

LILLIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

REACHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE

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SECOND SUNDAY

OF
Advent

TO VIEW LIVE at 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM or LATER
Go to LillianUMC.org, and click on Worship.

**TO RECEIVE WEEKLY EMAIL UPDATES
& TO PLACE SOMEONE ON THE PRAYER LIST**
Email or text the pastor.

December 4, 2022

LADIES LUNCH BUNCH DECEMBER 15 11:00 AM

The December Ladies Lunch Bunch will be at The Gift Horse, 209 West Laurel Ave., Foley. Please call Char Kuhr 251-231-8316 by December 12, if you plan to go. We will carpool from the church at 10:30 AM.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA DECEMBER 17 9:00 AM

Breakfast will be served to the whole family at the Lillian CC, and a gift will be given to every child, birth to 12 years old. Breakfast with Santa is sponsored by the Optimist Club of Perdido Bay.

CHOIR CHRISTMAS CANTATA DECEMBER 18 8:00 & 10:00 AM

CAROLING TO HOMEBOUND DECEMBER 19 1:00 - 4:00 PM

We will depart from the church at 1:00 PM on the church bus to bring Christmas cheer to our homebound members. Please let Pastor Daniel know if you plan to go.

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT COMMUNION SERVICE DECEMBER 24 5:00 PM (Special Offering for Bright Bridge Ministries)

CHRISTMAS DAY & NEW YEAR'S DAY WORSHIP 9:00 AM NO SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS DAY OR NEW YEAR'S DAY

CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED DECEMBER 21 - JANUARY 2
If you need Pastor Daniel, feel free to call or text him on his cell phone.

GOSPEL OF JOHN BIBLE STUDY WILL NOT MEET DECEMBER 21, 28 & JANUARY 4

UMC CHILDREN'S HOME CHRISTMAS OFFERING

Throughout the month of December, we are receiving our Annual Christmas Gift for our UMC Children's Home Ministry now called "Embrace AL/FL Kids". Please write checks to LUMC for "Embrace AL/FL Kids".

YEAR END GIVING FOR 2022

For contributions to be credited for 2022 they must be received before the January 1, 2023 deposit, and checks must be dated by December 31, 2022. If you are mailing your contribution, the envelope must also be postmarked by December 31, 2022. For questions, contact Hammond Green 251-978-9687, Finance Chairman.

ECUMENICAL MINISTRIES FOOD DRIVE APPRECIATION

Thank you for supporting the Ecumenical Ministries Thanksgiving Food Drive. Our church and community collected 1425 lbs. of food.

WEDNESDAY YOUTH SUPPER 5:00 PM HELP NEEDED

If you can provide supper, contact Jennifer Kennedy (850-221-3137).

A SLICE OF HEAVEN CHURCH COOKBOOKS

A Slice of Heaven cookbooks are available for \$15.00. Contact Betty Erwin (850-776-7125) or the church office (251-962-4336) to purchase a cookbook.

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

ADVENT CALL TO WORSHIP

CHRIST OUR PEACE

Scripture Reading: Luke 1:67-80

ALL: The second candle of the Advent wreath is a symbol of Christ the WAY to PEACE. May the Word sent from God through the prophets lead us to the way of salvation and ultimate PEACE for all the world.

*** INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION** Pg. 12

*** HYMN #240** "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"

*** HYMN #881** The Apostles Creed

*** SCRIPTURE** Isaiah 11:1-16

SPECIAL

HYMN #230 "O Little Town of Bethlehem"

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SERMON There Will Be Peace

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Pg. 13-15

*** HYMN #218** "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"

*** PRAYER HYMN #201** "Advent"

*** BENEDICTION** "Emanuel, Emanuel"

Emmanuel, Emmanuel, His name is called Emmanuel.
God with us, revealed in us, His name is called Emmanuel.

* Please Stand, If Able.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Welcome to Lillian UMC! We pray that you feel the love of Christ as you worship today. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Pastor Daniel Randall 251-234-1122 or DanielWRandall@gmail.com. Help us get to know you by completing a Welcome card located in the pews and give it to the pastor before exiting. Thank you for being with us today!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

4 Fred Chandler 4 Jim Merryfield 5 Lois Russell
5 Micky Hudson 7 Perry Cunningham 9 Bruce Clements
10 Garnet Eubanks

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY 4 Garnet & Al Eubanks

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

8:00 AM Sanctuary Worship 8:45 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Sanctuary Worship with Children's
Church & Nursery for Children Birth to 2nd Grade
11:00 AM Called Church Council Meeting in the Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

9:00 AM United Women in Faith Fellowship
9:30 AM United Women in Faith Meeting - Speaker: Peggy Briese
5:30 PM UM Men's Supper & Meeting - Speaker: Liz Wright

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

7:00 AM Men's Prayer 7:00 PM ALANON

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7

9:00 AM Gospel of John Bible Study
5 - 7 PM Youth Supper & Fellowship
5:30 PM Adult Choir Practice

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

8:00 AM Optimist Breakfast at the Lillian Community Club
1:00 PM Lillian Christmas Parade sponsored by the Optimist Club of Perdido Bay

CHRISTMAS POST OFFICE DECEMBER 1 - 25

For your convenience, there is a table at the entrance of the fellowship hall where you may drop off and pick up Christmas greeting cards for/from people in your church family. The post office will be accessible when the church is open. Please deliver or mail your cards to members who are homebound. If you need a homebound address list, see Tay in the church office.

CHRISTMAS SINGSPARATION & CHURCH POTLUCK SUPPER DECEMBER 11 4:00 PM

We will gather in the sanctuary to sing and learn about some of our most beloved Christmas carols. Following the Singspiration, we will share in a potluck supper in the fellowship hall. Please bring an entrée, side dish or dessert that serves 8.