



First Presbyterian Church of Harborcreek

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Church Leadership

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Rev. Sheldon "Tim" Logan
Music Director.....Chris Thomas
Organist.....Joyce Kriner
Secretary.....Mary Stewart
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Treasurer.....Jim Watson

Committee Chairs—2019

Clerk of Session.....Mary Ellen Flowers
Christian Ed.....Jennifer Wedzik
Membership Care &
Development.....Barb Griffith
Ann Nesgoda, Sue Kellerman
Mission/Outreach.....Ann Nesgoda
Sue Kellerman, Jim Watson
Nominating &
Training.....Mary Ellen Flowers
Jennifer Wedzik
Personnel.....Sue Kellerman
Property.....Jared Mosier
Bob Kellerman, Dave Maille
Stewardship & Finance.....Dave Maille
Bob Kellerman, Jim Watson
Worship.....Chris Thomas
Recording Secretary.....
Cindy Skladanowski

Deacons

Chairperson.....Nancy McNally
Vice-Chairperson.....Nancy Brown
Secretary.....Joanne Scott
Treasurer.....Peggie Smith
Flower Coordinator.....Sally Wakeley
Caring Tree.....Nancy Brown
Greeters/Liturgists.....Joanne Scott
Correspondence.....Aye Mosier
Funeral Dinners.....Peggie Smith
Aye Mosier

Hello Dear Ones,

Well, as soon as we started worshipping back in the sanctuary in November, the Covid cases in our area began climbing. Talk about unfortunate timing!

Session would like to suggest that -- with covid cases more than 10 times as numerous as when we were closed -- you worship from home if at all possible. Our streaming service is available on the church's Facebook page.

We want everyone back with us when the vaccine is in wide use and this pandemic is over.

On behalf of Session and in Christ's service,

Pastor Robin



Hello Dear Ones,

Happy Advent, which begins Nov. 29. This year, we are waiting for more than the birth of the Christ child. We're waiting for the threat of Covid-19 to ease, and for the world to return to something like normal. Although we're encouraged with news of vaccine development, we still have no idea when "normal" might be.

In the meantime, session and I seriously appreciate your faith and patience during these long months. We realize that not being able to worship in person as the body of Christ is a huge issue.

We're so thankful for Facebook church, spearheaded by Jared Mosier with giant help from Jeremy Stewart and others. And the virtual choir undertaken by Bill Nesgoda and Chris Thomas is a real blessing. Both are visible signs that God's grace remains in our family of faith, and our congregational vitality endures and grows. We thank you for traveling with us and discovering the new things God is doing in and through all of us during this unique time.

Even though Advent often seems like a time of darkness, it is much more a time of hope and promise. We expect miracles during Advent. More than merely remembering the miracle under a bright star more than 2,000 years ago, let us open our hearts to the wonders and possibilities God holds for us during this Advent like no other.

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Worship News

Facebook Worship Available Every Sunday

God has promised a light is coming to us. It is a light that John's Gospel says "shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it" (John 1:5)

Let me share with you a wonderful poem. It was written decades ago, but speaks to this Advent season in a unique way. Our national Website offers a marvelous Advent devotional series based on this poem and the work of the author, Rev. Howard Thurman. You can find it at:

<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/today/advent2020/advent-and-christmas-devotional-2020-week-1/>

I Will Light Candles This Christmas

By Howard Thurman

I will light candles this Christmas,
Candles of joy despite all the sadness,
Candles of hope where despair keeps watch,
Candles of courage for fears ever present,
Candles of peace for tempest-tossed days,
Candles of grace to ease heavy burdens,
Candles of love to inspire all my living,
Candles that will burn all year long.

See you at Facebook church!
Much love,
Pastor Robin



Church Office Hours

The secretary has resumed regular office hours. She will be available Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

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The year 2020 is unlike any other, and that holds true for Christmas as well.

Like everything else, Christmas will be different this year. But count on this: Christmas will still be very special at First Presbyterian Church of Harborcreek.

The worship committee, headed by Chris Thomas, will have the church decorated and looking its sparkly best by the beginning of Advent on Nov. 29. It will be less festooned than during regular years, but still spectacular.

