



Boulevard Presbyterian Church

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Good News

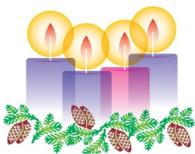
December 2017

Christmas Worship Schedule

Sunday, December 24

4th Sunday of Advent

One Morning Service at 10:00 AM



Celebrate the last Sunday of Advent in the morning. Prepare with hymns and scriptures for the birth of Jesus who comes to save us all.

**Family Christmas Eve Service
at 5:30 PM**

Our family Christmas Eve service will be held at 5:30 PM in the sanctuary. This service will feature a worship experience where the whole family is invited to participate. Please plan on bringing your family and join us for this service of story and carols!



**Candlelight
Lessons and Carols Service
with Communion
at 8:00 PM**



Join us for a joyful and intimate candlelit service as we celebrate the birth of Christ. This year's service will be filled with scripture, carols, choir and traditions that highlight our Christmas season. Come early for cookies, cocoa, and caroling at 7:30 PM. We look forward to seeing you this Christmas at Boulevard!

**December 31 — New Year's Eve
One Morning Service at 10:00 AM**



Prepare to ring in the new year with our morning service continuing the celebration of the birth of Jesus, our Savior!

Calling All Kids!!

**Sunday, December 10
10-11:00 AM in the kitchen**

All hands are needed to help bake and decorate cookies for the Christmas boxes. Ages Pre-K through teens are welcome and needed to help. Refreshments will be provided.



**Sunday, December 17
10-11:00 AM in the Lounge**

Join together to spread door hangers throughout our neighborhood inviting our Grandview neighbors to join us for worship on Christmas Eve and celebrate Jesus' birth. Refreshments will follow. Pre-K through teens welcome and needed!



Advent Devotionals

Now available on the table in the Lounge

A special thank you to all who wrote a submission for our annual Advent Devotional. It is always such an inspiration to see how familiar scripture passages impact one another in new and surprising ways. You all have helped me grow in faith, and I appreciate it. ~ Kathie Bailey





AN ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS ALPHABET

We each could fill in our own words for each letter, but here are some of the images and ideas I have seen and treasured through the years of journeying through Advent and preparing for the celebration of Christmas.

The **A**dventure of preparing our lives to once again celebrate the coming of the Christ Child.

Bethlehem, the birthplace of Jesus.

The **C**hrist **C**hild... God incarnate, whose birth is the center of the season.

David, the ancestor of Joseph, and the reason Mary and Joseph were heading to Bethlehem.

Easter... for without the triumphant victory there would be no significance to Christmas.

Families of all types that gather in worship and fellowship and sharing.

The amazing **G**race that the world knows through Christ's coming into the world.

Hope that came to humankind in the Christ Child born in Bethlehem.

Immanuel, God with us.

Joseph, who so often stays in the background but was committed to Mary and Jesus.

King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

The **L**ight of the world.

Mary, mother of Jesus, a teenage girl who had faith in her God.

Nothing... or what we can do to earn God's love and grace.

Our hearts and lives... the places we need to open to Christ.

Presbyterian Church (USA) and all the many ways it reaches out in ministry in the name of Christ.

Quiet... what the shepherds were experiencing when all of a sudden angels appeared to them.

The **R**eality that God loved us enough to send Jesus to live among us.

The **S**hepherds and their commitment to worshipping the newborn Christ.

Trees... that we decorate with Chrismons and remind us of the Christ Child.

The **U**plifting sounds of Christmas carols and smiling faces and warm greetings.

Visual items that help us understand the reality of Christmas and its promises.

The **W**onder I feel every time I read anew the Christmas story and realize God's gift to the world.

Χριστος, or Christ in the Greek language of New Testament times.

The **Y**outhful excitement the celebration of Christmas brings to our lives.

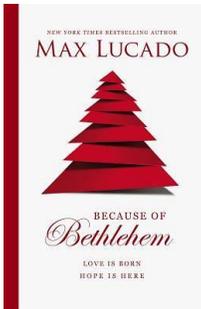
The **Z**zzzzs of sleeping on Christmas Eve... while remembering that the new day brings more opportunities to celebrate Christ and the miracle of Christmas!

