Deacon of the Week

Today: Tom Gainey Next Sunday: Bob Hearn Sunday School Nursery Today: Teresa Baggett Next Sunday: Norma Hunt

Sound Operator

Today: Phill Stroud/Phillip Jones

12-03-17

12-10-17

Next Sunday: Leigh Peake/Matt Blackwell

Sunday School Attendance

Extended Care Teachers

Today: Kelly Boulet Valerie Goodwin Jessica O'Shesky Mary Knox Next Sunday:
Maria McKeown
Jennifer Andrade
Art Coogler
Caroline Brown
Nara Mnatsakanyan

Church Offering

88 12-10-17 General Fund: \$ 3,581.00 92 Designated: 315.00

Foreign Missions Offering Goal \$2,500.00

Received \$1,321.00 Needed \$1,179.00 Budget

YTD Tithes & Offerings \$234,788.27

Rosewood Food Pantry

Please bring canned meats and canned vegetables.

Birthdays

12/17	Gabriel Masiwemai	12/20	Elizabeth Smith
12/17	Norma Hunt	12/20	Eloise Bagwell
12/18	Ray Grant	12/20	Eddie Player
12/20	Bob Hearn		•

Greenlawn Baptist Church Staff

Dr. Terry Cagle, *Senior Pastor* Mr. Rob Baggett, *Minister of Music*

Mrs. Debbie Rountree, Admin Asst./Financial Sec.

Mr. Lewis Scurry, Buildings Security Assistant Mr. Craig Roberts, Pianist/Organist Mr. Hydrick Gass, *Trumpeter* Mrs. Jewel Canty, *Violinist* Mr. Mike Canty, *Djembe*

Ms. Scarlette Smith, *Hand Bell Director* Mr. Tony Taylor, *Housekeeping Associate*

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Greenlawn Baptist Church

"Hold Fast to the Grace of God."

Acts 13:43

God Calls Us To Worship December 17, 2017 The Fourth Sunday of Advent-Love

Greeting* Dr. Terry Cagle

Greeting: "The Love of the Lord be with you."

Response: "And also with you."

Concerns of the Church

Visitors, please complete a green Visitor's card located in the card rack.

Prelude God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen Advent Bells

Call to Worship, Page 182* Go, Tell It on the Mountain Sanctuary Choir

God Calls Us To Praise

Children's Sermon Beth Sanders

Lighting the Fourth Candle of Advent

The Candle of Love

Terri Hill

All children 4th grade and younger are invited to follow their leaders to the Children's Building For Children's Church immediately following the lighting of the Advent Candle.

Hymn of Praise, Page 203*

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks

God Calls Us to Give Thanks and Share

Morning Prayer

Stewardship Hymn, Page 200*

One Small Child

Stewardship Prayer

Offertory

Ingathering for Foreign Missions

Doxology, Page 668*

Congregation

God Calls Us to Proclaim His Good News

Reading God's Word John 10:1-18

Anthem "Fullness of Grace" Sanctuary Choir

Beth Sanders, Soloist

Sermon "Love" Dr. Terry Cagle

God Calls Us To Follow

Hymn of Invitation, Page 189*

Child in the Manger

A minister will be at the front of the sanctuary to talk to those who desire to receive Christ as Savior and Lord, those who wish to renew their relationship with Christ, those who want to unite with the church, and those who need prayer.

Benediction* Dr. Terry Cagle

Postlude*

*The Congregation will please stand.

Opportunities of the Week

Sunday	12/17	
9:00	Children's Committee Meeting, CR	
9:30	Early Bird Choir Tune-Up	
9:45	Sunday Morning Bible Study	
11:00	Morning Worship, 4th Sunday of Advent	
5:00	Hand Bells	
Tuesday	12/19	
7:30	Men's Breakfast, Lizard's Thicket on Beltline	
11:00	Connie Hammond-Florrie Rentz Mission Group	
Wednesday	12/20	
7:20	Sanctuary Choir	
	No Children or Youth Activities	
	No Pastor's Bible Study	
Saturday	12/23	
12:00	Adult Choir Party, FH	
Sunday	12/24	
9:30	Early Bird Choir Tune-Up	
, , ,	No Sunday Morning Bible Study	
11:00	Morning Worship, Adult Choir Christmas Musica	
5:00	Christmas Eve Service	

The Columbia Police Lieutenant who spoke on Church Security at our last Church Conference (Nov 19, 2017) recommended that the Church Office maintain a list of all persons with a key to open any door on our campus. Debbie Rountree, Church Secretary, does not currently have a list of who has keys. Please contact Debbie if you possess a key to any building at Greenlawn Baptist Church so she can create a key security list. Norma P. Hunt, Chair Property and Space Committee.

The Alice Thompson Group has made a space in the outdoor garage for your larger items. We are accepting all items for the Thrift Sale at this time. We will have several drop-off days in January. Look for the dates in the January-February newsletter.

The Open Arms Sunday School Class is still collecting magazines for the VA Hospital. There is a box marked "VA" for this purpose in Room 108, Patrick Building. Magazines are taken to the VA at least once a month.

The 5th Sunday Fellowship for next Sunday has been canceled.