There will be only one service on Christmas Eve, at 7:30 p.m. You can look forward to special anthems from the virtual choir as well as special music from handbells, piano and organ, and maybe a surprise or two. Holy Communion will also be served.

Due to the pandemic, the music will be pre-recorded. Be sure to join us on Facebook church for a blessed Christmas service.

Liturgists



Sunday, December 6	Nancy Way
Sunday, December 13	Sam Wedzik
Sunday, December 20	Kyle Foust
Thursday, December 24	Marnie Logan
Sunday, December 27	Larry Hanes

Liturgists are kindly asked to be at the church on Sunday morning no later 10:30 a.m. so that the audio may be set.

More Advent News



Lectionary Readings for December

Below are the readings suggested by the Revised Common Lectionary for each Sunday in October.

Sunday, December 6	2nd Sunday of Advent
<i>Isaiah 40:1-11</i>	<i>Psalms 85:1-2, 8-13</i>
<i>2 Peter 3:8-15a</i>	<i>Mark 1:1-8</i>
Sunday, December 13	3rd Sunday of Advent
<i>Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11</i>	<i>Psalms 126</i>
<i>1 Thessalonians 5:16-24</i>	<i>Mark John 1:6-8, 19-28</i>
Sunday, December 20	4th Sunday of Advent
<i>2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16</i>	<i>Psalms 89:1-4, 19-26</i>
<i>Romans 16:25-27</i>	<i>Luke 1:26-38</i>
Thursday, December 24	Christmas Eve
<i>Isaiah 9:2-7</i>	<i>Psalms 96</i>
<i>Titus 2:11-14</i>	<i>Luke 2:1-20</i>
Friday, December 25	Christmas Day
<i>Isaiah 52:7-10</i>	<i>Psalms 98</i>
<i>Hebrews 1:1-4 (5-12)</i>	<i>John 1:1-14</i>
Sunday, December 27	1st Sunday after Christmas
<i>Isaiah 61:10-62:3</i>	<i>Psalms 148</i>
<i>Galatians 4:4-7</i>	<i>Luke 2:22-40</i>



Advent Craft Night
COME ONE COME
ALL!!
ADULTS AND KIDS!!

A Special Advent Craft Night is coming to you. Gather yourself, family, and friends for an evening of crafts, fellowship, and music. We have some special projects for you to complete with your family or just yourself!! I will record the zoom meeting so if you can't join us for the Zoom at scheduled time, you can watch the recording at your convenience. We have two special projects that both LIGHT UP! We have a little snowman that lights up that you can use as an ornament, magnet, or pin. AND...***** we have a LIGHT UP NATIVITY PICTURE!*****!

You can keep for yourself or give as gifts. We will be providing the craft materials needed for projects and leave them in a box by old church entry. The Zoom Craft Night will be on Sunday, December 13th at 6:30PM. Please join us! Email church office or let Jennifer Wedzik know if you are coming!

GUIDELINES FOR INDOOR WORSHIP DURING COVID-19

(We realize nobody likes this many rules. Our *only* goal is to keep everyone safe. Thank you.)

- Please always wear a mask on church property, whether indoors or outside. Please cover nose *and* mouth.
- Please social distance (6 feet) *at all times* on church property, whether indoors or outside.
- The sanctuary is taped off into safe social distancing. Please read the tags to tell if you're using a correct seat – from single to family. Your old seat *may* not be available.
- Overflow space will be available in the fellowship hall.
- Singing. *So, so* sorry, but we just can't do it. It's simply not safe. No churches in the Presbytery are allowing live choirs or congregational singing. Instead, please consider humming, reciting the words, or meditating on the words.
- A song leader will lead each week, and be the only person singing live, at a safe distance.
- Please use hand sanitizer upon entering the building.
- Please follow directions posted on restroom doors, and use sanitizer and wipes provided.
- Please leave the building promptly after worship. The longer we hang around inside, the more possibility there is of unintentionally shedding the virus in the building.