PRESTON

Today's congregation continues strong traditions of:

- *Living faith through worship, mission, education, and fellowship with the vision of "Reaching Out to Make Disciples."*
- *Following the path laid out by God through his son, Jesus Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit.*
- *Sharing the inclusive love of God to all of God's children and God's creation.*
- *Exposing the light of Christ to the world through music, words, prayer, and actions.*

Advent Video Study for Adults and Teenagers



Max Lucado loves Christmas. Let the sleigh bells ring. Let the carolers sing. The more Santas the merrier. The more trees the better. He loves it because somewhere someone will ask the Christmas questions: What's the big deal about the baby in the manger? Who was he? What does his birth have to do with me?

And the answers he's found give us all hope. God knows what it's like to be a human. When we talk to him about deadlines or long lines or tough times, he understands. He's been there. He's been here. Because of Bethlehem, we have a friend in heaven. Christmas begins what Easter celebrates. The child in the cradle became the King on the cross. These are the heart shaping promises of Christmas. Long after the guests have left and the carolers have gone home and the lights have come down, these promises endure.

Join us in Room 111 (downstairs) **at 10:00 AM**
DECEMBER 3, 10, AND 17
as we look into this odd, wonderful story of Bethlehem.

The video study is led by Jim Bailey.

Christmas Decorating Sunday, December 3

On Sunday, December 3, the large tree will be ready in the sanctuary for any and all adults and children to decorate during Sunday School / between worship services that day. Mark your calendars and plan to join in the fun!



Presbyterian Women's Christmas Gathering

December 7 at 10:30 am



Following a brunch in the Lounge, the program in the Chapel will be "Late in the Day Poetry". It will be presented by author and publisher Gay Hadley. Gay is a resident at Ohio Living

Westminster-Thurber and a member of Boulevard. All women are invited!

First Friday Free Family Films (F5)



December 1
at 6:30 PM in Room 111
(downstairs)

The Dog Who Saved Christmas

The Bannister family's new addition, Zeus (voiced by Mario Lopez), the yellow Labrador, appears to be less than the dependable guard dog the family needs. However, when two burglars set out to break into the Bannister's home while they're away for Christmas, Zeus seizes the chance to be a hero, proving every dog - even this one - has his day.

Chairs will be set up. You can also bring a sleeping bag or pillow to relax and watch a movie with your family. Children must be accompanied by an adult. The movie is **free!!** Concessions will be available ~ popcorn, candy, drinks ~ *for a nominal fee.*



Save the Date for the next movie night:
January 5

Remember Amazon Purchases Benefit Boulevard

How many of us shop online at Amazon? Well, if you are an Amazon shopper you now have an easy way to also support Boulevard when making purchases through Amazon. Boulevard is now registered with Amazon as a charitable organization. That means Boulevard will receive a 0.5% charitable donation based on the price of all eligible purchases made through Boulevard's link to Amazon.Smile.



Find the link on the upper left side of Boulevard's webpage: **Support Boulevard Presbyterian Church / Shop at smile.amazon.com**. Click on these words and you will automatically be linked to Amazon and can begin shopping.





Happy December, Friends!

By now Thanksgiving has come and gone, but the pounds we've gained might linger. Despite our newfound extra stuffing, nothing can keep us from joining this Advent to live out one of our favorite stories! The season will speedily pass us by as we spend our weekends gathering with friends and family all over celebrating Christmas and living out our beloved traditions: picking the perfect tree, decorating the house, counting down our Advent calendars, and baking cookies, sweets, and etc.

I believe we do much of the same when we gather on Sundays throughout December. We tell the story of the nativity and share the good news of the coming of Christ. We are practically counting down the days until Christmas Eve, by reminding you of our special services and times, and we are reminded of our Christmas shopping when we see the many ways we can give for our Christmas box ministry.

I am excited to spend another holiday season with all of you. No matter how busy life and school can be I am thankful for the spiritual foundation Boulevard provides. Merry Christmas everyone!

