

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hymn 538..... My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less
Hymn Firm Foundation
Welcome and Family News..... Wayne Massey
Opening Prayer..... Caroline Smith
Installation of Ben Ries
Welcome of the Ries Family
Hymn 703, v. 1 We Love You with the Love of the Lord

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Hymn God Who Comes to Save
Communion Meditation..... LeRoy Wilson
Taking of the Bread
Taking of the Cup
The Collection
Hymn 996, vs. 1, 4..... O Little Town of Bethlehem

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Children's Blessing..... Martin Doyle
Afterward, children ages 3-2nd grade are dismissed for Kids Worship
Scripture: Luke 1:46-55..... Eli Jared
Hymn Magnificat
Sermon..... Ben Ries
'A Song of New Hope'
Hymn 1006, vs. 1, 2 To Us a Child of Hope Is Born

GOING FORTH

Hymn 1018 Joy to the World
Benediction

Song Leader: Tim Russell

Adults

Preparing for Christ: A Study of Advent
Classes are combined in the Fellowship Hall
this morning. We will explore the tradition
and practice of Advent together in this series
through December 17.

Events

Men's Bible Study and Breakfast Every
Tuesday, 7-8am at Biscuitville. —Tim Wood

Wednesday Evening Catered meal at 6pm.
Sign up on your attendance slip if you plan to
attend, or contact the church office by Tuesday
morning. First time visitors, college and grad
students eat free. After dinner: Bible class Bi-
omedical Science and Faith, Worship Commit-
tee Meeting, prayer group, fellowship, and
song team practice at 7:30pm.

Help Needed with Families Moving Forward
Our next opportunity to serve FMF is this
Wednesday, December 13, with cooking, serv-
ing, cleaning, and providing childcare and/or
crafts. To sign-up, contact Caroline Smith or
via her email sent November 30.

Infants through Age 3

Nursery/Toddler Room beside the Worship
Center lobby

Age 3-5th Grade

Children's Wing of the Education Building

6th-12th Grade

Youth Room between the Education and
Latino Buildings

Senior Saints Gathering Saturday, Decem-
ber 16 at 11am in the Fellowship Hall. Bring
a \$5 gift for a fun gift exchange. We will en-
joy a light lunch afterward, so please respond
on your attendance slip if you plan to attend.

Caroling All are invited to come caroling at
Brookshire Senior Living in Hillsborough on
Saturday, December 16, meeting there at
5:50pm. —Tim and Priscilla Russell

Youth Progressive Dinner Sunday, Decem-
ber 17 at 4:30pm. Meet at church to travel
around Durham for a fun evening. Bring a
cheap gag gift for a silly gift exchange.

We are glad that you have joined
us for worship. Please complete
the following information and
place it in the offering plate.

Last name _____

First name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Guest of _____

Care Group # Visiting _____

Coming to Wed. Meal _____

Please check any that apply:
___ New in the community.
___ Looking for a church home.
___ Interested in Bible Study.
___ Would like to visit with an
elder. The best time to call is

I would like information on:
___ The ministries of this church.
___ How to begin a relationship
with God.
___ How to become a member of
this church.

Prayer request or comment:

Announcements

Welcome to the Ries Family Ben is back
and he has brought his family with him—Jen,
Emma, Aiden, and Izzy. Ben will preach for
us this morning, and the family will be with
us for the Christmas Gathering this evening.
We welcome them and look forward to the
time when they will be with us for good.

Thank You A card from Puerto Rico for
hurricane relief is posted on the foyer bulle-
tin board.

Kids Praise Today Only Kids Praise Jr will
be held today for 3yo-Kindergarten.

Calling All Cooks for Wednesday catered
meals in 2018. Sign up on the church website
under Church Life then Wednesday Night
Meals. Questions? Contact Carol Garth or
Anita Holton.

Elder-on-Call This Week (Sunday-Saturday)
Contact Wayne Massey with any concerns,
needs for prayer, or any other way he can be
a source of support and pastoral care.

Christmas Gathering

Today at 5pm

The choir participants have been practicing hard
for a wonderful performance this evening!
Afterward, we'll enjoy fellowship and potluck finger-foods.
Please bring two food items to share.
Invite your friends!



Members 12/10/17

Please complete the following information so that you are recorded as being present.

Last name _____

First name(s) present

All family is present except

New address/email/phone

Coming to Wed. Meal _____

Sr Saints Gathering _____

Prayer request, family news, comment:

Please check any that apply:

____ Share my request above with the elders only.

____ Share my request above with members of our prayer ministry.

____ List my request in the bulletin.

____ Would like to talk with an elder. The best time to call is

Care Groups

Care Groups are our congregation's way for members to get to know each other and care for each other on an on-going basis. If you are a visitor, you are encouraged to attend a Care Group function; ask any member how to do so.

