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December 15, 2016

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New Year's Breakfast and Worship

Sunday, January 1

Biscuit/Doughnut Breakfast, 9:00am

In the Senior Adult Building

Worship Service, 10:00am

No Sunday School or child care.

Casual dress is appropriate.

No evening service or activities.

Call the office to sign up.
246-1921.

The Friendship Group Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, December 20, 11:00am

"Coming Back Home for Christmas"

By: Tony Vinskus, Don Knight,
Kyle Batson

Menu: Ham, Macaroni and Cheese,
Green Beans, Red Velvet Cake

Cost: \$5

Call the church office for reservations
by Thursday, December 15.

This Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church

10:30am

Message by Dr. Chad Rickenbaker

and

Christmas Under the Tree

We invite our kids to join us on stage for a time of singing, sharing the Christmas story, and hearing some of your Christmas wishes!

Nursery care will be provided for birth-3 year olds after they sing.

6:00pm

Evening Worship

Christmas Day Worship Service

Sunday, December 25

10:30am

No Sunday School or child care.

No evening service.



Christmas Eve

Communion & Prayer Services

6:00pm and 11:15pm

Lottie Moon Offering for International Missions

Our Goal: \$20,000

Received: \$6,266.75

Office Closed

The church office will be closed December 26-30. Our staff will be checking voice mail and emails during this time. If you have an emergency, please contact one of our staff members at home. We will be in the office for a few hours on Tuesday morning.

Be A Hope-Giver

During this Christmas season, when you are shopping or eating out, would you give a server, a cashier, a Salvation Army bell ringer, or a weary customer service representative a BFBC prayer card? Assure them you will be praying for them, and even get their name and how you could pray if there is opportunity. Who knows...God may use your act of kindness to be a message of hope they desperately need for that day...even their life. Let's be hope-givers with our prayers this Christmas! The prayer cards are in a the Welcome Center and across from Robbie's office.

Student Ministry

Students are going to Heartland on Sunday, December 18. Meet at the Crosswalk at 9am. We will return in time for the 10:30 service.

Financial Report

Sunday, December 11, 2016

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,291,427.97
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 12-11.....\$25,029.25
Legacy Gifts.....\$1,087.00
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$13,458.15
Total Deposit.....\$39,574.40

Attendance

Year End Gifts to the church must be received in the church office or post-marked by December 31 in order to be credited to your 2016 contribution statement.

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to Sandy Jordan in the death of her father, Clyde Taylor.

Opportunities

SUNDAY

9:30am Sunday School
10:30am Morning Worship Service
6:00pm Evening Worship Service

WEDNESDAY

6:30pm Prayer Service

THURSDAY

7:00am Men's Prayer Group

Wednesday Night Schedule

December 21

Prayer Service only at 6:30

December 28

No Service or Activities

January 4

We will resume our regular schedule for supper, choirs, mission organizations.

"What A Glorious Night!"



Thank you to all who contributed to our Christmas presentation of "What a Glorious Night!" It was such a fantastic weekend of worship and we are thankful for the great opportunity we had to present the gospel to our community! We appreciate everyone who gave their time, talents, and energy to make this presentation a success for God's glory and it's a privilege and pleasure to serve with all of you.

Merry Christmas!
Trevor Coleman

Memorial Gifts

Gifts have been given in memory of:

Roy Hall by:

Robbie Batson

Jim Brockman by:

Catherine Brockman

A gift has been given in honor of Cheryl Taylor by the Mary Sunday School Class.

Decoration Memorial Gifts

You may give a \$12 donation "in honor" or "in memory" of a loved one. Through these donations we are able to refurbish many of our decorations. These gifts will be listed in a special edition of "Reflections." **The deadline to make a donation is this Sunday.**

In Need of Prayer?

- Complete the Pew Prayer Request forms and place in offering plate.
- Call (864) 246-9182, ext. 1 and leave a message.
- Email to prayerrequest@bereafbc.org

December Mission Project

Toys for the Reaching Center
and Angel Tree