Sincerely,
Brady Brennan

Advent Theme



The Chancel Choir will center our introits and anthems during Advent around this popular hymn. Surprisingly the text and tune were formed separately. The tune originates from 15th century France and the text from 18th century Germany. We hope you enjoy our season of anticipation as we celebrate the coming of Christ! Also, tune in on December 17, we will have a special guest with our offering that morning!

December 24 Morning Worship



We are excited to combine services on our fourth Sunday of Advent at 10:00 AM this year. The choir is hoping you will enjoy our contemporary anthem selection this morning anticipating "The Coming of the Lord"!

Lessons and Carols Service



The Music Ministry of Boulevard is thrilled to offer you a half hour of music and refreshments leading into our candlelight service on December 24. Bring your family and friends at 7:30 PM to grab a cookie and some cocoa before we enter the sanctuary and enjoy an intimate and joyful night celebrating the birth of Christ.



Mark Your Calendars!

You are invited to participate in these rewarding Community Christmas Box activities! **All activities will take place in Fellowship Hall.**



Thursday, December 14:

Home Baked Cookies delivered to church

Friday, December 15 at 6:00 PM:

Tape and Label Boxes

Saturday, December 16 at 9:30 AM:

Pack and Assemble Boxes

Sunday, December 17 at 12:30 PM:

Deliver Boxes





Community Christmas Packages

The Deacons are delighted to once again be coordinating the annual Community Christmas Package Project! This local outreach activity provides an opportunity for us to come together to share the love of Christ with our neighbors in need. We will be delivering the Christmas Packages this year on **Sunday, December 17**.

You are invited to participate in this mission project by baking cookies, donating food, and/or purchasing toys for the families in our community who are in need. Just like last year, you are invited to donate your choice of food items. The following food schedule identifies the dates in which certain food items will be highlighted:

- November 12** Peanut Butter and Cans of Tuna or Chicken
- November 19** Cans of Fruit and Boxes of Mac 'n Cheese
- November 26** Boxes of Cereal
- December 3** Boxes of Pasta
- December 10** Cans of Vegetables and any Food Items from previous weeks

Please deliver your food items to Fellowship Hall. Please note that early donation helps with the inventory process. Feel free to bring more than asked for! Additionally, as you are able, please remember to take a star from the bulletin board to buy toys for the kids. Thanks so very much! If you have any questions or to find out how you may help out even more, please contact Becky Elliott at 614-204-6184 or beckyelliott74@yahoo.com.

Changes to Christmas Box Filling



On **Saturday, December 16th, at 9:30 AM** we will be filling our Christmas Community Care boxes!

For our Christmas boxes to make it to their families, a lot of behind-the-scenes work has to happen and things have to go right. In order to decrease the chance that a mistake happens in the process of getting the boxes out the door, we are going to be implementing some minor changes in how we fill Christmas boxes this year.

In the past several years, we have made bulk deliveries to COMPASS and Hilltop Preschool allowing their clients to pick up their boxes at those facilities rather than us delivering them to their houses. This year we are adding a bulk delivery to NNEMAP. We will be filling boxes in order of their final destination (COMPASS, then Hilltop Preschool, then NSI/Syntero, then NNEMAP). However, once we finish all the boxes for one destination, we will be taking a brief break before starting on the next round of boxes to allow time for coordinators to make sure everything is correct before delivery trucks leave and we add new boxes to the mix.

During these breaks, snacks will be provided. Please use the breaks as an opportunity to converse with your fellow box fillers, particularly people who you may not recognize!

There will be a brief orientation in the lounge before we begin filling boxes to remind everyone of the change so plan on arriving around 9:15-9:20 AM.



Toy Collection

Many of the Community Christmas Packages that we put together are for families with children. For those families, we would like to have a small gift for each child to open on Christmas morning.

On the bulletin board in the hallway off the lounge, you will find a nativity scene surrounded by stars. Each star has a gender and age designation. You may take as many stars as you wish and donate a gift as indicated on the star. Gifts should cost around \$10. Simply attach the star to an unwrapped gift and drop it off at any time in the

storage tub located below the bulletin board with the stars.

