

*Find your Place at Lewis Chapel!
Opportunities to Worship and Serve...*

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Worship 10:15 a.m.
M&M's 5:00 p.m.
Youth 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY

Choir Practice 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Intercessory Prayer 6:00 p.m.
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

MONTHLY

Men's Club: 2nd Thursday 7:00 p.m.
Ladies' Lady Bug Circle: Last Monday 6:30 p.m.

Flower Ministry:

Today: Diane and Ronnie Smith
Dec 8: David and Debbie Trask
Dec 15: Open

Nursery:

Today: Mary Madilyn Stanfield and Mitsy S.
Dec 8: Lauren McLeod and Mitsy Scott
Dec 15: Khali Grubbs and Mitsy Scott

Children's Church:

Today: Communion/ No CC
Dec 8: April Allen
Dec 15: Debbie Trask

Acolyte:

Today: Charleston Sandifer and Callie Watts
Dec 8: John Riley Watts
Dec 15: Callie Watts

Prayer Requests...

Family of Lib Prescott

Family of Stewart Morrison

Herman Muldrow Deborah Frierson
Billy Prescott Bob Boyce
Jackson Campbell Deanna Henderson
Bay Quick Bobby Sandifer
Sawyer Edge Emily & Zack Byrd
Mike & Whitney Wilson Charles Burns
Don Brunson Brent Vining
Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Brunson Charlie Raines
Meredith, Tyler, Easton, and Baby Nobles
The MYF and Youth and their leaders
Our Nation and Military and Our World
Israel and Ukraine
The Storm Victims (Helene and Milton)
First Responders Law Enforcement
Fire and Rescue Doctors and Nurses
Lewis Chapel and upcoming events

Military:

Blake Stegner Caleb Elms
Carter Elms Justin Yelton
Justin Anderson

Homebound:

Tona Chandler

In-Facilities:

Ronnie Burns- NHC Dot Boykin- NHC
Linda Elms Bobby Rogers
Lib Stewart Ray Scott
Carl Saunders-CP William Herbert
Mary Lucille Riley-CP

The Lord's Day Sunday December 1, 2024 First Sunday of Advent

*"...This Jesus,
who has been taken up
from you into heaven,
will come in the same way
as you saw him go into heaven."
Act 1: 11*



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Order of Worship

Prelude and Lighting of the Candles

*Call to Worship: *Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus*
Welcome

*Song of Praise: *Angels We Have Heard on High*

Passing of the Peace

Announcements

Congregational Joys and Concerns

*Pastoral Prayer

*The Lord's Prayer

*Affirmation of Faith

*Gloria Patri

Children's Message/Lighting of Advent Candle *Hope*

*Song of Preparation: *Here I Am to Worship/Away in a Manger*

Scripture: Isaiah 7:14; Acts 1:9-11

Sermon: "Prophecy of Patience!?!?!"

Celebration of Holy Communion

Time at the Altar and Silent Prayer

Offering

*Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

*Song of Praise: *King of Kings*

*Benediction and Choral Response

Postlude

*Congregation standing

Announcements

Flower Ministry: The flowers in the church today are given by Ronnie and Diane Smith in memory of their grandson, Duncan Thigpen. Thank you for the beauty they add to the Lord's house today.

M&Ms: Will meet today at the Parsonage 5-7 pm.

Lady Bug Circle: Annual Christmas Supper on Tuesday, Dec 10th at 6:30 p.m. beginning at the home of Sherry Thompson and ending at the home of Whitney Wilson.

Reminder to All members for the dinner:

- 1) Bring an ornament for the ornament exchange
- 2) Secret Prayer Partners will be revealed. Prayer Partners who cannot attend can give their gifts to Whitney or Darlene beforehand and they will make sure they are delivered.

Men's Club: Thursday, Dec 12th @ 7 pm in the BBH.

Upcoming Christmas Events:

Sunday, Dec 15: Christmas Drop in at the Parsonage

Sunday, Dec 15: Adult Choir Cantata 6 pm

Sunday, Dec 22: M&Ms Program 10:15am