

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22ND
**ELLIJAY CHURCH
 OF CHRIST**

We are so glad that you are with us today! Our service will be to praise and worship God and to encourage and uplift us to face another week. We will sing (Eph. 5:19, Col. 3:16), pray (James 5:15-18), and partake of the Lord's Supper to remember our Savior's sacrifice on the cross (Acts 20:7, 1 Cor. 11:23- 26). We will also give back a portion of the monetary blessings that God has granted us so that we can carry out His work in our community (1 Cor. 16:2, 2 Cor. 9:7). We will also study a lesson from His Word that will hopefully be applicable to our daily lives so that we can be equipped to handle the pressures of this world and reach those outside of Christ (2 Tim. 2:15).

Meeting Times

Sunday Bible Classes - 9:30 AM
 Sunday AM Worship - 10:30 AM
 Sunday PM Worship - 6:00 PM
 Wednesday Evening - 6:30 PM

Tuesday Weekly Bible Study
 Men's Breakfast & Devo - 9AM
 Ladies' Bible Study - 9:30 AM



ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY - There will be a short meeting following morning service for everyone going to EYC.
 24th - There will *NOT* be a **Men's Breakfast & Devo** or **Ladies' Bible Study** this Tuesday, December 24th. The Men will meet again on the 31st; the Ladies will not start back until Jan. 7th.
 24th - 27th - The **Church Office** will be closed.
 27th - 30th - **Exposure Youth Camp**
 31st - **Men's Breakfast & Devo** 9AM at White Columns. No Ladies class until Jan. 7th.
 31st - **Special Evening Service (6:30 PM) & Welcome in the New Year (teen lock-in).**

Happy New Year! **2025**

JANUARY

5th - Present Growth Plan to Congregation

WINDOW STICKERS



Now Available in the Church Office

Pick yours up today!

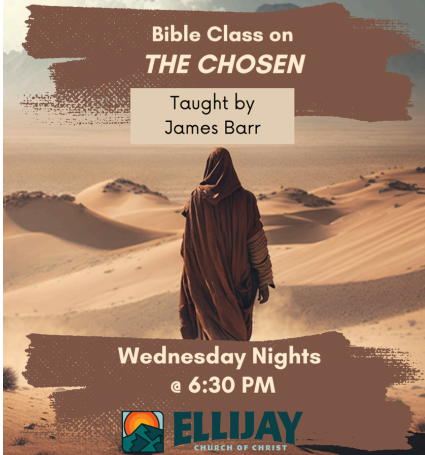
If you picked an angel from the angel tree to purchase a gift, the item is **due back today**. Please return your wrapped present with the angel attached and place it under the tree by the evening service tonight. Thank you for your generosity!

ORDER OF WORSHIP


- Song (#1018) Joy to the World
- Welcome and Reading - Psalm 8**
- Song (#1017) Away in a Manger
- Song (#1003) Silent Night
- Opening Prayer**
- Song (#382) Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?
- Lord's Supper**
- Song (#180) Jesus is Lord
- Contribution**
- Song (#997) O Come, All Ye Faithful
- Scripture Reading - Luke 2:4-14**
- Song (#1005) Beautiful Star of Bethlehem
- Lesson - "Glory to God in the Highest"**
- Jeremy Green**
- Song (#908) There's a Stranger at the Door
- Announcements**
- Song (#1012) Go Tell it on the Mountain
- Closing Prayer**

Bible Class on **THE CHOSEN**

Taught by James Barr



Wednesday Nights @ 6:30 PM





TAUGHT BY
 JOSH CHANCEY
 JEREMY GREEN
 BARRY KINGSLEY
 BEN KINGSLEY
 BARRY PRITCHETT
 CAELAN SCARBROUGH

HEARTS ON FIRE



WEDNESDAY NIGHTS
 6:30 PM
 ECOC AUDITORIUM

BIBLE BY THE BOOK




SUNDAY MORNINGS
 9:30 AM
 ECOC AUDITORIUM

Taught by Jeremy Green

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

SUNDAY MORNINGS
 9:30 AM
 FELLOWSHIP HALL CLASSROOM
 Taught by Barry Kingsley





PRAYER REQUESTS

Many in our church family are sick at this time. **Judy Wright** is at home recovering from surgery. **Jane Anderson Spivey** is continuing cancer treatments. Please continue to keep **Billy & Teresa Weeks** in your prayers. **Jean Mulkey** is in Parkside Nursing Home and welcomes visitors. Her room is the first one on the left as you enter.