If you wish to donate money rather than, or in addition to, purchasing gifts you may place an envelope in the collection plate on Sunday morning or leave it in the church office. If you are writing a check, please note "Gift Stars" in the memo section. All gifts and donations should be delivered to Boulevard by **Sunday, December 10**.

Thank you in advance for your generosity. This is a wonderful way to make a difference in the life of a child. If you have any questions, please contact Allyson Engdahl at 614-488-7252.



The Preschoolers are starting to prepare for the annual Christmas program on Thursday, December 14. All are invited to come and watch the children sing! This time of year is very exciting to our

children as we count down to Christmas!
Happy Holidays!

Order Your Poinsettia by Sunday, December 17

We are making plans for the Advent and Christmas floral display for our worship areas. The poinsettias will serve as memorials or in honor of loved ones whose names will be printed in the worship bulletins on Sunday, December 24. If you would like to donate a poinsettia, we will accept orders through **Sunday, December 17**. The poinsettias will remain on display through the 8:00 PM Christmas Eve candlelight service, and may be taken home following that service.



The cost of each plant will be \$9.00. Envelopes for placing your order are available on the table in the Lounge.

Babies Are Coming



We are blessed beyond belief here at Boulevard. We are expecting four babies to arrive within the next few months, in addition to Baby Jesus! And that will enable those of us who cannot get enough of that sweet baby smell to have at least an hour a week with those precious gifts.

We will therefore be needing a few more volunteers for the Nursery (aka Babyland), so get your name on the list early! Let Stefanie Osborne (614-206-7285 or stefanie@stefanieosborne.com) know of your desire to cuddle some babies. Thank you.

Merry Christmas from the Boulevard Staff



*O Come
Let Us Adore Him*

May the blessings of the Christmas season be with you now and in the coming year.

Peace and Joy to you and yours.

*Preston, Carol, Mary Ann,
Brady, Mark, Nancy, and Mikie*

Scrubbies for Sale!



Presbyterian Women will be selling scrubbies in the lounge after the 11:15 AM service Sunday, December 3. The scrubbies can be used in place of bows for presents and they make great stocking stuffers! They cost \$2.00 each or three for \$5.00. Proceeds go to support Presbyterian Women's mission projects. Contact

Sally Neff at 614-224-3719 with any other scrubbies requests.

Cents-Ability Update

As of November 26 \$52.68 has been donated to Cents-Ability bringing our 2017 total donations to \$477.32.

Please remember to save your pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters and add it to the Cents-Ability jar!



Clothing Collection Sunday

Sunday, December 10



Clothing Collection Sunday is the second Sunday of each month. Rather than holding separate drives as we have done in the past, we are collecting clothing for Neighborhood Services, Inc. (NSI) on a year-round basis.

Through the end of October, we have collected the following for the clothing room at NSI:

- 100 hats
- 64 pairs of gloves
- 24 scarves
- 141 pairs of socks
- 128 undergarments

Please continue to collect these items and donations can be left in the large wooden box in the narthex where we collect food items for NNEMAP. Thank you for showing Christ's love to the children who are served by NSI.

Food Mission Sunday

Sunday, December 24

Food Mission Sunday is the fourth Sunday of each month. Our nutritional focus is food with a higher protein content.

- ♦ Chunky Soup
- ♦ Canned Chicken
- ♦ Peanut Butter
- ♦ Canned Pasta
- ♦ Cans of Pork and Beans



Plus - Please consider donating toothpaste and/or toothbrushes (adult or child sizes) along with your food donations.

NNEMAP also accepts the **HOTEL** shampoo, soap, lotion and coffee packets provided to guests. And, of course, those brown paper grocery bags are always welcomed.

Please place your donations in the large wooden cabinet in the narthex, the one with the 'Food Mission' sign on it.

A BIG THANKS FROM NNEMAP!

Open Shelter Lunch Packing

Thursday, December 28

6:00 PM and/or 6:30 PM



On **Thursday, December 28**, we will be packing 200 brown bag lunches for the Open Shelter. We will have sign-up times for people to arrive at 6:00 pm and 6:30 pm. If possible, please sign up ahead of time on the list in the Lounge, but last minute volunteers are always welcome! Ideally we would like to have 10-15 people signed up to participate. Thank you for your help!

