



THE INN-FORMER

November 22, 2017



PRAYER CONCERNS



Becky Brewer

Ryan Conti (his mother)

Tony Hannon (his father)

Lorraine Paxton (her mother)

Jimmy Rambo (his mother)

Tracy Ricard (his mother)

Bill Tumblin

ONGOING CONCERNS

Jane Bailey (her father)

Lib Fowler

Sara Fowler

Edna Trip

Diana and Dick Wilson

RESIDENTIAL CARE

Dr. Alan Elmore (Daniel's father)

Elsie Goerke

Cassie Wolfe (her mother)



Wes Looney



(Son of Revonda & Jimmy Looney, grandson of Sara Looney & nephew of Marthie Snow) ~ stationed in San Diego, CA

Sullivan Mayfield



(Son of Shea & Charlie Mayfield, brother of Rebekah & Torre Mayfield) ~ stationed in Japan



NOVEMBER 26 ~ THORNWELL THANKSGIVING OFFERING

The deadline to receive donations for the Thornwell Thanksgiving Offering is Sunday, November 26th, and may be done through the church office or by placing your check into the offering plate with notation of "Thornwell Offering".



CHRIST-GIVING ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS MARKET

Even though the actual Christ-Giving Market was this past Sunday, November 19th, if you wish to make purchases, you may do so through the church office but, the last date donations may be received is

December 17th. Holiday purchases can be made to assist the following agencies:

Backpack Blessings

Center for Community Services (formerly Golden Strip Emergency Relief and Resources)

Ellis Mayfield Foundation

FIPC Youth Missions

James Monroe Mission House

Meals on Wheels

Medical Missions

Rise Against Hunger

Safe Harbor

Thornwell Home for Children



Serving FIPC ~ November 26

Ring the Hour ~ Parker Stone

Acolyte ~ William Harshbarger

Children's Usher ~ Claire Johnson

Ushers ~ Stephen Harshbarger (head usher), Bill Bell, Phil Clemmer, Maddie Williams

Elders at the Door/Member Care Team ~ Sommer Johnson & Becky Loe

Nursery ~ Jenny Harshbarger, Brianna Buxton



ANNUAL YOUTH MISSION GREENERY FUNDRAISER

The Youth will once again be offering Fresh Fraser Fir Trees and Greenery for the Christmas season. Vouchers will be available if you prefer to select your own tree from one of three local Granddaddy's Trees lots OR the youth will gladly deliver your order on either November 26th or December 2nd. Order forms are available outside the parlor. If you have any questions, please contact Shannon Weinel at weinel3059@gmail.com or [864-350-4678](tel:864-350-4678). Thank you for your support of Youth Missions!



NOVEMBER 26TH ~ POINSETTIA DECORATIONS

Poinsettias will be purchased to beautify our Sanctuary for Advent. Those wishing to give poinsettias in honor or in memory of loved ones may make a donation of \$30 toward this purchase. Names of givers and those honored will be listed in the December 3rd bulletin. Forms are available in the weekly bulletin or church office. Please complete the forms, place in offering plate or turn-in at the church office along with your donation before **November 26th deadline.**



NOVEMBER 26 ~ COLLEGE EXAM AND MILITARY CARE PACKAGES

The youth will be assembling College Exam packs and Military Care packages on November 26th. Collection bins will be in the Narthex beginning November 11th & 19th. Show your support for these young people by sending notes of encouragement and special treats. Those to receive college exam packages are: Alice Bailey, Justin Cochrane, MacLaine Conti, Peyton Conti, Donovan Dowd, Blaire Gibson, Brian Hanning, Grant Lawter, Carrie McGeachie, Rebekah Mayfield, Stash Sierputowski, Jessica Simons, Reid Weinel, Sarah Colvin, Catherine Jones, and Margaret Taylor. Our sailors are Dalton Baynes, Weston Looney and Sullivan Mayfield.



DECEMBER 3 ~ ADVENT FESTIVAL WORKSHOP

OUR FAMILY ADVENT FESTIVAL is December 3rd immediately following worship in the CFC. A wonderful Southern lunch will be furnished. We request that you please bring a dessert to share after our meal! We will begin celebrating our Advent Season with a happy time for ALL AGES who will participate in special crafts and mission projects! Watch for details soon!!!



DECEMBER 5TH

UNWRAPPED CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR PRESBYTERIAN COMMUNITIES OF CLINTON

The Presbyterian Women are collecting unwrapped Christmas gifts for residents of the Presbyterian Communities in Clinton. Suggested donations: postage stamps, post-it-notes, stationery, large-print paperback books/word puzzle books, pens, pencils, '18 calendars, small umbrellas, handkerchiefs, shower caps, hairbrushes/combs, lipstick, nail-care products, small hand towels, soap, flashlights, lotions, boxes of all-occasion cards, dental products. Please place your donations into the marked bin in the Fellowship Hall by December 5th.



Out of consideration for the upcoming holidays, there will be NO monthly Men's Breakfast for the months of November and December but will resume their 4th Sunday schedule in January.



DECEMBER 6TH ~ FOUNTAIN INN CHRISTMAS PARADE

Fountain Inn Christmas Parade will be on Wednesday, December 6th.

Parade Start: 5 pm

FIPC Float: Plan to arrive between 4-4:30 pm for your children to ride the float, and to get dressed in our Nativity costumes.

Where: Children to meet Upstairs in the children's SS classroom - to get dressed for the float

After the Parade: We are usually back at the church around 6 pm. Those who participate in parade, parents and members are welcome to attend the Youth Mission Dinner that evening for everyone to enjoy immediately following the parade. Please note the meal will be held in the Fellowship Hall; not CFC.

RSVP: Please send me an RSVP if your child can attend and will be riding on our float. We need to plan costumes. Please reach out with any questions ~ Sommer Johnson (864) 633-7127



UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

NOVEMBER 23 ~ COMMUNITY-SPONSORED FEAST FOR ALL

NOVEMBER 26 ~ COMMUNION SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 26 ~ FINAL DAY TO RECEIVE OFFERING FOR THORNWELL HOME FOR CHILDREN

DECEMBER 3 ~ ADVENT WORKSHOP

**DECEMBER 6 ~ FOUNTAIN INN CHRISTMAS PARADE & PYC SOUP and SANDWICH DINNER FOR EVERYONE
FOLLOWING THE PARADE**

DECEMBER 17 ~ FINAL DAY TO RECEIVE CHRIST-GIVING MARKET PURCHASES

DECEMBER 17 ~ ANNUAL JOY GIFT WILL BE RECEIVED DURING WORSHIP

DECEMBER 24: REGULARLY SCHEDULED SUNDAY SCHOOL AND 11:00 WORSHIP

DECEMBER 24 ~ CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICES:

- **5:30 P.M. ~ NATIVITY AND COMMUNION**
- **11:00 P.M. ~ WORSHIP SERVICE AND COMMUNION**