

THIS WEEK at FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of PENDLETON

**Sunday, December 29 · First Sunday of Christmas**

9:00 am - 9:30 am Coffee, Tea, & Conversation (Fellowship Hall)  
9:30 am Sunday School  
10:45 am Worship (Sanctuary)

7:00 am - 5:00 pm **Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri** · Project HOPE (Nursery Suite, Rooms 101, 105, 106)

9:00 am - 1:30 pm **Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri** - Church Office Open

**Monday, December 30**

9:30 am Knitting Group (Fellowship Hall)

**Tuesday, December 31**

Happy Birthday to Don Baldwin

12:00 pm Contributions for 2019 accepted in church office until noon.

**Wednesday, January 1, 2020**

Church Office and Project Hope Closed

No Wednesday night activities

**Thursday, January 2**

9:00 am - 5:00 pm Pendleton Community Counseling Center (Room 310)

No Senior Fellowship

**Friday, January 3**

Happy Birthday to Ross Jameson

**Saturday, January 4**

Happy Birthday to Warren Willoughby

9:00 am Running Group (Parking Lot)

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· Make a one-time offering to the church on **Realm eGiving**: text the word **FBCPENDLETON** to recipient **73256**. · An **AED** is located across from the church office.

**Staff Away Dates**

**Jennifer Rygg** will be on vacation Dec 25 - Jan 1.

**Marlena Dixon** will be on vacation Dec 25 - Jan 1.

**Keleigh Frazier** will be on vacation Sunday, Dec 29.

**Joe Reed** will be on vacation Dec 30 - Jan 3 and on medical leave starting Jan 8.

**Other staff schedules** may also vary slightly this week.

**Church Office Hours** this week (Dec 30-31, Jan 2-3) will be **9 am to 1:30 pm**, with the office **closed on New Year's Day**. Thank you to our volunteers for helping in the church office while Joe Reed is on vacation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Christmas Mission Offering:** During the month of December, we have been emphasizing the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship's Offering for Global Missions. This year's theme, **Share Abundant Life** comes from John 10:10.

**"I have come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly."**

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**End of Year Financials.** Please note that in order to be attributed to the 2019 budget, **contributions must be received by noon on Tuesday, Dec 31.** (Remember that contributions made via e-giving may take longer to process, depending on your bank.)

**Next Sunday, Jan 5, 2020 we will have the opportunity to meet CBF Field Personnel Rick Burnette.** Beginning in 2020, FBC Pendleton will be an **Encourager Church** for Rick as he ministers to migrant farm workers in South Florida and coordinates CBF disaster response work in the U.S. On Sunday, January 5, Rick and his wife, Ellen, will share about their ministry during worship, and we will officially covenant with them to become an Encourager Church. The Encourager Church program offers an opportunity for churches to directly support the work of CBF field personnel.

Our **Senior Fellowship** community ministry program is currently undergoing a transition as Laina Calhoun has stepped down as Coordinator. Senior Fellowship will not meet during the holidays and will **resume January 16.** Several volunteers have already stepped up to help fill in during January (thank you!), and the Personnel Committee will soon be working on hiring a new Coordinator. **Thank you to Laina** for your willing service during 2019 as Senior Fellowship celebrated its 20th anniversary as a ministry of FBCP.

**Wednesday night** supper, Bible Study, and other activities will resume next week, January 8.

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**SERVING ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29**

**Coffee:** Warren Willoughby; **Deacon Greeters** (December): Lindalee Cleveland, Kim Burgess; **Worship Service Ushers:** Team 1: Randy Strickland, Rick Burgess, Jean Robinson, Evelyn Simpson; **Worship Service Nursery:** Esther Davis, Peyton Taylor, Jane Massey; **Video Tech:** Jane Massey; **Sound Booth:** Don Baldwin; **Children's Chapel:** Jan McCracken, Cindy Still; **Teller:** Diana Parson

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