

Mt. Summit Christian Church

 (Disciples of Christ)

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Find the Lost

Feed the Found

Be the Kingdom

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On December 17th a group from the church did some caroling around Mt. Summit. Thanks to everyone who participated in spreading the Christmas cheer!

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CHRISTIAN
CHURCH

The Summit Messenger



Dear Church,

As you enter 2024, what resolutions are you making? With the fresh start of a new year, will you end certain habits and establish new ones? In this spirit of making commitments, I ask you to consider your relationship with God and the life of this church.

Starting January 14th, our church will incorporate a special stewardship program that will run until February 4th. The title for the program is “Shine: Sharing the Light of the World.” The focus in our singing, teaching, prayers, and more will be how Jesus is the light of the world and how

we as a church can continue to lift up Jesus in Henry County. Your pastors and many others in the congregation will highlight your church’s work, upcoming needs, and the impact of partnering with us in your service and generosity. We will ask you to make commitments in multiple ways and to make your intentions known by completing and submitting a Commitment Card to your church. On February 4th we will end the program with a Celebration Sunday when you will be invited to bring your completed Commitment Card to offer your gifts to God. We will also share a lunch after worship to celebrate our response to God’s generosity towards us.

Most importantly, your pledge commitment for 2024 will help us continue to find the lost, feed the found, and be the kingdom in Henry County.

Grace & Peace,

Justin

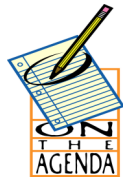
-“Shine like stars in the universe as you hold out the word of life.” (Philippians 2:15-16)

*We gathered
on Christmas
Eve to share
the light
of Christ*



We need you for
De-Decorating

We'll be packing up the Christmas decorations on January 7th after the worship service (at 11 a.m.) Please plan to stay and help. It's a big task!



Board Meeting
January 8th - 6:30 p.m.

Chairs: please submit reports to the office the Friday before the meeting.



Thanks for your input! We plan to issue the new directory this month.



Middle & High School Youth

6-7:30 p.m.
7th, 14th, 21st & 28th



Beginning this month, the church Admin. Assistant will be in the office Monday, Tuesday & Thursday mornings only.

Serving Sundays in January



Elder: 7th & 14th Terry Matney
14th Jim Smith, 28th Pat Adams

Deacons: Hillary Edington & Nick Homuth

Acolytes: 7th & 14th Kyson Edington
21st & 28th Alex Homuth

January Sermon Schedule

7th "It's the End of the World as We Know It"
Psalm 29 / Mark 1:4-11

14th "Are You Listening?"
Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 / 1 Samuel 3:1-10

21st "How to Change the World"
Psalm 62:5-12 / Mark 1:14-20

28th "The Untended Secret"
Psalm 111 / 1 Corinthians 8:1-13



Attendance & Offering

12/3	70	\$3,590
12/10	64	\$3,105
12/27	58	\$3,044
12/24	55	\$5,264
Christmas Eve Attendance	65	

Give in person, by mail, auto pay through your bank, or on-line via [Givelify](#)



Opportunities for Fellowship

"Bread & Soup" Home Group is resuming their Sunday evening meetings on January 7th at 6 p.m. the Yoakum's. Join them every Sunday at that time for a meal and Bible discussion. RSVP to Terry (765-686-2422). Their address is 104 Maple St. in Mt. Summit.

Pickleball is resuming weekly open play 9 a.m. to noon on Wednesdays starting on January 10th.

Euchre Night is starting up again January 27th at 6 p.m. and will continue on the last Saturday of each month (unless noted otherwise).



- ◆ Thanks to everyone who participated in a successful cookie exchange on December 3rd! We delivered boxes of cookies to the firefighters, police and township employees.
- ◆ Thanks to everyone who participated in the Christmas Family Adoption project!
- ◆ Thanks to everyone who gave to the love offering for the Praise Team!
- ◆ The pastors and administrative assistant thank everyone who remembered them with Christmas presents!



2024 Camp Dates

Linked by Love

All camps will be at Bedford Christian Camp starting next year. You can start registering in NOW!

Start planning for next summer!

