

# GOOD MORNING!

We are glad you are here to worship with us today, Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024!

## NEW HERE?

Feel free to fill out the tear-off tab on this bulletin and place the tab in the offering plate as it passes by. Also, stop by the Greeter's Desk after the service to receive a gift just for visiting.

## WHERE DO MY KIDS GO?

**Nursery** (infants to 3 years old) is located through the door to the right of the sanctuary. **Children's Bible Time** (4 years old to 5<sup>th</sup> grade) will be dismissed before the message. They will meet in two of the Sunday School classrooms in the Sunday School wing.

## OUR PASTORS

Senior Pastor – Scott Decker  
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Assistant Pastor – Doug Wagner  
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## CCH SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES

Sunday School – 9:00 AM  
Morning Service – 10:00 AM  
Evening Service & Youth Programs – 6:30 PM

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude  
Announcements and Prayer  
Call to Worship – Psalm 105:1-5  
*O Come, All Ye Faithful*  
*Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*  
Lighting of the Advent Candle – Snare Family  
*In Christ Alone*  
Sermon  
*Joy to the World!*  
Benediction – Numbers 6:24-26  
Postlude

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

THIS EVENING – 8<sup>th</sup>  
Pioneer Clubs Christmas Program – 6:30 PM  
WEDNESDAY – 11<sup>th</sup>  
Noontime Prayer – NOON  
THURSDAY – 12<sup>th</sup>  
Trustees Meeting – 7:00 PM

## THE 2024 FIVE DAY BIBLE READING

Week #50 – December 8-December 14

Nehemiah 10-13; Revelation 8  
Malachi; Psalm 2; Revelation 9  
Job 1-3; Psalm 29; Revelation 10  
Job 4-7; Psalm 99; Revelation 11  
Job 8-11; Revelation 12

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**YOUTH CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup> // 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM // CCH Gym // It's time for our annual Youth Group Christmas Party. // Be sure to bring a snack/drink to share and a gift for our White Elephant Gift Exchange. // If you have any questions, see Pastor Doug or one of the Youth Leaders.

**WINTER CAMP**  
Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup> to Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> // Christian Retreat Center // Believe it or not, Winter Camp 2025 Registration is OPEN! // Mark your calendars and plan on joining us February 21-23 for our annual Youth Group Winter Camp. // All those planning on attending must register online at [www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group](http://www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group) by Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>.



Christmas Eve Love Offering → During our Christmas Eve Service (December 24<sup>th</sup>), we take a love offering that will be split between eight different ministries which can be found below.

**Our goal for this year is \$12,000.**

- Sean Teis
- Clod Tiamson Family
- Breezewood Trucker & Traveler Ministry
- Every Man A Warrior (Prison Ministry)
- Backyard Ministry
- Camp Kanestake
- Forrest Chapman Family
- Those affected by flooding in TN

*If you are not able to make it to the Christmas Eve Service but would still like to give towards the Love Offering, please make a note – Christmas Eve Love Offering – in the memo on your check or envelope.*



Pioneer Clubs Christmas Program → Our Pioneer Club Christmas Program is scheduled for **TONIGHT, Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM**. *If your child is involved in the Christmas program, please make sure that they are at the church at 6:15 PM. Thank you!*

## Upcoming Dates & Events

TODAY	Choir Practice – following AM Service until 12:15 PM
TONIGHT	Pioneer Clubs Christmas Program – 6:30 PM
Dec. 11	Noontime Prayer – NOON
Dec. 12	Trustees Meeting – 7:00 PM
Dec. 15	Youth Group Christmas Party – 5:00 PM
Dec. 16	Deacon/Deaconess Meeting – 6:30 PM
Dec. 18	CCH Wednesday: Christmas Caroling – 6:30 PM
Dec. 20	Walk-Thru Live Nativity – various show times
Dec. 22	NO Evening Service or Youth Programs
Dec. 24	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – 7:00 PM
Dec. 25	Christmas Day
Dec. 29	NO Evening Services or Youth Programs
Dec. 31	New Years Eve
Jan. 1	New Years Day

*Check out our website at [www.hesstonchapel.com](http://www.hesstonchapel.com) and go to the Church Calendar page to stay up to date on all events and activities.*



Christmas Caroling → We will be going Christmas Caroling **NEXT Wednesday, December 18<sup>th</sup>** for our CCH Wednesday time. More info to come.



Terri Lynn Candy & Nuts → If you are looking for a gift that you would like to get for a coworker, your postal carrier, or really anyone this coming holiday season, be sure to check out our Youth Terri Lynn Fundraiser. Terri Lynn provides a variety of premium nuts, savory snacks, and tempting mixes that are unlike anything you will find at your local grocery store. To look and shop the range of snacks and nuts, please visit our website at [www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group](http://www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group). See Nicole Wagner with any questions.

## WAYS TO BE INVOLVED



Live Nativity → Our annual Live Nativity will be here before you know it! Mark your calendars for Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup> with show times at 6:00 PM, 6:45 PM, 7:30 PM & 8:15 PM. Invite your friends and family to see the real reason we celebrate Christmas. Flyers/invitations are available on the sign-up table in the Lobby. *Also, if you are interested in helping out with either cast & crew, parking, serving refreshments, or donating supplies, please be sure to see the sign-up sheets in the lobby or fill out the information below and place the tab in the offering plate.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**I can help with (mark any that apply):**

- Cast & Crew    Parking    Refreshments Table  
 Making cookies    Donating hot chocolate  
 Kind: \_\_\_\_\_



Christmas Eve Candlelight Service → We will be having our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service on Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM



Devotionals → New Daily Bread, Keys for Kids, and Unlocked for Teens quarterly devotionals are here and available for pick up in the Lobby.



2025 Budgets → Attention ALL committees and ministries!!! The Trustees have asked that you submit your annual budget for the 2025 year by their next meeting on Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions, please see one of the Trustees. Thank you!



2nd Sunday of *Advent*  
~ Peace ~

## YOUTH YEARROUND FUNDRAISERS

*(All proceeds go to future missions work)*

### TERRI LYNN CANDY & NUTS

Selling year-round on our website // To order, visit [www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group](http://www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group) // Any questions, please call the church office at (814) 658-3419 during office hours