

## Announcements

### Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

We have yard signs inviting the community to our Christmas Eve services. They can be purchased during the Gathering today for \$10.00 each or you can use the one you have from last year. There will be a table set up in the Fellowship Hall with signs available. Get yours today and let the community know about our candlelight services.

#### Prime Timers

#### IT'S CHRISTMAS!!

Prime Timers will meet Monday, December 4th at 10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Bob and June Hedrick will be providing the program this month. A covered dish meal will follow the program.

All are welcome to join the fun and fellowship.

Weekly Stewardship  
2017 Budget \$645,918.98  
Needed Weekly \$ 12,421.52  
Received 11/26/17 \$ 6,138.81

#### Worship Attendance 11/26/17

8:15 am 21  
9:15 am 61  
10:45 am 94 (Traditional)  
10:45 am 62 (Contemporary)  
Nursing Home  
Total 238  
Sunday School 118

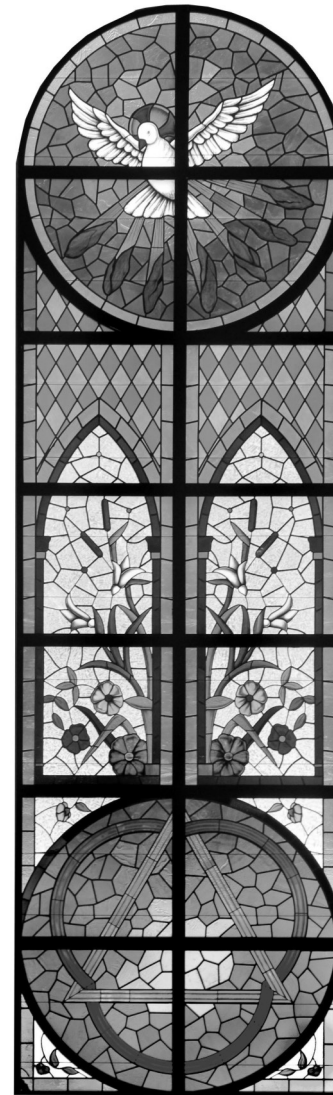


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# Millbrook First United Methodist Church

December 3, 2017

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*We Are Family In Christ*

## Order of Worship

December 3, 2017

9:15 & 10:45 am

Prelude		
Announcements		
Hymn	Hail to the Lord's Anointed	No. 203
Affirmation of Faith		
Offertory		
Doxology		
Passing of the Peace		
Children's Moment		Rev. Jerry May
Anthem	Christmas Communion	Choir
Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer		

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever.  
Amen.*

Hymn	Have Thine Own Way, Lord	No. 382
Scripture	Isaiah 63:15	
Message	Why Don't You Come Down?	Rev. Jerry May
Closing Hymn	Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus	No. 196
Closing and Invitation		

*Sanctuary Flowers are provided today by Donna Ray to the honor and glory of God.*

## Our Church Activities

December 4th-December 10th

### Monday

9:30 am Monday Morning Prayer Group

10:30 am Prime Timers

6:30 pm Boy Scouts (Mission House)

### Tuesday

6:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast (Front Porch Grill)

6:48 pm College & Career Group (6321 Pineleaf Dr. Elmore)

### Wednesday

5:00 pm Wednesday Night Supper

6:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study

6:00 pm Choir Practice

7:00 pm Children's Dress Rehearsal

7:00 pm Praise Team Practice

### Thursday

6:00 pm Trustees Meeting

### Friday

### Saturday

### Sunday

8:15 am Communion Service (Chapel) / Nursery infant to 4 years

9:15 am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)

9:15 am Sunday School

10:45 am Contemporary Worship (Chapel) and Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)

4:00 pm Grief Support

All year end contributions must be received by the church office by Sunday, December 31st. If you are mailing, please allow the proper time for us to receive your payment.

### Congratulations

*A Cradle Cross has been placed today for Ariel Grace Hollis, daughter of Terry & Chloe Blanchard Hollis. Ariel Grace was born November 23, 2017, and is welcomed by proud grandparents Jamie and Missy Blanchard.*

**Prayer List:** Terry Wadsworth, Kirsten Houston, Kaitlyn Mercer, Jab Brown's family (In the passing of his Father), Bud Chappel, Martha Rankin, Stacy LeMaster.

**Deployed List:** Keith Conway, Ryan Ventura, Lt. Colonel Charles Knoll (Nephew of Diane West), Robert Estes, Marlin Montoi (Friend of Terry and Betty Wadsworth), Brad Stevenson (Friend of Terry & Betty Wadsworth).