

### Visitors ...

You may be a first-time visitor, but you're not a stranger. The Visitor's Package has been developed to let you know you're important to us. Our fellowship has been made richer because you are here.

Please fill out the visitor's card enclosed in the package and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to the Minister on your way out. We want to get to know you better!



#### Gerving This Week

Men Serving P.M: James Lester & James Smith

Serving the Sick: Rick Taylor

A.M. Nursery: Sue Blevins & Karin Widener

P.M. Nursery: Patsy Shortridge & Scherona Newsome

Wed. Evening Speaker: Special

#### IMPORTANT UP-COMING EVENTS

- \* The forms to sign up for service in 2019, are on the foyer tables. Please fill out a new form even if you have already been working, to make sure that your information on file is correct and up to date. If you want to work with the youth, you will need a background check.
- \*There are several updated addresses and cell numbers on the bulletin board for your directories.
- \*Don't forget to check the mail room for your Christmas cards.
- \*The church office will be closed Monday thru Wednesday, December 24th-26th.

### Happy Birthday

Michaela Lloyd 12/24 Glenda Bailey 12/28 Robin Cuneo 12/29

Happy Anniversary

# WELLOME

WHO DOES NOT CHANGE LIKE SHIFTING **JAMES 1:17** 



**Acts 2:38** Peter said to them, "Repent, and each of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

**December 23, 2018** 

#### Macedonia Church of Christ

P.O. Box 1385 25350 Watauga Road Abingdon, VA 24212 276-628-7502 www.macedoniachurchofchrist.org Minister: Ron Musick 276-525-0102



Sunday Morning Bible Study: 10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Evening: 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study: 7:00 P.M.
Office Hours: Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 12 noon

Macedonia Church of Christ is a New Testament Christian
Congregation. We are Christians only choosing to wear the
name that honors our Lord Jesus Christ; believing that
Jesus is the only Savior. Our plea is for unity.
The Bible is our only guide. We accept the Bible as the full and
final revelation of the will of God to man. We use Bible names
for Bible things giving them the same meaning
as the Bible does. The New Testament reveals the early Church
continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship,
and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. (Acts 2:42) We follow
the New Testament pattern and example to conduct ourselves
that all might be led to a closer relationship with our Lord and
Savior Jesus Christ.

#### TO THOSE INTERESTED IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

At the close of each service we give the opportunity for those desiring to become a Christian to step out and come forward. You will be given the opportunity to confess that Jesus is the Christ the Son of the living God and to Repent and to be Baptized for the remission of sins as seen in Acts 2:38. "Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be Baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost."

If you are a member of a church elsewhere, and wish to become a part of our Church family, you need no church letter of transfer. However, our church practices and accepts only the baptism of the New Testament, which is immersion for the remission of sins. (Colossians 2:12, 13) If you have not been immersed you can anticipate experiencing this God ordained ordinance.

### Order of Worship

Please turn off cell phones and pagers during Worship Services.

Welcome Jeff Widener Special Lisa Brooks

### Call to Worship

Scripture Reading Jeff Widener
Opening Hymn "Silent Night! Holy Night" p.1003
Opening Prayer Ray Shortridge
Praise Hymn "Angels We Have Heard on High" p.1002

# The Lord's Supper

Communion Meditation

Communion Hymn

"One Day"

p. 353

Prayer for the Loaf

Prayer for the Cup

Offertory Prayer

Mike Belcher

p. 353

Randy Stiltner

Ronnie Stiltner

Richard Williams

The Macedonia Church of Christ Choir Presents:

### <u> Take Me Back to Bethlehem</u>

2018 Christmas Cantata

# Time of Decision

Invitation Hymn "Have you Been to Jesus" p. 904 Closing Prayer Mike Howard

# Doxology

"Go Tell it on the Mountain"

p. 1012

#### Prayer List

Allen, Dorothy	Mitchell, George
Belcher, Don	Mitchell, Lucas
Belcher, Mike	Mullins, John David
Bentley, Dan	Newsome, Pam
Blankenship, Virgus	Osborne, Danny
Blevins, Don	Owens, Roger
Blevins, Steve	Ratliff, Cathy
Brooks, Lucas	Rust, Judy
Carter, Zac	Stacy, Gary & Lisa
Dales, Starrett	Stiltner, Amanda
Grade, Misty	Stout, Shirley
Harmon, Felix	Terry, James
Heath, Phoebe	Thompson, Peggy
Lester, Ralph	Vanover, Linda
McBride, Rebecca	Williamson, Peggy

### In Sympathy

Charles Duty Family Renie Thomas Family Paul Rowe Family Ivris Lewis Family George Eartlow Family Juanita Viers Family

Phone Tree announcements number 877-698-3261.