

BIG COVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MID-WEEK REMINDERS

Week of December 7-13, 2014



WORSHIP LEADERS for *this coming Sunday, December 14:*

9 AM: Greeter: Ryan Pepper
Host/Hostess: Sally Harris
Worship Leader: Debbie Book
Power Point: Dennis McMahan

11 AM: Usher: Larry Clark
Worship Leader: Tennent Lee
Readers: David Lilly (Isaiah 9:2-6), Hartwell Lutz (Matthew 21:14-17)

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *the rest of this week, through December 13:*

Care Center Pick-up: Kay Hanks
WAVE Team: Ron Harris

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *next week-December 14-19:*

Care Center Pick-up: Kay Hanks
WAVE Team: Hartwell & Pat Lutz

The Children's Home Box brought in \$25.00 this week. Thank you!

Thank you to everyone for the food, cards and phone calls during the loss of my mother, Rosie Thompson. It is wonderful to have such a caring church. –Gail Birdsong

MEETINGS and Activities this week:

- *****The CARE Center Bags of Blessings Pack Night** will be **December 10, 2014**. Contact Melinda Harvey for more info.
- **Wednesday Night Immersion** will **not meet** on Wednesday December 10, but will resume after the holidays with our study of the Book of Luke.
- **Choir Rehearsal** will also resume after the holidays.
- **EVERYBODY'S Saturday Bible Time** will take up next Saturday morning, December 13, at 9:30 in an upstairs classroom with coffee and Luke 19:29, under the capable mentorship of our own David Lilly. It'll stop when it stops, but no more than an hour later. Try it! Bring a Bible and some questions.

- **Needed: A nursery volunteer for 9 am and 11 am worship** December 14 and December 21. Please contact Mary if you are willing to be on hand. Must be at least 16. Thank you!
- **Christian Exploration will not meet December 14** but will resume on December 21.
- **The Hosnas are hosting a Christmas party for the youth group** on Sunday, December 14, from 4-7 p.m. Contact Kate Hosna if you have questions.

Important Announcements, Events-to-Come, Deadlines, Etc.

- **The Christmas Joy Offering** will be taken up on December 21. Please give to this denominational collection which helps provide assistance for retired clergy and so much more. Make checks payable to Big Cove Church and designate for Joy Offering. For more information, please go to <http://www.pensions.org/Pages/default.aspx>.
- **Please join us for the "O" Antiphon Worship Service** on Dec. 17 at 6:30 PM. This Advent service is a quiet reflection on the names of Jesus, beautiful and hopeful passages from Isaiah, an opportunity for anointing, and time to remember those we've lost.
- **The Christmas Eve Worship service** will be at 5:30.
- **There will be one worship service at 10 a.m.** on Sunday, December 28.
- **An Inquirer's Class** for those interested in making a membership covenant with the church is planned for January. Watch for details.

*****Opportunities for service**

- *****For the rest of the holiday season, focused donations for The CARE Center** are any items to support Christmas meals. Suggestions:

Canned Yams	Stuffing/Dressing Packages
Cream of Mushroom Soup	Canned Green Beans
Canned French Fried Onions	Canned Cranberry Sauce
Canned Corn	Canned evaporated milk
Canned pumpkin pie mix	Box cake, bread, muffin, coffee cake, pie crust mixes

 Or anything other non perishable items to support Christmas meals. ***Thank you!***

Happy birthday anniversaries this week!

Gary Bass on the 10th
 Jodi Gallo on the 10th
 Alfio Gallo on the 14th