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|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| You & Me 1
June 10-12 | Ages 5+
with Adult |
| New Beginnings
June 12-14 | Completed
Grades 1-3 |
| You & Me 2
June 14-16 | Ages 5+
with Adult |
| CROSS (Sports)
June 17-22 | Completed
Grads 6-12 |
| Explorers
June 24-29 | Grades 4-5 |
| High School
July 1-6 | Completed
Grades 9-12 |
| Middle School
July 8-13 | Completed
Grades 6-8 |
| MAD (Music, Art, Drama)
July 15-20 | Completed
Grades 6-12 |

JANUARY 2024

SUNDAY MORNINGS:
Adult Bible Study: 9 a.m.
Coffee & Fellowship: 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service: 10 a.m.



January Birthdays

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|-------------------|------------------|
| Ezekiel Morton | 1 st |
| Alice Vickery | 4 th |
| Debbie Masters | 5 th |
| Jim Stokes | 5 th |
| Will Brockman | 6 th |
| Pat Adams | 7 th |
| Isaiah Waymire | 7 th |
| Stefanie Petty | 9 th |
| Elizabeth Shaefer | 10 th |
| Ron Green | 12 th |
| Matthew Smith | 13 th |
| Amiyah Cole | 15 th |
| David Yoakum | 15 th |
| Isaac Morton | 18 th |
| Stephanie Evans | 20 th |
| Gary Masters | 23 rd |
| Susan Green | 23 rd |
| Nathan Yoakum | 25 th |
| Don Hoopingarner | 28 th |
| Delia Vickery | 29 th |
| Mary Hall | 31 st |



Prayer List

IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

- Vada Collins (Glen Oaks)
- Mary Lou Dye (Forest Ridge)
- Marilyn Fellers (Glen Oaks - Legacy Wing)
- Bud Shelton (Glen Oaks - Room 511)

HEALTH CONCERNS

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|------------------|-------------------|
| Judy Brown | Kacie Houser |
| Susan Brown | Cheryl May |
| Linda Clausen | Mark Miltenberger |
| Steve Cloud | Mark O'Brien |
| Brent Crockett | Susan Phoenix |
| Barb Fye-Johnson | Bill Pracht |
| & family | Ethel Province |
| Jessica Hall | Vern Snyder |
| Mary Hall | Diane Veritas |
| Shelby Hall | Susan Waymire |
| Don Hoopingarner | |

PLEASE NOTE: Prayer requests remain on the list for one month. Let the office know if you'd like them to be on the list again after that time.



More of our church family celebrating here on Christmas Eve.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Office Closed 	2	3 CAF Noon-3 pm FH EMPRCS Mtg. 6 pm	4 BRV Latchkey in FC 3-5:30 pm	5	6 EPIPHANY
7 Elders Mtg 8 am Un-Hanging of the Greens 11 am Deacons Mtg 11 am FH in use 2-3 pm MS/HS Youth 6-7:30 pm Home Group @ Yoakum's 6 pm	8 Board Mtg 6:30 pm	9 COF 1-3 pm WA	10 Pickleball 9 am-Noon CAF Noon-3 pm FH	11	12	13
14 MS/HS Youth 6-7:30 pm Home Group @ Yoakum's 6 pm	15 Office Closed <i>(MLK Jr. Day)</i> Worship Cmte Mtg 6:30 pm (ZOOM)	16 Area Ministers Mtg 10:30 am FH COF 1-3 pm WA	17 Pickleball 9 am-Noon CAF Noon-3 pm FH	18	19	20
21 MS/HS Youth 6-7:30 pm Home Group @ Yoakum's 6 pm	22	23 COF 1-3 pm WA	24 Pickleball 9 am-Noon CAF Noon-3 pm FH	25	26	27 Euchre 6 pm
28 MS/HS Youth 6-7:30 pm Home Group @ Yoakum's 6 pm	29	30 COF 1-3 pm WA	31 Pickleball 9 am-Noon CAF Noon-3 pm FH	CAF: Christian Adult Fellowship COF: Chords of Friendship FC: Family Center FH: Fellowship Hall WA: Welcome Area 		