307*

Benediction

Wreatha Terry, Organist

Sheila Vaught, Pianist

David Holtsclaw, Music Pastor



The SWBC Children's Choir

Will perform

Their Christmas Program

*"It All Happened In The Country"*

Tonight at 6 P.M.

In Our Sanctuary



## **Welcome To Southwestern Baptist Church**

### **JUST A REMINDER ABOUT WONDERFUL WORSHIP**

Wonderful Worship on Sunday evenings at 5 p.m. has been cancelled for December. It will resume on Sunday, January 8.

### **"I AM A CHURCH MEMBER"**

The final "I Am A Church Member" meets today (December 4) at 5 p.m.

### **SENIOR ADULT CHRISTMAS DINNER AND MUSIC GROUP**

The Senior Adult Christmas Dinner will be Saturday, December 10, at 5 p.m. in the church Fellowship Hall. Our entertainment will be "*No Name But His*," a local singing group. Contact Sam or Lesa Brumit with questions or for more info.

### **DEACONS MEETING NEXT SUNDAY (DECEMBER 11)**

The December Deacons Meeting will be at 8 a.m. on Sunday, December 11.

### **JOY! A SUITE FOR CHRISTMAS - OUR CHRISTMAS CANTATA**

Our Christmas Cantata is on Sunday, December 11, at 5 p.m. at Skyline Heights. PLEASE BE SURE TO BRING A FINGER FOOD FOR THE RECEPTION AFTER THE CANTATA. You may take your food to Skyline Heights Baptist Fellowship Hall upon arriving for the cantata.

### **SHEPHERDS PASTURE PRESCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**

Join us for the Shepherd's Pasture Christmas Program on Wednesday, Dec. 14, at 7 p.m. in our Sanctuary. Enjoy delightful songs with the children.

### **YOU MAY PURCHASE A BEAUTIFUL POINSETTIA**

If you would like to place a Poinsettia in our church in memory, honor, or appreciation of someone during this Christmas season, please fill out a form and envelope (available at the Welcome Center) and return it along with \$11.25 per plant by Wednesday, December 14. Please mark your check Poinsettia.

### **CHRISTMAS CAROLING AND VISIT SIGN-UP**

On Saturday, December 17, at 6 p.m. a Christmas carol singing group from Southwestern Baptist Church will visit shut-ins, those who cannot easily attend our worship services, or someone you know who would enjoy some extra holiday cheer. If you know of anyone who would enjoy our visit and carol singing, please sign them up at the Welcome Center. Include address and contact number of these individuals if you can. Let David Holtsclaw know if you would like to sing and visit with them or with any other questions.

### **SWBC CONGREGATIONAL SINGING AND DEACONS / WIVES RECEPTION**

If you wish to sing or perform at our congregational singing on December 18, at 6 p.m., please sign up at the welcome desk. Join us after the singing for a reception in Fellowship Hall sponsored by our church deacons and their wives. PLEASE BRING YOUR FAVORITE FINGER FOOD TO OUR RECEPTION.

### **CHURCH STAFF CHRISTMAS LOVE OFFERING**

If you would like to make a contribution to the Christmas staff love offering, mark your check "Church Staff Christmas Gifts" and drop it into the offering plate. Envelopes are available at the Welcome Center.

### **THE LOTTIE MOON POST OFFICE IS NOW ACCEPTING "MAIL"**

Our annual Lottie Moon Post Office is now open. You may "mail" Christmas cards to others in our church for just ten cents per card. Specially marked "Lottie Moon Post Office" envelopes are available at the post office for your card donations. All card proceeds go to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Our church goal for 2016 Lottie Moon Offering is \$6,500. PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK EACH WEEK FOR "MAIL" IN YOUR MAILBOX.

### **LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING WEEK OF PRAYER**

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Week Of Prayer is from Sunday, December 4 thru Sunday, December 11 of 2016. Lottie Moon pamphlets are available at the mailbox area. For more info visit [www.imb.org](http://www.imb.org).