For more information, please contact:

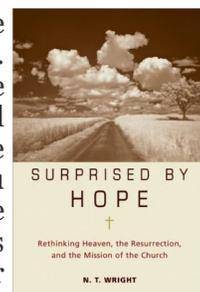
Carolyn Schmitz at 614-488-8120
or cmschmitz@yahoo.com

Surprised by Hope

New Class for Adults and Teenagers
in January

Sundays at 10:00 AM in Room 111

Many Christians believe our future in heaven is all that really matters. But that's not what the Bible teaches. In this six-session small group Bible study, premier Bible scholar N. T. Wright brings you inside the Scriptures to grasp the full, breathtaking hope Jesus offers the world, and its impact on your life today.



Wonderful as is the promise of heaven, a glorious hereafter is just part of what salvation is about. What about today? Jesus called his followers the salt of the earth and the light of the world. Your life here and now is of tremendous consequence, and what you believe about the future has a direct impact on how you live in the present.

Sessions include:

1. Hope for the World
2. The Hope of the Resurrection
3. The Hope of Heaven
4. The Hope of Jesus' Second Coming
5. The Hope of Salvation
6. The Hope of the Church



The Presbytery of Scioto Valley



Presents Partners in Education (PIE) Classes for Officers and Leaders

Saturday, January 6, 2018
9:30 AM - 3:00 PM

Hilliard Presbyterian Church
3600 Leap Rd., Hilliard

Registration \$10.00 per person (includes lunch)
*Registrations are requested,
but Walk-ins are welcome!*

Registration Deadline
Wednesday, December 27, 2017

The annual classes and workshops for all church leaders will be held on Saturday, January 6, at Hilliard Presbyterian Church.

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM – Morning Workshops

- Elder Training: Smaller Congregations
- Elder Training: Midsize/Large Congregations
- Deacon Training/Caregiving for all Congregations
- Clerk Training
- Technology & Christian Education & Casual Conversations

1:30 PM to 3:00 PM – Afternoon Workshops

- Biblical Hospitality
- The Nuts and Bolts of Starting and Older Adult Ministry in Your Church
- Policies and Best Practices in Working Safely with Young Children

All Day Workshop

Healthy Boundaries 101: for pastors and certified educators who are actively serving in a church. Cost: \$30 for class materials.

Register online at the Presbytery of Scioto Valley website: www.psvonline.org. For questions contact Jeannie harsh: Jeannie@psvonline.org or 614-562-1775,



With Sincere Sympathy

Christian Sympathies

Are extended to Gay Hadley and family on the death of her daughter-in-law, Cynthia Fay, in Minnesota on October 26, 2017.

Thank you, Property Committee!



A HUGE thank you to the members of the Property Committee who have painted the curbside parking and the parking lot to enable us to safely park. It looks wonderful, and with winter moving in, it will make a big difference. We are blessed to have such hard working members making our lives better!

Save your Aluminum Pull Tabs

Boulevard Presbyterian Women continues to collect pull tabs from pop, vegetable, fruit, pet food or any other type pull tab cans.



The tabs are given to The Ronald McDonald House at Nationwide Children's Hospital. They in turn receive reimbursement for each pound of tabs which they use for expenses of the house. The Ronald McDonald house provides housing and other services for families who have children as patients at the Nationwide Children's Hospital.

The collection container, a white "house" with a red roof, can be found in the lounge. There are also some small "houses" with blue roofs for individuals to use at home.

Questions can be directed to Linda Mahoney.



"It's the perfect Christmas gift - Hope on a Rope?"



Boy Scout Troop 73 News

It's been a busy month for Troop 73. Since the last issue of *Good News*, we've been working on Eagle Scout service projects for two of our Boy Scouts. One project involved constructing several raised garden beds for the Grandview schools Garden Club. The other project focused on pouring concrete pads and installing benches in public areas in the Village of Marble Cliff. The purpose of an Eagle Scout Project is for the Eagle candidate to demonstrate leadership skills while doing a worthwhile project that will benefit others.

