Worship Service - November 26, 2023

RENEW - 9:00 am

Welcome

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed UMH 881

Songs of Praise

Prayer & Offerings

Wee Worship

Scripture

Colossians 1: 11-20

Message Christ is King

Song of Praise

The Lord's Prayer

*Go Forth to Serve

We're so glad to have you worshiping with us today!

We invite you to stop by our WELCOME CENTER which is located to the left as you exit the Sanctuary.

Hearing Assistance Devices

Available. If you'd like to use one, let one of the ushers know.

Traditional - 11:00 am

Welcome

Prelude

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed UMH 881

Hymn of Praise

What Wondrous Love is This UMH 292

Wee Worship

Concerns, Gratitude, and Prayers

Offering

Anthem

Mary, Did You Know By Mark Lowry

*Doxology

Scripture Lesson

Colossians 1: 11-20

Message Christ is King

*Hymn of Dedication

Oh How I Love Jesus UMH 170

*Go Forth to Serve

Prepare your heart for Advent

December 3rd
Please read and pray over
Luke 1:11-25

What If I Missed It?

How to prepare for Advent



Children, How Do You Prepare for Advent?

It's Advent!
It's Christmas!
It's the HolyDay season
where we

celebrate the birth of Jesus. Whether you're setting up a Nativity scene or decorating your home, send us a short video of your Advent preparation and we'll include it with our PUMC Children's Ministry Festivities.

Send your video or questions to Nicolas@pumcfortmill.org

Sanctuary Decoration December 1st and 2nd Starting 10am both days

We need lots of elves to help beautify the Sanctuary for the Advent Season.

For more information, Pam Brenwald, pambrenwald@gmail.com





Children's Christmas Concert

Sunday, December 3th 4 pm, Sanctuary

'Children's Chimes' and 'Joyful Noize' will present a Christmas program to celebrate the birth of Jesus



December 3rd 5:00-6:00pm

Cookies with Santa

Admission is a new, unwrapped toy for needy children in our community



9:00 am CORE
11:00 am Chancel Choir
Join us as we celebrate Advent through music and narration.

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Annual UWF Cookie Sale Sunday, December 10th Before and after each Cantata \$5/doz

Bakers Needed!

Bring cookies to church
Saturday, December 9th 10am-Noon
Please package 6 to a bag.
Label with type and if they contain nuts.
Bags available in the Coffee
Connections Room.

"An Unlikely Advent"

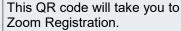
Every Thursday, November 30th through December 21st 700 PM - 830 PM



Toni and I will be leading an Advent Book and Bible Study by Zoom based on "An Unlikely Advent" by Rachel Billups.

You may purchase a copy of this book from Amazon, Cokesbury, or Thrift Books.

Registration is required.





We look forward to growing with you during this Advent season as we explore "An Unlikely Advent."



Bethel Men's Night Shelter Monday, November 27th 6 - 7 PM

Join us for fun and fellowship by working in the Donation Center. We will meet for dinner at a restaurant prior to working. Sign up via link located on the PUMC website calendar or by signing up in the Coffee Connections Room.



Spread the
Warmth
Annual Coat Drive
Deadline
November 26th
Donate new or gently

used winter clothing for adults and children. Box is located in the Coffee Connections Room.

Connection Card

Church Council Meeting Sunday, December 17th, 1:30 pm All Members are Invited!

Prayer Requests This Week

If you have updates about our members or prayer concerns, please contact the church office at 803.548.0102

Gene Baker Homer Bethea Phil Brigman Doris Bevil Barbara Chapman Eunice Faulkenbury Jesse Ford Fred Grohaan Gene Hoover Holly Johnson Jennifer Lare Polly Merritt Lollie Rea Carolyn Ressler Alice Sumner Claudia Register Dorothye Young



Prayer Requests

Other information and/or prayer requests I would like to share with the church Staff or Senior Pastor.

	Check here if you would like a call from the Pastor
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Angel Tree



Senior Pastor

Scan the QR code with your smart phone camera to sign up for clothing and toys for individual angels OR pull a tag from the tree to purchase a gift card for a family.

Important! Please wrap your gift and create a tag with the child's name, age and the family number and place it on the gift. All gifts and gift cards are to be returned no later than 11:00 am on Sunday, Dec. 16th. If you choose a gift card from the Angel Tree, return gift card to Linda Honeycutt or the church office.

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCIAL REPORT

November 12, 2023

\$14,110 is needed each week to meet our annual budget of \$733,741 we received \$5,131 this week

\$488,729 has been received towards the General and Building Funds

\$518,182 has been spent from the General and Building Funds

\$38,232 Cash Available to Support Church Expenses, Missions & Ministries

\$778,816 Loan balance for Building

Ways to Give

Cash & Checks accepted every Sunday during Offering! Visit us at www.pumcfortmill.org/give/ Via Zelle App - gifts@pumcfortmill.org Transfer Stocks, Bonds, Brokerage Assets Mail or Drop-off your gift during regular office hours Have questions about giving?

Please contact PUMC's part-time Financial Associate, Mayra Leon at accounting@pumcfortmill.org



Clang Buckets Sunday, Dec 3rd 9 & 11am

During Wee Worship, the children will collect change for **Operation Christmas** Child to help ship our shoeboxes to children around the world.

For More Information Contact:

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Colossians 1: 11-20

¹¹We also pray that you will be strengthened with all His glorious power so you will have all the endurance and patience you need. May you be filled with joy, ¹² always thanking the Father. He has enabled you to share in the inheritance that belongs to His people, who live in the light. ¹³ For He has rescued us from the kingdom of darkness and transferred us into the Kingdom of His dear Son. ¹⁴ who purchased our freedom and forgave our sins.

¹⁵ Christ is the visible image of the invisible God. He existed before anything was created and is supreme over all creation.

¹⁶ for through Him God created everything in the heavenly realms and on earth.

He made the things we can see and the things we can't see—

such as thrones, kingdoms, rulers, and authorities in the unseen world

Everything was created through him and for him.

He existed before anything else, and He holds all creation together.

¹⁸ Christ is also the head of the church, which is His body.

He is the beginning,

supreme over all who rise from the dead.

So He is first in everything.

¹⁹ For God in all His fullness was pleased to live in Christ,

²⁰ and through Him God reconciled everything to Himself.