Special Offerings

The Ministry of the Deacons

Christmas Eve Offering

The ministry of deacon as set forth in Scripture is one of compassion, witness, and service, sharing in the redeeming love of Jesus Christ for the poor, the hungry, the sick, the lost, the friendless, the oppressed, those burdened by unjust policies or structures, or anyone in distress. Persons of spiritual character, honest repute, exemplary lives, brotherly and sisterly love, sincere compassion, and sound judgment should be chosen for this ministry. (The PC (USA) Book of Order)

This describes the ministry of the Deacons of our congregation. They respond to the needs of those within our congregation and beyond through funeral lunches and dinners, through assistance during times of crisis, and through the ongoing care of our seniors.

The financing of the ministry of the Deacons comes from special offerings, including the Christmas Eve offering. This year we will not be celebrating the birth of our Savior with in-person worship. Therefore, those wishing to support the ministry of the Deacons, should mail your gift to the church and mark it: *Deacons*.

Christmas Blessings to you and those you love.



CHRISTMAS JOY

SPECIAL OFFERINGS

CHURCH LEADERS—PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE

Being Together

“Many hands make light work.”

“Teamwork makes the dream work.”

“If we all do a little, it adds up to a lot.”

There are lots of ways to say it — but working together really does make bigger and better things possible. And, lots of times, working together makes it more fun, too. In fact, there are times made better just by our ability to be together, to be with one another.

That is something that really rings true, doesn't it? *Being together*. During these past months, many of us weren't able to be together in person. We have always been together in spirit, and in faith. But we missed seeing each other. We missed seeing faces we love — up close and personal. But that doesn't mean we haven't been together. And we definitely have not been alone.

There is a word that comes up a lot during this season we call Advent in the Church, and it points to the same sentiment, but about God: “Emmanuel.” Emmanuel means “God is with us,” and, in Jesus, we Christians claim that God took on human form to be *with us*. “God is with us” is more than just saying God is along for the ride. It states God values togetherness and relationship with us, leading us to value togetherness and relationship with one another. When we are all together as we are today — and even when we are apart.

The Christmas Joy Offering is one way we join together as Presbyterians from around the country.

We do this to meet the needs of vulnerable people we might not be able to meet as individuals or as single congregations. We might not be able to meet face to face with those who need the support that our gifts provide, but we are very much still together.

The gifts we share connect us. They also change lives. Through the Christmas Joy Offering, we support church workers and their families who experience critical financial needs through help from the Assistance Program of the Board of Pensions. We connect with the young people attending Stillman College, Presbyterian Pan American School, and the Menaul School, supporting the education and leadership development for students of color, who will soon be leaders in our Church and in the world.

“God is with us.” All the time. During this season of Advent, as we approach Christmas, I can't think of a more perfect gift than that. Thank you for sharing those lessons and those truths, through your gift to the Christmas Joy Offering.

Please give generously, for “if we all do a little — *together* — it adds up to a lot.” Please mail your gift to the church and mark your check “Christmas Joy” offering.

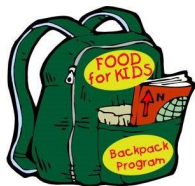


Mission News

Here's What We Are Doing!

Our new mission opportunity, the Klein School/Rolling Ridge School Backpack Program is progressing well. Many of you have made the commitment to sponsor a child for the entire year!

This program is a way to make a direct impact on the lives of the children right in our own neighborhoods! Plans are progressing as we hope to partner with Faith Lutheran Church to provide food items to those students who need food support over the weekend from Klein School. It is possible we may partner with another church to do Rolling Ridge School. The program has started already with South Harborcreek United Methodist Church providing services to Clark School.



There is a monetary amount needed to support the program and we are asking for your support to accomplish this mission. The program is able to service (through the Second Harvest Food Bank) 25 to 40 students. The cost to provide food through the school year is \$125 for each child. If you are able to support one or two children it would be a very worthwhile way to spread God's love to the children in our neighborhood. The Second Harvest Food Bank requests \$5000 for each school participating. If you would consider assisting with any amount it would be appreciated, if you can support a child or two, that's FANTASTIC! Please just mark your check "Backpack Program."