One of our favorite fall outings is camping at Tar Hollow State Park, near Laurelville, Ohio. We camped at Tar Hollow in early November. This is really a beautiful park, and it's one of our favorite places to camp, particularly when the leaves are changing colors. We did some hiking and really enjoyed our last campout of 2017.



Next up for Troop 73 is our annual Christmas tree sale. If you would like to purchase a Christmas tree, please come see us behind the Midas Muffler Service Center at 2087 Riverside Drive.

**Grandview
Boy Scout Troop 73**
Meeting at Boulevard Presbyterian Church
since 1928



Christmas Tree Sale

 Ohio Grown -
Fraser Firs, Scotch Pines, White Pines, Blue Spruces

Opening *Sunday, November 26th at 1PM*

9AM-8:30PM
Saturday & Sunday

5PM-8:30PM
Monday - Friday

*Located in the
Midas Muffler Parking Lot
2087 Riverside Drive
(Just south of Trabue Rd.)*

As Christmas approaches, we find ourselves thinking about the many blessings we enjoy. At the top of Troop 73's list of blessings is the wonderful home we enjoy at Boulevard Presbyterian Church, where we have met since 1928. Thank you all very much for the kindness you share with us!



DECEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>May you have the Spirit of Christmas, which is Peace, The Gladness of Christmas, which is Hope, The Heart of Christmas, which is Love, The Gift of Christmas, which is Christ. —Ada Hendricks</p>					1 6:30 pm First Friday Free Family Film: <i>The Dog Who Saved Christmas</i>	2
3 1st Sunday of Advent Cents-Ability Sunday 9:00 am Worship: Chapel 10:00 am Advent Class: 111 Decorate the tree in the Sanctuary 11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary 12:30 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry	4 6:30 pm Communication Committee 7:00 pm Session	5 7:00 pm Equipping Committee 300 7:30 pm AA Group: FH	6 9:30 am Quilters: 111 5:45 pm Cub Pack Committee 6:00 pm Public Forum 7:30 pm NA Group: FH	7 10:30 am PW Brunch 6:00 pm Music Team 6:30 pm Bell Choir 7:00 pm FA Group 7:30 pm Chancel Choir GA Group: 111	8 	9 Noon-4 pm Cub Scouts: 111
10 2nd Sunday of Advent Clothing Collection Sunday 9:00 am Worship: Chapel 10:00 am Advent Class: 111 11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary Session will meet following the service to receive new members	11 7:00 pm Deacons: Lounge Worship Committee: Chapel 	12 <i>Hanukkah</i>  12:30 pm Staff Meeting 6:00 pm Girl Scouts: 111 and Kitchen 7:00 pm Scout Troop Committee: Lounge 7:30 pm AA Group: FH	13 9:30 am Quilters: 111 5:00 pm Cub Scout Pack Cookie Decorating: Kitchen 7:30 pm NA Group: 111	14 10:30 am Presbyterian Women Bible Study 6:00 pm Preschool Christmas Program: FH 7:00 pm FA Group 7:30 pm Chancel Choir GA Group: 111	15 <i>Part-Day</i> <i>Preschool Winter</i> <i>Break</i> 6:00 pm Box Taping and Labeling 6:00 pm Package Cookies	16 9:15 am Pack Food Boxes
17 3rd Sunday of Advent 9:00 am Worship: Chapel 10:00 am Advent Class: 111 Property: 300 11:15 am Worship: Sanctuary 12:30 pm Deliver Christmas Boxes	18	19 7:30 pm AA Group: FH	20 9:30 am Quilters: 111 7:30 pm NA Group: FH	21 6:00 pm Music Team 6:30 pm Bell Choir 7:00 pm FA Group 7:30 pm Chancel Choir GA Group: 111	22 <i>Full-Time</i> <i>Preschool Winter</i> <i>Break</i> <i>Poinsettia</i> <i>Delivery</i>	23
24 4th Sunday of Advent Christmas Eve Food Mission Sunday 10:00 am Worship: Sanctuary 5:30 pm Family Worship Service 7:30 pm Cookies, Cocoa, and Caroling: Lounge 8:00 pm Candlelight Christmas Eve Service	25 <i>Christmas Day</i> 	26 7:30 pm AA Group: FH	27 7:30 pm NA Group: FH	28 6:00 pm Open Shelter Lunch Packing 7:00 pm FA Group 7:30 pm GA Group: 111	29	30 
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31 1st Sunday after Christmas New Year's Eve 10:00 am Worship: Sanctuary	<p>Christmas began in the heart of God. It is complete only when it is in the heart of man. —Anonymous</p> 					