### **DEVASTATING FIRE RIPPED THRU GATLINBURG! HOW CAN YOU HELP?**

Anyone who would like to make a donation to help those affected by the Gatlinburg fire can contribute to **Tennessee Baptist Disaster Relief** through the church. Please make checks payable to Southwestern Baptist Church and write "**FIRE**" on the envelope. Cards and letters of encouragement are being posted for all to see at **Ripley's Aquarium**. We encourage everyone to write something to encourage those who are suffering. You may send them to: **Ripley's Aquarium of the Smokies, 88 River Road, Gatlinburg, TN 37738.**

**ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK**  
**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4**  
**SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

9:30 Sunday School  
10:45 Morning Worship  
4:00 Puppet Ministry  
5:00 TeamKids (Pre K - K)  
5:00 Discipleship Training  
5:00 "I Am A Church Member"  
6:00 Kids Choir Christmas  
7:00 Adult Choir Rehearsal

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7**

6:00 Children's Choir  
7:00 Youth Activities  
7:00 MFs, GAs, RAs  
7:00 Prayer Meeting

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10**

5:00 Senior Adult Christmas (FH)

**COUNTERS**

December 4.....D. McNees / J. Ferrell  
December 11...R. Crummer / G. Crowder

**DEACON OF THE WEEK**

December 4 .....Jim Vaught  
December 11.....Tom Taylor

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

December.....Rebecca Potter

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH HELPER**

December 4.....Mackenzie Turman  
December 11.....Samantha Taylor

**- CHURCH INFO -**

Southwestern Baptist Church  
1112 Cherokee Road  
Johnson City, TN 37604  
Church Office: 423-928-5521

**- CHURCH STAFF -**

Pastor, Greg Salyer  
Youth / College, Halston Brooks  
Music Pastor, David Holtsclaw  
Children's Ministries, Rebecca Potter  
Administrative Assis't, Liz Henderson

## BUDGET NEEDS & RECEIPTS

NOVEMBER 27, 2016

Budget Receipts .....\$5,402.80  
Budget Needs .....\$7,652.60  
Difference..... (\$2,249.80)

## DESIGNATED RECEIPTS

NOVEMBER 27, 2016

Poinsettias: \$112.50  
Staff Christmas Offering: \$325.00  
Christmas Shoeboxes: \$99.00  
J. S. Food Pantry: \$150.00  
Pavilion: \$5,000.00  
Office Supplies: \$45.00  
Deacon Benevolence: \$100.00  
Lottie Moon Offering: \$200.00

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## EXTENDED SESSION

### - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4 -

**10:45 – Babies - 1-Year-Olds**

*Lesa Brumit, Rebekah Salyer*

**10:45 – Babies - 1 ½ - 2-Year-Olds**

*Terri Dugger, Hannah Salyer*

**10:45 – 3-Year-Olds - 5-Year-Olds**

*Katina Bowman, Jim Miller*

*AM FLOATER: Worker Needed*

**6:00 – Babies - 2-Year-Olds**

*Kylee Ferrell, Natalie Brooks*

**6:00 – 3 Year-Olds - 5-Year-Olds**

*Ryan Rosier, Worker Needed*

*PM FLOATER: Worker Needed*

### - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 -

**10:45 – Babies - 1-Year-Olds**

*Evelyn Salyer, Kami Ferrell*

**10:45 – Babies - 1 ½ - 2-Year-Olds**

*Casey Ferrell, Verna Miller*

**10:45 – 3-Year-Olds - 5-Year-Olds**

*Tony Sparks, Myra Holtsclaw*

*AM FLOATER: Worker Needed*

**All afternoon and evening activities  
and service are cancelled tonight!**

**Join us at Skyline Heights Baptist for  
our Christmas Cantata at 5 p.m.**