

# December 21, 2023 Newsletter



Sunday's Worship Guide

**Peace On Earth** Peace Within; Matthew 1:23

- God Is With Us In Trials.
- II. God Is With Us In Salvation.
- III. God Is With Us In Eternity.

#### Weekly Schedule

#### Sundays

9:00 AM: Worship Service & Small Groups 10:30 AM: Worship Service & Small Groups 4:00 PM: Choir (Resumes 1.7.24) 5:00 PM: Surfside Kids (Resumes 1.7.24) 5:00 PM: Students (Resumes 1.7.24) 5:30 PM: Adults E2E (Resumes 1.7.24)

**Tuesdays** 

7:00 AM: Men's Bible Study at Bob Evans

6:00 PM: Celebrate Recovery

Wednesdays

10:00 AM: Prayer Meeting

Small Groups Meet Throughout the Week at Various Locations

#### **Upcoming Schedule**

Sunday, December 24

10:00 AM: One Worship Service (No Small Groups)

December 25-28

Church Office Closed for Holidays

Sunday, December 31

10:00 AM: One Worship Service (No Small Groups)

Monday, January 1

Church Office Closed for Holiday

Saturday, January 13

8:00 AM: Men's Breakfast

10:30 AM: wMu Tuesday, January 16

3:00 PM: St. Gabriel Devotion

Wednesday, January 17 3:00 PM: NHC Devotion

Thursday, January 18

7:00 PM: Singing Churchmen Concert



## **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24**

## **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31**



The kitchen team plans to clean out all cabinets, drawers and closets in the kitchen area after Christmas. In the future, please do not put left over foods in the refrigerator as they will be thrown away weekly. The refrigerators should be used to store food for upcoming events. We need to work together in keeping waste to a minimum to prevent unwanted pest and unnecessary problems.

Here is a simple checklist for using the kitchen/fellowship hall:

- Sign up through the church office. All events must be approved by the office and logged into the event calendar.
- Empty all trash cans and replace plastic liners with clean ones.
- Ensure that all countertops, sink, appliances, tables etc. are clean and whipped down.
- Dishes are to be washed, dried and put back in their proper location, not left on the counter.
- All leftover food should be disposed of or taken home immediately. Refrigerators will be cleaned on a regular basis.
- Sweep the floors and mop any spills.



**Observance of the Lord's Supper** Sunday, January 7



### **Welcome New Member**

Please join us in welcoming Barbara Bland to our First Baptist Church family.



## Save the Date The Singing Churchmen Concert Thursday, January 18 at 7:00 PM

You don't want to miss this! The South Carolina Baptist Singing Churchmen is a men's chorus made up of Music Ministers from across the state serving South Carolina Baptist Churches. It is a member supported group that is celebrating 60 years in existence.

## **Information About One Of Our Mission Partners: Christian Adoption Services** Because of your gifts last year...



- 41 Children were placed in loving, Christian homes through domestic adoption
- 255+ Expectant mothers were counseled
- Birth mothers made decisions for Christ or made decisions to follow Christ more closely
- 36 Families are currently being served in their international adoption journey through the **Philippines**

The first resident moved into Emmanuel Home, the home for birth mothers