

We believe the Bible is the Word of God and the only perfect rule for faith, doctrine, and conduct.

We believe in the necessity of the New Birth, and a continuing life in fellowship with our Living Lord, Jesus Christ.

We believe we "are blessed to be a blessing." We seek to **BLESS** others as we:

- Begin with prayer,
- Listen with care,
- Eat together,
- Serve with love, and
- Share our story.

**Christmas Decorating:** We would love to have you help us decorate our church for Christmas immediately after today's worship service. Lunch (provided) will follow.

**You are invited** to our Advent Wednesday Evening Dinners: December 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 18<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 pm. Supper (provided) will be followed by a devotional and prayer.

**Christmas Program: Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup>:** You are invited to attend our Christmas program next Sunday at 11:00 am. Refreshments will follow.

**Young-at-Heart** will meet on Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 am. Please bring a grab gift (wrapped, but no tag) worth no more than \$5.00 for our "Yankee Swap." A signup sheet for lunch at the Senior Center is in the narthex.

**Please bring your "Giving Tree" gifts to church by Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, with the "ornament" attached.**  
Thank you!

**Our Christmas Open House** will be at the Parsonage on Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>, beginning at 4:00 pm.

**Thanks to Women Ministries** for last Sunday's wonderful "Praise & Pie." Thanks to all of you who baked the delicious pies.



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long expected  
JESUS

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