

December 13, 2020



WE WORSHIP OUR GOD

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Advent Candle Lighting *The Dzierzanski Family*

Hymn *“Do You Hear What I Hear?”*

Children’s Christmas Video

Prayer Concerns/Prayer

Scripture *Luke 2:8-18*

Message *Pastor Toby Wagoner*

“Interrupted Plans”

Hymn *“Silent Night”* *Pg 91*

Holy Communion ~ The Bread, The Cup

*Benediction *“Blest Be The Tie”*

The final hymn is an invitation to those who wish to follow Christ as Savior and Lord, to renew their faith, or to unite with the membership of this church. If you feel led to do this, please contact Pastor Toby. He will gladly talk and pray with you.

This Week at FBC

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| Sunday | 10:45 | Morning worship Live or broadcast on Facebook/Zoom (TBD) |
| | 5:00 | 18-35 Life Study Group (TBD) |
| | 6:30 | Jr & Sr High Youth (TBD) |
| Monday | 6:00 | Trustee Meeting |
| Wednesday | 6:30 | Online Bible Study Junior & Senior Youth (TBD) |
| Saturday | 11:30 | CommUnity Kitchen – Susan West |

Upcoming Events

Dec 14-BOCE; Dec 15- Financial Committee; Dec 16- Deacon’s Meeting; Dec 17- Anchor Articles Due; Dec 20- Youth Nativity; Dec 24- Christmas Eve; On-line The Promise of Light; Office Closed; Dec 25- Jesus’ Birthday; Office Closed



The next Women’s CIRCLE will be January 21 at 7:00. We would like to say Thank You to all our people who have helped with our ministries throughout the year.



Mark your calendars. Our next Men’s Fellowship will be on January 8 at 6:30.

Giving can be done in many ways.

- **Mail to FBC, 215 Ann Street, Ravenswood, WV 26164**
- **Drop it off at the church. (we can run out to the curb and pick it up from you if you prefer not to come in)**
- **Use Tithe.ly on line for a quick, easy way to give. Go to our website and click on Online Giving to FBC.**

Announcements

Welcome to our 10:45 service this morning. We are following the recommendations of the Health Department at this time. *Masks and social distancing are required.*

Announcements

We will meet in the sanctuary if the school color code is **not** orange or red on Saturday evening.

This is our third Sunday in Advent. Thank you to the *Dzierzanski Family* for leading our Advent service this morning.

The **Board of Christian Education** will have their monthly meeting Monday at 6:30. The **Financial Committee** will be Tuesday at 6:00. The **Deacons** will meet Wednesday at 7:30.

Our Building Fund total so far is \$32,910.57. Thanks to all who have given to this fund.

The 2021 Flower Calendar is posted on the side office door. Please sign up for altar flowers and designate which florist you would like to use. (AY Affectionately Yours or RF Ravenswood Florist) Thank you.

If you are able to help with CommUnity Kitchen in 2021, please let Susan know. **Remember - Even one Saturday a year helps.**

We will be doing the **luminaries** again this Christmas Eve. Contact Susan if you would like a loved one remembered in lights. The cost is \$2.00 per luminary.

If you would like to help with the **Adopt-a-Family**, please choose an angel from the Angel Tree on the bulletin board outside the church office or contact Susan in the office. **Please return your item by 12/20.**

In order to comply with our insurance policy, we will be updating our criminal background checks for those who work with the youth, kids and nursery. We will begin in January. More info to follow.

The **2021 FBC Church Calendar** is ready for the committees and officers to review at their next meetings. Please mark any corrections or additions your group may have. They will be printed by the last week in December.

We are working on a Christmas Eve video, *The Promised Light*. This will be shown on line at 6:00 on Christmas Eve. All the luminaries will be on display on Christmas Eve also.

Thanks to all who helped in any way with the Blood Drive Monday. We collected 29 pints. **That will have an impact on as many as 80 people!** Way to go!!

Youth News

No Youth when the schools are closed for COVID! Please, everyone, stay safe.

The Youth are working on a Christmas program - a live nativity scene.

We hope you enjoy our annual Children's Christmas play this morning. Thanks to all the parents for their help in getting the videos. Many thanks to Talia Martinez, Jane Moore and Andrea Crow for organizing it.

WELCOME to our service of worship on this Lord's Day! If you are looking for a church home, we would have you consider First Baptist.



FAITH is always personal, yet not private, and is expressed freely and openly within the community of faith.



December Memory Verse:

He will lead His flock like a shepherd; He will gather them in His arm, and carry them in His bosom, and gently lead those who are young.