Boulevard Prayer Chain

If you would like to make a prayer request, please contact the Church Office at 614-486-0267.

Prayers for Healing and Strength

Ginny Achtermann
Joanne Taylor, Boulevard Preschool teacher, recovering from surgery
Ray DeGraw, cancer
Julie Wall, at home (Kyme Rennick's mother)
Eda Mikolaj, at home (Heather Mikolaj's mother)
Barbara Frautschi
Gay Hadley
Barbara Rine, breast cancer
Bruce "Smitty" Smith
Carol McFadden, breast cancer
Ella, back at Boulevard Preschool
Fred Ferris, for healing
Rick Cotter, recovering from car accident (friend of Michael and Charmaine Hamilton)
Michael Frase, for remission from infection
Suzanne Trombley, Carol Fry's sister-in-law
Gary (relative of Becky Metzler)
Tim McLane, for balance and healing for foot (Mikie Bowles' brother)
Corey Sander, cancer (Pat Nicholson's granddaughter's husband)
Kate Whitmore, no new cancer detected (Marty Grimm's daughter)
Jerry Braun, cancer (Mike McKinney's brother-in-law)
Julie DuSablou, recuperating at home
Mark Nelson, for healing, comfort, and peace

Prayers for Our Special Care List

Dorothy Rout, Westminster-Thurber
Evelyn Hannaway, at home
Virginia Schlitt, at home
Becky Metzler, at home
Leni Leypoldt, at home
Brita Knapp, for continued remission
Norman Knapp, healing and strength
Peggy Pasko, Woodview Care and Rehab



1	Bruce Smith	19	Wendy Bolen Myelle
3	Bill Frase	23	Garrett Culbertson
3	Carol Fry	23	Barbara Rine
4	Linda Mahoney	24	Liv Williamson
10	Shirley Flanigan	25	Emersyn Hicks
12	Susan Crisp	25	Dustin Shealy
12	Elijah Williams	26	Barb Miller
14	Vince Nobel	27	Carol Kizer
17	Linda Wilton	27	Kyme Rennick
17	Joseph Weaver, II	28	Beryl Bunn
18	Reno Cameruca	29	Eric Engdahl
		31	Joe Mattiacey

Boulevard Staff

Pastor
Preston Shealy
 Ext. 15
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Mary Ann Stephens
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Choir Director
Brady Brennan
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Building Manager
Mark Key
 Ext. 22
Office Manager
Carol Fry
 Ext. 10

Session

Class of 2017

Merri Bame
 Steve Hills
 Grace Parks
 Debbie Shealy

Class of 2018

Kathie Bailey
 Shawn Ebert
 Becky Elliott
 Melissa Schmidt

Class of 2019

Charmaine Hamilton
 Cindy McKay
 Sarah Murdick
 Ian Rennick

Deacons

Class of 2017

Paula Frank
 Sean McCormick
 Michael Schmidt

Class of 2018

Debbie Henry
 Martha Hills
 Kim Welter

Class of 2019

Beryl Bunn
 Alaina Engdahl
 Kevin Hicks

2017 Total Budget: \$320,037.56 Contributions and Expenses October 2017

	Actual	Budget
Contributions	32,791.65	28,433.32
Expenses	<u>22,801.47</u>	<u>28,320.72</u>
Surplus or (Deficit)	10,511.18	112.60
Year-to-Date		
Contributions	284,358.01	284,333.20
Expenses	<u>267,677.86</u>	<u>286,692.96</u>
Surplus or (Deficit)	16,680.15	(2,359.76)

Deadline for January Good News
Monday, December 11!!

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