## **December 25, 2022**

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## WE WORSHIP OUR GOD

Opening "Joy to the World"

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Prayer Concerns/Prayer

Christmas Song "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology

The Christmas Story Monologue

Praise & Worship "O Come, All Ye Faithful"

Scripture Isaiah 9:6-7; Matthew 1:18-25

Sermon Pastor Toby Wagoner

"The Best Gift Ever"

Worship Song "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"

\*Benediction

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.

#### This Week at FBC

Sunday	9:30	Sunday School
	10:45	Morning worship
Wednesday	6:30	Bible Study
		Youth New Year's Party
Thursday	1:00	Game Day
Friday		Office Closed
Saturday	11:30	No CommUnity Kitchen
	6:00	New Year's Silent Prayer

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# Upcoming Events

Dec 25- Christmas Day; No Sunday School; Dec 28-Youth New Years Party; Dec 29- Game Day; Dec 30-Office Closed; Dec 31- New Years Time of Prayer; Jan 1- Happy New Year!; Communion; Jan 2-Trustee Meeting; Jan 4-Annual Reports Due; Jan 5- Deaconess Meeting; Jan 6- Movie Night



Our next CIRCLE meeting will be January 19 in the Fellowship Hall. Sandy Confer will be hosting. *Merry Christmas from all those in CIRCLE. Have a blessed season of love.* 



Men's Fellowship next meeting will be after the holidays on January 10, 2023. *Have a very Merry Christmas and New Year*.

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No Nursery Worker today No Children's Church today No Nursery Next Week No Children's Church Next Week

If you are willing to help with the children, contact Ashlee Wyant.

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### Giving can be done in many ways.

- Mail to FBC, 215 Ann Street, Ravenswood, WV 26164
- Drop it off at the church
- Use Tithe.ly on line for a quick, easy way to give. Go to our website and click on Online Giving at www.fbcravenswood.org

### **Announcements**

# Happy Birthday Jesus!

The 2023 Calendars are posted on the side office door. Please sign up for the **Altar Flowers** and **CommUnity Kitchen.** 

DON'T FORGET TO CHECK FOR CHRISTMAS CARDS!

Game Day is this Thursday at 1:00 in the Fellowship Hall

The sanctuary will be open this Saturday from 6:00 to 7:00 for those who wish to come have silent prayer.

The office will be closed on Friday, December 30. Have a safe and wonderful New Year!

All invoices, receipts and reimbursements need to be turned in by Wednesday, December 28 to be paid in the 2022 budget. Thank you.

I would like to thank everyone for your generous gifts and love during this season. You have been a wonderful blessing to me. Love to all, Susan

If you know of anyone in our church who is struggling this winter, please contact your deacon and let them know.

Communion will be next Sunday on January 1, 2023 during the worship service.

Church calendars will be available to the officers next week. If you are not an officer and would like one, let Susan know. If you haven't paid for your memorials yet, please turn it in to Susan or label it as 'memorial' and put it in the offering. Thank you.

## 18 & Up Young Adults Group

Sundays 9:30-10:30 Come join us for a lesson and discussion on our continuing study in Revelation. Breakfast treats available.

Sundays 6:00-7:00 Interested in your adult fellowship and strengthening your Walk with God? Come check it out. Devotional topics and activities vary each week.

## Youth News

The youth meet Wednesday evening, December 28 at 6:30 for their New Year's party. All junior and senior high students are welcome to come and join in.

There will be no Youth or God's Cadets tonight.

God's Cadets will resume January 8, 2023.

**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.

Inside each pew is an attendance pad for you to sign. **Please take** time to sign it and pass it along your row.



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



# December Memory Verse:

"Arise, shine; for thy light has come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee." Isaiah 60:1

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The beautiful flowers at the altar today are given by Sandy Confer in memory of Brent's and her parents: Don & Shirley Confer and Don & Shirlee McClure.

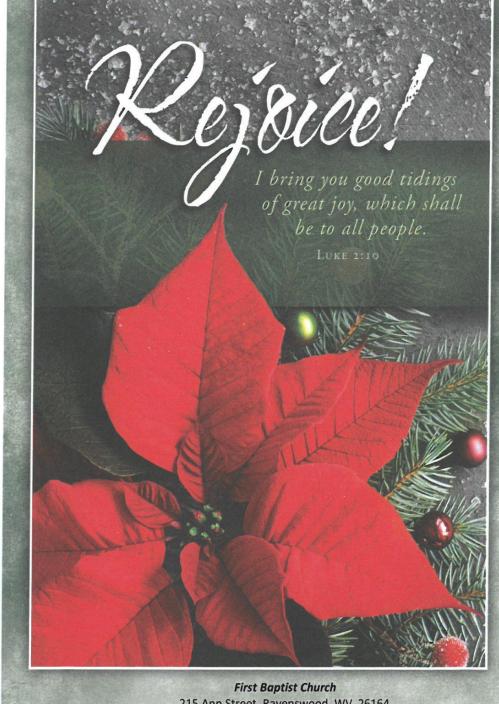
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You are important! Sign in Please! The Attendance Pads are in each pew. Sign in and pass it on. YOU COUNT! Thank you.

#### **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 (<a href="www.fbcravenswood.org">www.fbcravenswood.org</a>). Please join us as we worship the Lord together.

Masks are not required during morning worship service. If you are more comfortable wearing one though, please feel free to do so.



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