

WORSHIP LEADERS for TODAY ~ January 5

9 AM ~ Greeter: Alaina Harvey

Host/Hostess: Merrie Duncan

Worship Leader: Pastor

Power Point: Gary Indihar

11 AM ~ Usher: Gary Bass

Worship Leader: Dennis McMahan

Readers: Tom Bell, Kathy Barnhart

For this coming week ~ January 5-11

Care Center Pick Up: Connie Sharp

WAVE Team: Jeff & Vicki Irons

Worship leader schedules are available at
www.bigcovechurch.org

PRAYER REQUESTS

Members: Tennent Lee, Debbie Book, Mary Burnette, Whitney Smith, Brenda Copeland, Amanda Vernon, Wayne Deaton, Sandy Young

Friends & Relatives: Hilda Darby (Debbie Book's mother)

The Church: Rev. Paige McRight, Interim Executive
Presbyter

Military & International: All those serving in the armed
forces.

For Big Cove Missions & Ministries: New Hope Children's
Clinic; The CARE Center; Kairos Prison Ministry; The
Presbyterian Home for Children; The Vine Pastoral
Counseling Center

Happy Birthday this week!

Jeff Harris on the 8th

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presbyterian Women will meet Mon, Jan 6 at 10 am at Pastor
Rosemary's house.

Immersion Bible study will resume Wed Jan 8 6-7 with a light
supper at 5:30.

Thursday Prayer Group will resume this Thurs, Jan 9 at 10 am.

Christian Exploration will resume next week, Jan. 12.

Check the table in the back of the sanctuary for thank you notes
from children at the Presbyterian Home for Children.

Please consider donating and dedicating flowers for the sanctuary
in the coming year. A flower chart on which you may reserve a
Sunday is on the table in the stairwell vestibule.

**WELCOME TO BIG COVE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)**



January 5, 2014

“First Light” Worship – Sundays at 9 AM

Guitarist: John Isom

Pianist: Dixie Elrod

Percussionist: Jimmy Jones

Traditional Worship – Sundays at 11 AM

Music Director: Carla Feehan

Pianist: Jo Stroud

Pastors: Rev. Rosemary McMahan & Rev. Houston Hodges

Nursery Available

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9 AM ~ FIRST LIGHT CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Called by God, We Gather

Call to Worship ~ Ringing of the Bell

Song of Worship: O Come, All Ye Faithful

Greeting: Welcoming Christ Among Us

Song to Prepare for Message: We Three Kings

Spoken to by God, We Listen

Isaiah 60:1-6
Matthew 2:1-12

The Message "Magi Eyes"
Rev Rosemary McMahan

Believing in God, We Respond

Praise Reports and Prayer Requests
Announcements

Celebrating Our Blessings

Offertory: What Child Is This?

Blessed by God, We Give Thanks:

Communion Song: Sanctuary
Celebration of the Lord's Supper

(Silent Reflection)

Sent by God, We Go Out

Sending Song: Go Tell It on the Mountain

Blessing and Sending



11 AM ~ TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Preparing for Worship

The prelude marks the beginning of worship and is observed in silence.

Prelude *A Christmas Medley*

Called by God, We Gather

One: O come, let us worship the Lord and consider what wondrous things God has done:

All: The Magi who study the heavens follow a guiding star!

One: O come, let us worship the Lord and consider what wondrous things God has done:

All: The peoples who live in the shadows see a glorious light!

One: O come, let us worship the Lord and consider what wondrous things God has done:

All: The Christ who embodies the Word unveils the hidden plan, making us joint heirs of the promise of salvation through the gospel!

O come, let us worship the Lord, for God has done wondrous things!

Song of Worship: O Come, All Ye Faithful 182

Confession and Pardon

One: The light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil. Let us confess our sin to God.

All: O God, our guide, who once used a star to lead people to Christ, we confess our poor sense of direction.

We let ourselves become confused, easily distracted, and lose our way. We fail to follow the signs you provide. Forgive our waywardness, O God. Lead us to the Christ so that we may follow his way to you. We humbly ask this. Amen.

One: The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world.

To all who have received him, to those who believe in his name, he gave the right to become children of God. Rejoice! Our sins are forgiven!

Greeting: Welcoming Christ Among Us

Spoken to by God, We Listen

Old Testament Isaiah 60:1-6 528

Response Psalm 72:1-11 414

Epistle Philippians 2:12-18 831

Song of Reflection: We Three Kings (stanza 1 only) 233

Gospel Matthew 2:1-12 681-682

Sermon: "Magi Eyes"
Rev. Rosemary McMahan

Believing in God, We Respond

The People's Prayers
Announcements

Celebrating Our Blessings

Offertory *Away in a Manger Medley* Arr. Fred Bock

Doxology 34

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Celebrating The Lord's Supper

Invitation ~ Great Thanksgiving ~ Communion of the People

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)
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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Sent by God, We Go Out

Song of Sending: Angels We Have Heard on High 188

Blessing and Sending
The flowers are offered to the glory of God and in celebration of the New Year and of Jeff's birthday by Glenda, Joseph, and Michael Harris.