As there will be no ecumenical Thanksgiving service this year, it would be wonderful to shift your support to this worthwhile program.

THANK YOU for always being there to help those in need of God's love!

Mission Committee

HELP NEEDED STOCKING COMMUNITY BOXES



Winter will soon be here & changes need to be made in what we are giving to those in need who are using the outreach boxes. Food in cans and jars cannot be left out in freezing

temperatures so we are asking you not to buy any more of those things for the winter months.

Here are some suggestions of things to donate:

pasta or side dish packets with rice or pasta
oatmeal or boxes of cereal but not large ones due to space issues

granola or breakfast bars

dried beans

rice

nuts

instant soup mixes

boxed potatoes such as Au Gratin or instant mashed potatoes

baking mixes such as Bisquick

muffin or bread mixes

And, since the holidays are coming: cookie mixes, flour or sugar, chocolate chips

There will also be a change in things to put in the "book" box. With covid cases on the rise, we want to eliminate books & concentrate instead on paper products, puzzle books for recreation, face masks, socks & winter items like hats, mittens and scarves. Other items that could be donated are fabric softener sheets, powder laundry detergent, mouthwash, bar soap or solid deodorants.



The spirit of Christmas is moving through Harborcreek Presbyterian!

The Angels just flew off the Caring Tree!

Please remember to return your wrapped gifts by Sunday, December 6.

(The Church Office is open on MWF from 9 a.m.—12 noon.)

Preschool News



Preschool is off to a very good start this school year! The children and the teachers are very glad to be back inside the building! We are strictly following CDC and PA Dept. of Education guidelines with respect to: reduced class sizes, enhanced cleaning and disinfecting of all toys and all surfaces multiple times a day, more frequent hand washing and sanitizing for everyone, the wearing of masks (for everyone – and YES all the children do a great job!)), the wearing of face shields (just for the teachers), social distancing to the best of our ability, restricted access to the building (no adults permitted inside the building except for the staff), having outdoor classes (weather permitting) and daily temperature and wellness checks for everyone! The teachers now move from room to room with all of their supplies in tow, while the children remain in their respective homerooms. Each child has his/her own personal box of school supplies, so there is no sharing of any items. I also keep in close contact with the Erie County Dept. of Health for all of their recent updates and answers to my many, many, many questions!

Thankfully, in September we were able to schedule a “Family Fun Event” to Port Farm’s Pumpkin Farm in Waterford. We were the only group there; everything was outside; and we were very blessed to have absolutely beautiful weather that day! Everyone thoroughly enjoyed all of the many and varied activities.

We have started to learn and/or review our alphabet letters and letter sounds and have been concentrating on letters “A through H.” Our themes vary from year to year, and this year’s center around the concept of “Exploration” of different: *countries, musical instruments, jungle animals and transportation -- along with alphabet letters, phonics, letter sounds, sight words, numbers, shapes, colors, etc.!* Of course, the very important Christian values of “Caring and Sharing” are always an integral part of our curriculum!

We are also hard at work practicing our autumn, Halloween, and Thanksgiving poems as we learn more about these seasonal concepts. Speaking of giving thanks, we would like to sincerely thank the Church Session for graciously providing a delicious Halloween treat of apple juice and doughnut holes for each child. Since we no longer have a daily snack, the preschoolers were very excited and thoroughly enjoyed their special event!

It is wonderful to see our classrooms filled with energy, enthusiasm, smiling faces, and caring hearts! There is nowhere else that we would rather be! Until next time . . . take care and may God bless you and yours! “Happy Fall,” everyone!

Char Chmielewski Preschool Director

Church News

Notes from the October Session Meeting



There will be no Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service this year, so we are asking families to support the backpack program.

There will be no Christmas Light up party this year at the township building. Instead, residents will be challenged to decorate their properties. Prizes for first, second and third places will be awarded. November 6 is the deadline for the local magazine. A motion was made to hold one Christmas Eve service this year. The motion carried. That will be included in the ad along with our intent to continue live streaming.