Isaiah 40:11

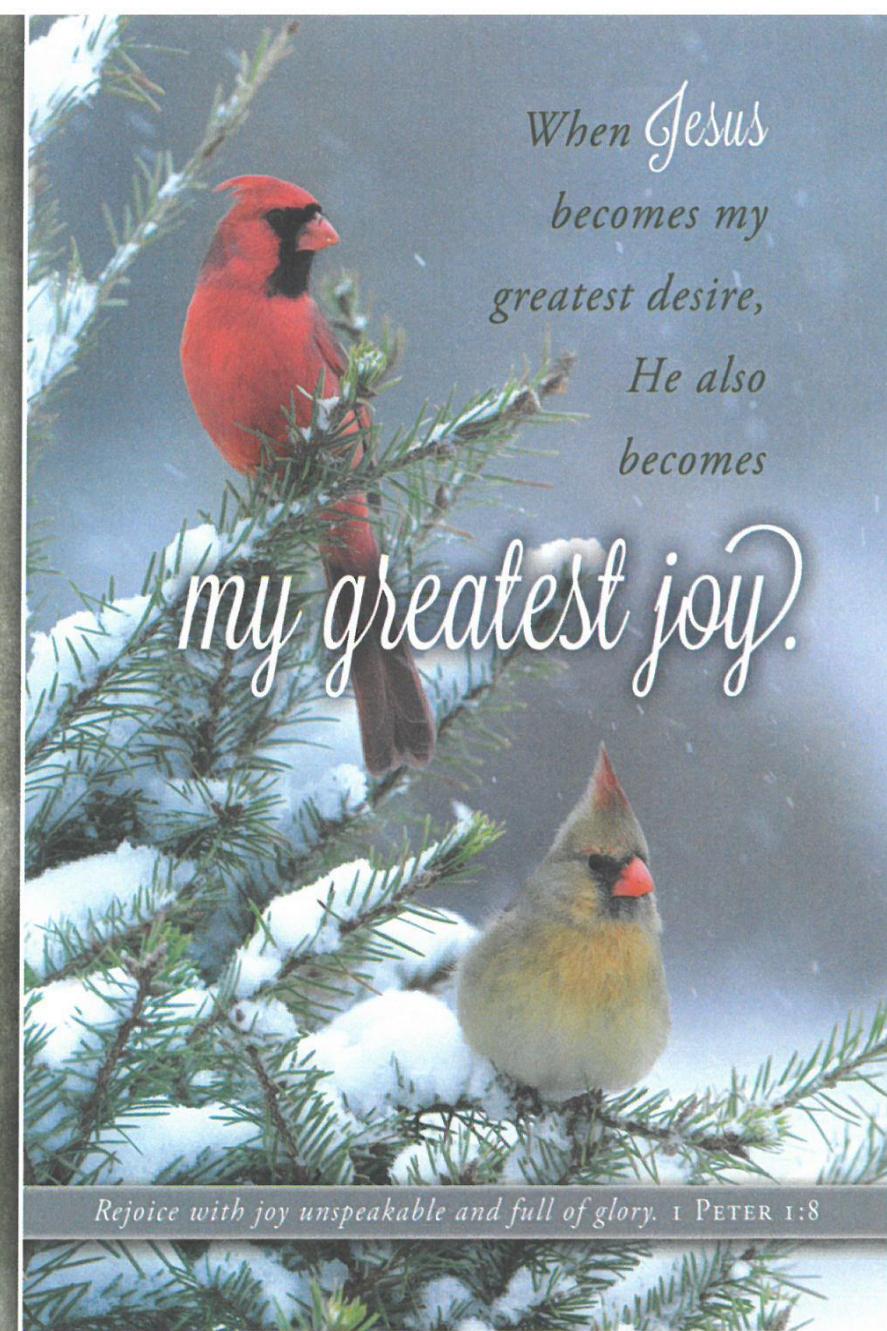
The beautiful flowers for today are given by Ann Johnson in honor of her mom and dad's 66th anniversary – Bob and Helen Johnson.

Our Attendance

Join us for worship on Sunday on Facebook. If you do not have Facebook, all sermons and Bible studies will be posted on our web page (www.fbcravenswood.org) by 11:00 the following day. Please join us as we worship the Lord together.



Don't forget: you can also join in by phone to the worship service and Wednesday Bible study. **For security purposes we now have a new Zoom Room. Contact the office for dial in information.**



*When Jesus
becomes my
greatest desire,
He also
becomes*

my greatest joy.

Rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory. 1 PETER 1:8

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