Cancer Patients
Gene Belcher, Pam Hall, Rachael Hensley, Cleah Boaz, Steve Eller, Harv Pankey, Carol Mabry, Tina Messer, Billy Stells, Cathy Thurman, Roy Davis, Cindy Setlock, Jim Dean, Lanie Jones, John Sullivan, Calvin Michael Evans, Shannon Kepler, Mike Freeman, Martha Sims, Shirley Holloway

Others to Remember
Donnie Bailey, Jean Mulkey, Barbara Cox, Ann Mason, Darla Dove, Judy Wright, Jackson Giddens, Stephanie Pim, Tamera Powell, Saydee Low, Winston Rhodes, Brooke Burnett, Mark Stephens, Jessica Green, Dan Weaver, Sybil Norton, Wayne Sluder, Shirley Edmondson, Tim Key, Sandra Parker, Mike Huff, Sue Upton, Luisa Varin, JoAnn Maxwell, Joyce Butler, Mark Bailey, Anna Claire Long, Sandra Norton, Kenny Warren, Koby Cork, Danny Perry

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1 **Shep Oleksa**
- 1 **Courtney Pettit**
- 3 **Holly Barr**
- 3 **Linda Dubiski**
- 4 **Teresa Weeks**
- 4 **Paul Hicks**
- 5 **Misty Dove**
- 5 **Dalton Stephens**
- 5 **Brandon Jones**
- 7 **Tracy Sisson**
- 8 **Margaret Huff**
- 9 **Abby Chancey**
- 10 **Reid Cochran**
- 10 **Eddy Mulkey**
- 11 **Jenny Bailey**
- 11 **Aida Bee Pettit**
- 13 **Wendy Jones**
- 15 **Curtis Kingsley**
- 16 **Diane Wilson**
- 17 **Evan Goodwin**
- 18 **Robin Glover**
- 18 **Raylan Parker**
- 18 **Brenton Reece**
- 19 **Morgan Holland**
- 19 **Brandi Holloway**
- 19 **Carmelina Raymundo**
- 20 **Jackie Cochran**
- 21 **Suzanne Mullinax**
- 21 **Brenda Rittenberry**
- 22 **Laurie Pettit**
- 22 **Jameson Reece**
- 23 **Helen Reece**
- 25 **Elenore Wright**
- 25 **Scotlin Reece**
- 26 **Ginny Barr**
- 26 **Alan Hall**
- 26 **Benjamin Kingsley**
- 29 **Butch Jones**



Facts and Figures- Week of December 15th



Sunday Bible Class	89
Sunday AM Service	139
Sunday PM	61
Wednesday Evening	100

Contribution \$ 7,710.35
Budget \$8,200.00 (AVG: \$ 7,818.40)

Now there were in the same country shepherds living out in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. And behold, an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were greatly afraid. Then the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be the sign to you: You will find a Babe wrapped in swaddling cloths, lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying: "Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace, goodwill toward men!"

- Luke 2:8-14

Sending love to all who are:

 GRIEVING A LOSS DURING THE HOLIDAYS	 FEELING LONELY	 FACING FAMILY TROUBLES
 STUGGLING IN SOME WAY	 FEELING ANXIOUS	 FEELING STRESSED DURING THE HOLIDAYS

Elders

Tim Hall
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Barry Kingsley
Mark Pettit

Minister

Jeremy Green
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Deacons

James Barr
Josh Chancey
Tim Hensley
John Johnson
Brandon Jones
Jason Ledford
Tate McCoy
Will Parker
Barry Pritchett
Garry Rittenberry
Daniel Sisson
Mark Wilson

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Worship Assignments

December 22nd

Welcome	Mark Pettit
Scripture Reading	Shep Oleksa
Opening Prayer	(AM) Paul Hicks (PM) Matt Watkins
Closing Prayer	(AM) Garry Rittenberry (PM) Rob Burton
Song Leading	(AM) Gerald Chancey (PM) Singing Service
Lord's Supper	Tim Hensley
Serving	J. Johnson E. Mullinax L. Burton R. Burton E. Mulkey R. Pim T. McCoy J. White
Announcements	(AM) Mark Pettit (PM) Mark Pettit
Greeters	K&J Brown

December 25th

Announcements	Mark Pettit
Song Leading	Special Service
Prayer	Special Service
Devo	Jeremy Green

December 29th

Welcome	Barry Kingsley
Scripture Reading	Jason Ledford
Opening Prayer	(AM) Josh Chancey (PM) Evan Goodwin
Closing Prayer	(AM) Daniel Sisson (PM) Winston Pettit
Song Leading	(AM) Jacob Jenkins (PM) Jeremiah Holloway
Lord's Supper	Barry Pritchett
Serving	K. Brown A. Hall T. Rochester A. Chancey Be. Kingsley J. Wilson N. Bagwell L. Mulkey
Announcements	(AM) Barry Kingsley (PM) Barry Kingsley
Greeters	E&S Mullinax

December 31st

Announcements	Barry Kingsley
Song Leading	Special Service
Prayer	Special Service
Devo	Jeremy Green