Property: Jared stated that the thermostat in the office needs changed as the old one is not functioning correctly. Two requests, one from AA and the other The Erie Infants Home, seeking the use of church property. Both were tabled until we had a waiver of responsibility available.

Stewardship and Finance: Treasurer Jim reported that all accounts balanced. We will again give 35 dinner vouchers to the food pantry to distribute this year. Bob Kellerman applied for a grant from Erie County Care program; he is waiting for an answer.

Worship: Chris informed us that pulpit supply is set for the rest of the year. Jenn Wedzik will preach in October and in November and December it will be Pastor Tim Logan.

Mission: The next Upper Room dinner will be November 29.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Nesgoda, acting Clerk

Thanks to Ann for stepping up and filling in for me as I was out of town due to death in the family.

Also thanks for the cards and prayers sent after Ron's son-in-law's death. Ron and Cheryl, Ron's daughter, really appreciated them.

Mary Ellen Flowers



ELMWOOD GARDENS

Just want to bring everyone up to date as to what has been happening at Elmwood Garden during the pandemic.

It's been difficult for the residents to have literally lived in their rooms without outside visitors for months. The best news is that not one resident has had COVID !!! A couple of employees were positive early on but had not had contact with residents. God and the staff are definitely watching out for our folks at Elmwood. Residents are now eating in the dining room with two at a table and are separated by plexi-glass. They eat on alternating days and shifts to protect them.

The auxiliary has been trying to bring a smile to the faces of the residents with cards, ice cream treats and candy since the beginning of the pandemic. There have been no birthday parties, but we did provide cupcakes for Mother's Day and Father's Day. Auxiliary members are each in the process of purchasing Christmas gifts for each resident. We are given \$15 to shop for each resident. With creative shopping we are able to meet their wishes and make their Christmas bright. The gifts will be delivered by Santa in lieu of a Christmas party. These gifts and treats are all possible because you and this church financially support the Elmwood Gardens Auxiliary.

I want to personally shout out a huge thank you for your support. With the financial support of our churches the lives of the residents at Elmwood are brighter.

Blessings, Sue Kellerman



PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a request for the prayer chain, please speak to any 2020 Deacon or Peggie Smith (814-899-9103) to activate the prayer chain. We care about confidentiality so please let us know what information you would like to share and what is confidential.

Financial Updates...

DONATE TO YOUR CHURCH **AND STILL GET A TAX BREAK**

For those of us over 70 1/2 of age and have an IRA or 401K retirement account(s), as you know we are required to take a withdrawal(s) from the account(s) each year. This withdrawal, called a Required Minimum Distribution, (RMD), becomes taxable income.

Did you know that you can transfer any amount of money, up to \$100,000, directly from your IRA or 401K account(s) to charity each year? Well, the answer is YES, you can!

This transfer is called a **Qualified Charitable Distribution**, (QCD), which counts towards your RMD, but unlike an RMD, a QCD is NOT included in your adjusted gross income!

Here is an example. If you wish to make a \$2500 donation using money you receive from ANY source, including an RMD from your IRA/401, that money is taxable to the IRS. It must be reported as income, and depending on your tax bracket, you will pay an estimated \$375 - \$500 in income tax on the \$2500. Bottom line - to make a \$2500 donation, it will actually cost you between an estimated \$2875 - \$3000 out of pocket.

With the use of a QCD, your \$2500 donation will only costs you \$2500 and you legally avoid paying \$375-\$500 in federal income tax!

You can make a QCD to one or more tax-qualified charities each year. NOTE: The transfer must be made directly from your IRA/401K to the charity to count as a QCD. You can't just withdraw the money first and write a check to the charity. You simply contact your IRA/401K administrator and instruct them that you would like to make a Qualified Charitable Distribution for \$xxxxx to the charity of your choice, (1st Presbyterian Church of Harborcreek).

If you use a QCD to make a donation to the charity, let them know the money is coming so they can send you a confirmation of this donation, which you should keep with your tax records.

Please give strong consideration to the use of a QCD to transfer taxable RMD distributions to the church and have it become non-taxable.

P.S. When it is tax time, I can/will send anyone who makes a QCD to the church the information for reporting this non-taxable distribution on your tax filing. All of this is very simple.