December Fellowship Hosts: CG1 (Doyle, Reeser)

Volunteers

Building Lockup	December 10	Anita Holton
	December 17	Carrie Doyle
Communion Prep	December 10	Beverly DuBois
	December 17	Carol Garth
Flower Providers	December 10	Bethany Gray
	December 17	Edna Carden
Greeters	December 10	Hannah Smith
	December 17	Phil Sweigart
	December 17	Eli Jared
	December 17	John Morley
Kids Praise Jr (3y-K)	December 10	Laura Clay
	December 17	Carl Lafferty
	December 17	Marilyn Allen
	December 17	Christy Blazer
	December 17	Ava Jared
Kids Praise (Gr.1-2)	December 17	Donnie/Sharon Hilliard
Nursery Infants	December 10	9:15 Haley Dansby
		Heather Jared
Toddlers		9:15 Jane Campbell
		Chris Nelson
Combined		10:45 Natalie Beyer
		Cristian Collado
Infants	December 17	9:15 Cathy Jones
		Jo Wall
Toddlers		9:15 Adam Beyer
		Heather Nelson
Combined		10:45 Natalie Beyer
		Edna Carden
Ushers	December 10	Dene Haugland
		Sam Wilson
	December 17	Martez Green
		Gail McCormick

Contribution		Attendance	December 3
December 3	\$3,791	English Worship	121
<i>Monthly finance summaries are posted in the foyer.</i>			
		Latino Worship	31
		Prison	36

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Sunday	Janice Massey
Monday	Isaac Reeser
Tuesday	Carrie Doyle
	Adan Gutierrez
	Deloris Ransom
	Olivia Strong
Friday	Jane Campbell
	Tim Wood
	Ben & Beth Weast
Saturday	Chris Nelson
	Nathan & Bethany Gray

Daily Bible Readings

Sunday	John 16:25-33
Monday	John 17:20-23
Tuesday	John 17:20-26
Wednesday	John 20:1-18
Thursday	Romans 8:28-39
Friday	Romans 8:35-39
Saturday	1 Corinthians 10:6-13

The verses above follow along with the publication "Power for Today."

Foreign Missions

Argentina	Jane C. de Galeppi
Honduras	Moises Chino
Russia	Igor Egirev
	Luidmila Klimanova
	Joel Petty
	Konstantin Zhigulin
Swaziland	Brad Carter

Latino Congregation

Minister	Jorge Aguilera
Deacons	Jorge Aguilera
	Jose Ramos
	Miguel Teruel
Finance	Jose Ramos
	Elsa Teruel

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"Joy in the Journey"

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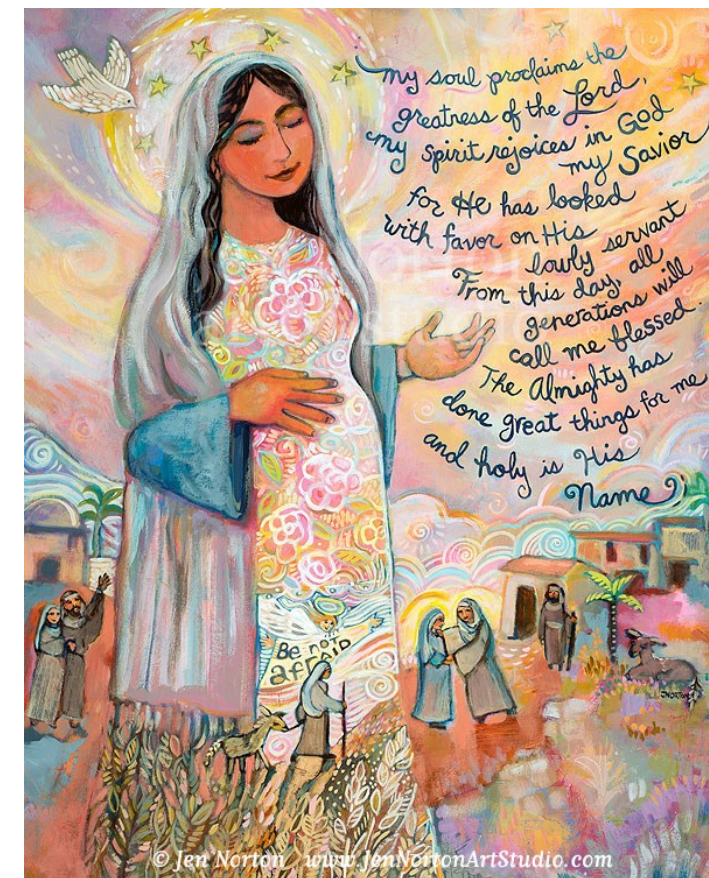
Minister of Youth & Families
Sharon Hilliard

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Isaac Reeser

Church Secretary
Pam Dolejs

Elders
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Neil Clay
Dene Haugland
Charles Holton
Carl Lafferty
Wayne Massey
Tim Wood

Ministry Leaders
Pat Daggett, Jonathan Dansby
Adult Education
Carl Foster
Building and Grounds
Carrie Doyle, Bethany Gray
Care Groups
Luke and Caroline Smith
Community Service
Anita Holton
Fellowship
John and Carol Shoun
Finance
Vadim and Emily Kochetkov
Foreign Missions
Tim Russell
Outreach



Welcome

If you are a visitor, we are glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. Please complete the perforated guest card from this bulletin and place it in the collection plate when passed. If you are new to Churches of Christ, the white pamphlet on the round foyer table will help you know what to expect in our worship service. If you would like a new Bible, please take one from the pew as a gift from us.

An attended nursery is available during worship for children under three years old. Please ask an usher for directions.

Cell phones and other electronic devices should be silenced during worship. Thanks!

Hearing assistance devices are available; ask an usher.