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Announcements & Events



CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2014

5:30 P.M.

*A message by Mr. Johnson,
a children's story-sermon by Mr. Parrish,
and candlelight carol singing on the lawn.*



JOIN US FOR

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2014

AT 11:00 A.M. AND 5:30 P.M.

Messages by Mr. Johnson

*Our Family Fellowship Supper will follow
the evening service on the 21st.*



*Our Family Fellowship Supper will not
be served after the evening services
on December 28 and January 4, 2015.*



THE WEDNESDAY NOON SERVICES

WILL NOT MEET ON

DECEMBER 24 OR DECEMBER 31.

College Christmas Party

Come and reconnect with all the other college students on Friday, December 19, 6:30 p.m., for our College Christmas Party. It will be held at Charlie and Amy Martin's home, 1304 Walthour Road. Please R.S.V.P. by emailing Amy at amartin@ipcsav.org or call her at 897-2214.

Agape S.S. Class Post-Christmas Party

The Agape Sunday School Class will have their post-Christmas party on Friday, January 16, 6:00 p.m. at Point Pleasant. Please bring an appetizer or dessert.

Annual Reports

Summary narratives for our Annual Report are due now from committee chairmen, church staff, and the WOC President. Please submit them as soon as possible. Electronic submissions are welcome. Please send them to mtaylor@ipcsav.org.

Commitment Update

As of Monday, December 15, we have received 133 commitment cards totaling \$1,327,721 for the year of 2015.

You may mail your commitment card to the church office or place it in the offering plate through the month of December. Additional cards are available in the church office.

Reminder

All monies for 2014 need to be in the church office by Wednesday, December 31.

Civic Center Parking

The Civic Center Parking Lot is **open** this Sunday, December 21, in the morning. It is unavailable in the PM.

Church Office Closed

The Church office will be closed on Wednesday and Thursday, December 24 & 25 in observance of Christmas. It will reopen on Friday, December 26, at 8:30 a.m. and close at noon.

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For Prayer & Participation December 22-27

Tues, Dec. 23	6:30 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Olmstead Hall
	9:00 a.m.	Church Staff Meeting, Admin. Bldg., upstairs
	11:30 a.m.	Pastoral Staff Meeting, Admin. Bldg.
	6:30 p.m.	Garmer Tuesday Night Bible Study resumes on January 6
Wed, Dec. 24		Church Office closed for the Christmas holiday
	5:30 p.m.	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, sanctuary
Thurs, Dec. 25		Church office closed in observance of Christ's birth
Fri, Dec. 26		Church Office will close at noon
Fri, Dec. 26 -Jan. 3		Peru Day Camp Mission Trip to Trujillo

Meal Menu

Sunday, December 21, 2014

Lasagna
French Bread w/Pimento Cheese
Fruit Salad
Garden Salad
Peanut Butter Swirl Brownies

MORNING SERVICE

"What Jesus Came to Do"

Matthew 1:18-24; 5:17-20

Mr. Johnson

EVENING SERVICE

"The Mercy and Grace of God"

Ephesians 2:1-10

Mr. Johnson

Coming Events

Dec. 19	College Christmas Party at the Martins' home, 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 24	Christmas Eve Service, 5:30 p.m.
Dec. 24-25	Church Office closed
Dec. 26-Jan. 3	Peru Day Camp Mission Trip to Trujillo
Jan. 4	The Lord's Supper, AM Service
Jan. 10	Officers' Retreat, Whitaker Bldg., 8:30 a.m.
Jan. 16	Agape Post-Christmas Party, Point Pleasant, 6:00 p.m.
Jan. 17	WOC New Members' Brunch, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Mitchell, 133 East 50 th Street, 9:00 a.m.

Assisting Us in Worship - December 21

GREETERS

FRONT DOOR	Elder & Mrs. D. Gobel
NORTH SIDE	E. Robyn
CENTER AISLE	F. Daniell
SOUTH SIDE	D. Boatright
WOC Greeter	L. Helmly

SUNDAY SCHOOL

GREETER

ELDER..... G. Brunson

USHERS

CHAIRMAN	R. Rambo
FRONT DOOR	D. Goeser
INNER DOOR	W. Oliver
CENTER AISLE	A. Brown & C. Suttlive
LEFT AISLE	M. Biemiller
RIGHT AISLE	P. Brodmann
BALCONY1	S. Jackson
SECURITY/BAL2 ..	T. MacMillan & S. Murray
AM AUDIO	R. Hinely
PM AUDIO	P. McLean
EVENINGS	F. Orellana & J. VanGrouw

SUPPER SET UP & CLEAN UP

Care Group #7	(Martin)
Deacons:	D. Goeser J. Rigby R. Thompson

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

WORKER: K. Lanier

READ-A-LOUD:

7:00 p.m. B. Van Grouw

SUNDAY HYMNS

AM: #203 "Hark! the Herald
Angels Sing"
Psalm 72:1-12
#211 "God Rest Ye
Merry, Gentlemen"

PM: "The First Noel"
Psalm 98:5-9
#193 "Let All Mortal Flesh
Keep Silence"
#201 "O Little Town of
Bethlehem"