Bob Kellerman
Stewardship Committee



STEWARDSHIP 2021

As the calendar year comes to a close --and the general feeling is none too soon-- we also need to look ahead as to how we navigate financially through 2021. The Committee is encouraged by the commitments received so far toward the support of our mission here in Harborcreek. If you have not yet made a pledge to support us, please send in your intention to Cindy Skladanowski, c/o First Presbyterian Church, 6724 Buffalo Rd., Hbck., Pa 16421 as soon as possible as the Committee prepares the budget in early January. Thank You.

SWISS STEAK RECAP

Again, a sincere 'THANK YOU' to everyone who helped make our first drive thru dinner a success. We served approximately 405 meals and recorded a net profit of of \$2575. Dave Maille, Chair

Pastor's Office Hours

Pastor Robin will be working from home during the pandemic restrictions.

She can be reached directly by phone during her normal office hours on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. by calling 814-823-7765. She is *always* available at that number or at 716-769-7394.

Pastor Robin's email has changed to:
robincuneo@gmail.com

Pastor Robin preaches every Sunday **except** the last Sunday of each month.

Church Family News...



December Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays

- 1 Andrea Maille
Chris Thomas
Jennifer Fannin
Bob Lyon
- 4 Katie Cahoon
- 5 Holly Hedlund
- 9 Linda Erickson
- 12 Pam Mackowski
- 18 Robin Cuneo
- 22 Troy Barker
- 22 Ashley Palmer
- 23 Marie Cahoon
- 24 Jim Bemis
- 26 Esther Noonan
Patrick Cuneo
- 27 Barb Bemis
- 29 Katelyn Beighley
- 31 Joyce Kriner

Anniversaries

- 28 Dave & Betsy Roseto

If you notice an incorrect or missing birthday/anniversary, prayer request or one that is listed that should no longer be there, call the church office 899-1031 and we will update our records.



Prayer List: For those serving in the armed forces. Ricky Hinkle, Jeremy Rockwell, Ryan Lemke, & Brian Hellmann. For the Lake Erie Presbytery & its leaders; for our pastor, Robin Cuneo, for church members, family & friends, we pray.

Please remember in prayer those who work in the medical field, public safety, first responders and all workers who have returned to work.

Barb Bemis	Rachel Hube	Wilda Resinger
Cory Bithell family	Judy Johnson	Dean Scott
Claudia Brown	Pat Kocher	Sandy Spangler
& Mike Faycheck	Ann Marie Kodba	Sandy Stewart
Lois Cochran	Beverly Leighton	Larry Stultz
Margaret Crider	Dick May	Megan Sweezey
Judy Ellwood	Hannah May	Sally Wakeley
Donna Fannin	Emily Mellish	Ron Washe
Kevin Fisher	Bob and Carol Mulvin	Abigail Wilkinson
Jake Gehrlein	Jim Nelson	Family of
Rev. Jack Graham	Yvonne Peters	Steve Wood
Shirley Hamm	Roger Ramsdale	David Zacks

Remember **Our Homebound**



Some of you have asked about what you can do to keep connected to those who are unable to come to worship or participate in church activities. Listed below are some of those you could send a card or a note of encouragement.

