

25th Sunday after Pentecost

November 10, 2024



**UNLESS
THE LORD BUILDS
THE HOUSE,
THOSE WHO BUILD IT
LABOR IN VAIN.
PSALM
127:1**

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EPISTLE READING

HEBREWS 9:24-28

***OFFERING/DOXOLOGY & OFFERTORY PRAYER**

UMH 95

***HYMN** **“O MASTER, LET ME WALK WITH THEE”**

UMH 430

***GOSPEL READING**

MARK 12:38-44

SERMON

“WELFARE REFORM”

PASTOR THOM

***HYMN**

“TAKE MY LIFE, AND LET IT BE”

UMH 399

***LEADING OF THE LIGHT AND BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

GARY MAYNARD

**Please stand only if you are able.*

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Sunday School **Each Sunday** **10:00am**

Exercise Class **Tuesdays & Thursdays** **9:45am**

(Come join us to become spiritually and physically fit!)

Choir Practice **Tuesdays** **5:00pm**

**Education, Outreach
& Missions**

Tues. Nov. 12

6:00pm

Thanksgiving

Community Dinner

Sun. Nov. 17

6:00pm

(Invite your Family & Friends)

HANGING of the GREENS

We will be decorating the church for the Christmas Season on Tuesday, November 26 (11:00am) and Saturday, November 30 (10:30am). Please join us as we beautify our church to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ.

BACKPACK MINISTRY

We appreciate your continued support of the Backpack Ministry in partnership with Crosspoint Community Church. For November, please donate individual servings of beef ravioli or ramen noodles. THANK YOU!

Prayer List

If you have any additions or modifications to the prayer list, please complete a prayer request card or call the church office.

For anyone placed on the prayer list, updates within 3 weeks would be appreciated so our prayer list can be kept current.

Joe Barnett
Shirley Bias
Matt Brown
Bob Carrico
Milton Clay
Jill & Jim Combs
Bill & Jenny Daniels
David & Donna Davis
Glenna
Bill Hively
Jeff Hunt
Marcus Kirby

Shirley Kizee
Patty Lewis
Stacy Malcolm (Pastor's Nephew)
Howard Marcum
Tom Maynard
Priscilla McAfee
Steve Morgan
Roy Preston
Katie (Black) & Justin Obramo
Red Sowder
Ashley Stender
Jonah McMillion Wiles

Remember those not able to join us for church.

Betty Craig, Donna & Dave Davis, Joy Fetty,
Ruth Kelley, Patricia Morgan, Mabel Pillion, Jim Reed,
Harold Sowards, Gene Ward, Dan & Shirley Webster

Pastor Thom Malcolm

Cell: 304-654-9440

Stephanie Malcolm

Home: 740-451-0510

Secretary: Donna Rumbaugh

Cell: 304-654-9148

Cell: 304-633-3680

(Office Hours: Wed & Thurs – 2:30 – 4:30pm)

Music Director:

Gary Maynard

Pianist:

Gary Maynard

Liturgist:

Brenda Carrico

**Bulletin information needs to be in the church office by
Wed, 2:30pm.**

THANKSGIVING COMMUNITY DINNER

November 17 @ 6:00pm

Our Thanksgiving Community Dinner is scheduled for Sunday, November 17 @ 6:00pm. There is a sign-up sheet in the parlor for you to indicate the delicious dish that you would want to bring to share with others. **INVITE YOUR FAMILY and FRIENDS.** We hope that our fellowship hall is full of great food and fellowship. If you have questions, please ask Laura Blake.

THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

So many need help in serving a nice Thanksgiving dinner for their families and we want to support them. We will be filling food baskets for three families. A sign-up sheet is in the parlor if you would like to donate to this outreach activity. If you have questions, please ask Ann Wheeler or Laura Blake.

THANKSGIVING DAY CARDS

We want “those unable to attend church” to know that we continue to love and pray for them. Thanksgiving Day cards are in the parlor for you to sign and these will be mailed for Thanksgiving. Please sign.

CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL TREE



As Christmas approaches, we remember those loved ones that have passed on to their heavenly home. This year, the Women’s Circle is going to add a “Christmas Memorial Tree” to our sanctuary decorations. The tree will be decorated with pictures of loved ones. If you wish to participate, please provide us with a picture that could be used to make an ornament and you will be given the opportunity to place it on the tree. Please provide a picture with the name of the person by **November 17th**. Unless requested, the picture will not be returned. If you have questions, please ask Laura Blake or Ellenda Ward.

RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 127

Children a heritage from the Lord

Leader: Unless the LORD builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the LORD guards the city, the guard keeps watch in vain.

People: It is in vain that you rise up early and go late to rest, eating the bread of anxious toil, for he gives sleep to his beloved.

Leader: Sons are indeed a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward.

People: Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the sons of one's youth.

Leader: Happy is the man who has his quiver full of them. He shall not be put to shame when he speaks with his enemies in the gate.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Our church Christmas Dinner is scheduled for Tuesday, December 3rd at 6:00pm. The dinner will be catered by Rebel Barn. If you wish to make a reservation, please let Laura Blake know by November 24th. The cost is \$11, and payment is needed at time of reservation.