Lois Cochran
4400 E. Lake Road
Apt. 257
Erie, PA 16511

Margaret Crider
Heritage House
30 East Street
North East, PA 16428

Jessie Denniston
1885 Rifle Range Rd.
Cove 34
Mt. Pleasant, SC 29464

Jim & Peggy Nelson
2 Gibson St. Apt. 102
North East, PA 16428

Sandy Spangler
Room 9
227 W. 22nd Street
Erie, PA 16502

Eleanor Stanley
Springhill Center
2323 Edinboro Rd. 518c
Erie, PA 16509



December 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<div> Children's Sunday School Through Zoom at 10:00 a.m. Contact Church Office with you name and email address to join class. </div>		1	2	3	4	5
6 2nd Sunday in Advent Live-Stream Worship 11:00 a.m.	7	8	9	10 Session ZOOM Meeting 6:00 p.m.	11	12
13 3rd Sunday in Advent Live-Stream Worship 11:00 a.m. Viral Family Craft Night 6:30 p.m.	14	15	16	17	18	19
20 4th Sunday in Advent Live-Stream Worship 11:00 a.m.	21	22	23	24 Live-Stream Christmas Eve Worship 7:30 p.m. Holy Communion	25	26
27 Live-Stream Worship 11:00 a.m.	28	29	30	31	<div> <u>Elder of the Month:</u> Mary Ellen Flowers 814-440-8082 <u>Deacon of the Month:</u> Aye Mosier 814-923-2458 </div>	

Christmas Word Search

S M E S S I A H B S U I N I R I U Q i A
 U l l J E E H T E R A Z A N J J L R N E
 T M Y D I V A D F O Y T I C C O H G S R
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Angel Gabriel

Animals

Baby Jesus

Bethlehem

Candles

City of David

Christmas Tree

David

Emperor Augustus

Gifts

Glory

Heavenly Host

Hope

Joseph

Joy

Judea

Love

Manger

Mary

Messiah

Nazareth

Peace

Poinsettia

Quirinius

Savior

Shepherds

Shining Star

The Lord

Stable

Wise Men

Wreath

Bonus: Four words are in the puzzle three times. What are they?

Children's Christmas Puzzle Page

Holiday Treats Word Scramble

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oht ecthoocla _____

mpuipnk iep _____

Gfdue _____

Ecosoki _____

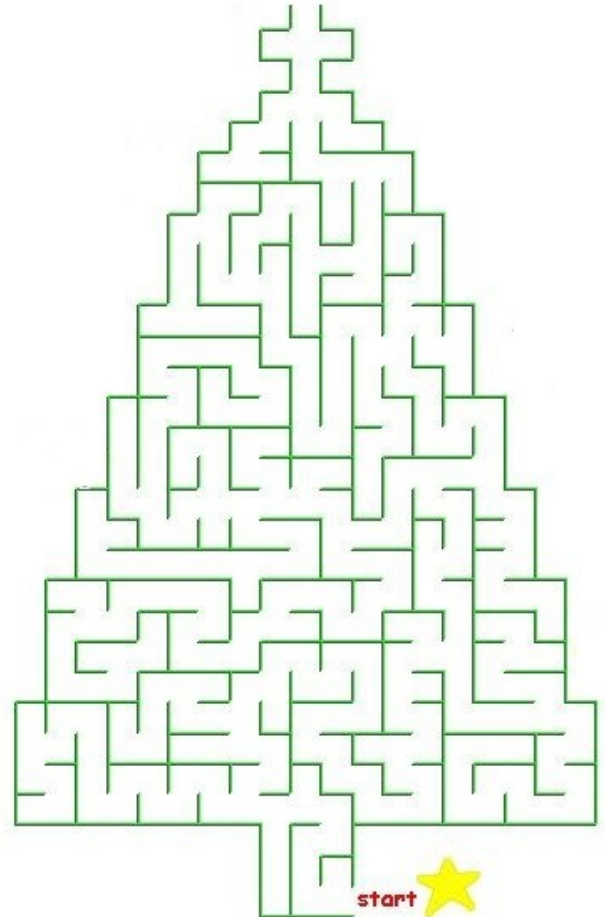
Names of Jesus Word Find

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V	N	I	B	Y	P	S	P	A	H	E
I	S	R	T	S	T	D	S	A	F	Y
L	E	A	H	U	S	U	S	I	E	J
P	L	P	Y	S	H	O	L	L	A	I
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L	M	P	G	D	J	S	A	U	Y	A
Z	L	D	A	L	M	I	G	H	T	Y
Q	O	E	W	E	R	T	O	Y	U	I
D	R	F	G	H	J	K	D	L	P	O
B	D	S	L	E	U	N	A	M	M	E

Almighty
Bread of Life
Jesus
Living
Messiah
Wonderful

God
Emmanuel
Lord
Water
The Way
Counselor

Help the star find its way
to the top of the tree.



Which baby is different?

