

Our Lord’s Day

Sunday, November 30, 2025

Prelude	Organist
Welcome, Announcements, and Opening Prayer	Pastor
Call to Worship #2	“Holy, Holy, Holy” Congregation
Hymn #644	“Count Your Blessings” Congregation
Hymn #122	“Tell Me the Story of Jesus” Congregation
Offering	Ushers
Choir	“Holy Forever”
Children’s Sermon/Dismissal for Children’s Church	
Message	“Emanuel: God with Us!” Isaiah 9:1-6 Pastor
Invitation Hymn #283	“Take My Life, and Let It Be” Congregation
Closing Prayer	Pastor

“Emanuel: God with Us!” Isaiah 9:1-6

9 Nevertheless, the gloom of the distressed land will not be like that of the former times when He humbled the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali. But in the future, He will bring honor to the Way of the Sea, to the land east of the Jordan, and to Galilee of the nations. 2 The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; a light has dawned on those living in the land of darkness. 3 You have enlarged the nation and increased its joy. The people have rejoiced before You as they rejoice at harvest time and as they rejoice when dividing spoils. 4 For You have shattered their oppressive yoke and the rod on their shoulders, the staff of their oppressor, just as You did on the day of Midian. 5 For the trampling boot of battle and the bloodied garments of war will be burned as fuel for the fire. 6 For a child will be born for us, a son will be given to us, and the government will be on His shoulders. He will be named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace.

I. The most important Christmas declaration is

II. \_\_\_\_\_ means God is not just God \_\_\_\_\_, but Him walking through \_\_\_\_\_.

Opportunities of the Week

Sunday Lottie Moon Week of Prayer  
UPDATED CHRISTMAS CARD LISTS IN VESTIBULE

9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship  
4:00 p.m. Live Nativity Practice  
4:30 p.m. AWANA  
5:00 p.m. Youth  
Monday Ladies’ Retreat Final Payment Money Due  
We have 15 spots available. Come and join us. \$170.00

Wednesday  
6:15 p.m. Live Nativity Practice  
7:00 p.m. Mission Friends in FLC, GA, RA, Youth,  
Girlfriends in Christ, Adult Bible Study  
8:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday  
6:00 p.m. Men’s Supper at Jud’s Restaurant, Monroe

Saturday Pageland Parade

Next Sunday  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Baptism/Worship  
4:00 p.m. Live Nativity Practice  
4:30 p.m. AWANA-Reindeer Games/Antler Night

Nursery  
Today: Taylor & Ryan; Next Week: Jana & Kelsi  
Children’s Church (Ages 3 – 6 years old)  
Today: Jeff & Mindy; Next Week: Lauren & Chris  
Mission Friends  
This Week: In FLC with Mrs. Lisa  
Next Week: Ornament Making Night with Lisa & Karoline  
Snack: Ava

Welcome! Your presence today is a blessing!  
Are you new around here? We are so glad to see you!  
We hope you are blessed today as we worship the Lord together.  
Please feel free to fill out a communication card located in the  
pew holders and drop it in the offering plate or hand to an usher.  
May God bless!

Prayer Requests

Sympathy: Ruth Helms Graves (Cathy Bradford’s mother)

New: Shirley Rorie

Ongoing: Donnie Aldridge (Wayne’s brother), Kelly Alexander, Robin Anthony, Roger Arant, Joyce Ashcraft, Beth Atkinson, Ma’Liyah Austin (Deann Jenkins’s daughter), Tracy Benton, Nancy Bivens, Jeremy Carriker, Wayne Conner, Helen Cox, Clay Courtney, Casey Courtney, LeBron Crowe, George Davis, Jimmy Donahue, Sue Elliot, Tony Eudy, Joyce Faircloth, Lavonne Floyd, Nancy Glidewell, Annette Griffin, Kristy Hagler, Lauren Josie Haigler (Elizabeth Walden’s niece), Ashley Helms (Kim Outen’s co-worker), Dianne Helms, Nancy Helms, Russell Hicks, Gerry Hurst, Dean Jenkins, Kole Jenkins, Maj. Jonathan Jones, Billie Ann Lee, Nancy Lowery, Cindy Mangum, Cathy Melton, Donnie McClain, Bill McLaurin, Billy McLaurin, Dylan Medlin (Kasey), Annabelle Mills, Sharon Mills, Edyn Moore, Libby Moore, Nellie Moore, Patsy Moore, Mavis Moree, Randy Nash, Chuck Newland, Brian Outen, Chris Philemon, Robbie Plyler, Shirley Pope, Ralph Pope, Sharon Polston, Rick Pressley, Elaine Price, Jessica Price, Mike Rollins (Sheree Jenkins’ brother), Peggy & Tommy Ross, Janet Rowell, Joanne Smith, Ona Ruth Smith, Billi Starnes, Mary Taylor, Sydney Tucker, Brent Vaughn, Elizabeth Walden, Brenda Wallace, John Wallace, Michael Wallace, Donna Whitmire, Dean Woodward, John Woodward

Military: David Booth, Taylor Hagler, Devin Phillips

Deacon of the Week: Chris Davis; Next Week: Jerry Davis

Stewardship/Enrollment Report for November 23, 2025

Weekly Required: \$7,797.92

Weekly Received: \$5,503.00

Baptist Children’s Home: \$325.00

Requirement to Date: \$93,574.04

Received to Date: \$85,101.00

Sunday School Enrollment: 250; Present: 120

### Lottie Moon Week of Prayer:

Today - Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>

**Ingathering:** Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>

We will receive the Lottie Moon Offering throughout the month of December.

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### Truth Seekers (Ages 7 – 11) Schedule

December 7<sup>th</sup> and December 21<sup>st</sup>

Students should bring their notes to class the following Sunday.

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### Youth Winter Retreat

The Edge - Student & Leaders Conference.

Jan 17-19 at Ridgcrest Conference Center.

Cost \$150. See Jenks for Details. 18 spots available.

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### New Cleaning Company

Our new vendor is S & S Cleaning Services. They will be cleaning on Tuesdays and Fridays.

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### Baptism Sunday – Next Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>

We will also plan for baptism on the first Sunday of every month for anyone who wants to be baptized. Please contact Pastor Bo.

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### Sweet Treats for the Live Nativity

As we gather to celebrate the birth of our Savior, we'd love to share the warmth of homemade goodies with our friends and neighbors. Please plan to bring your favorite cakes, cookies, or breads to the church Nativity Celebration to share with others. Your delicious treats and loving spirit will help make this a truly joyful evening of fellowship! We will need treats for both nights, December 13<sup>th</sup> & December 14<sup>th</sup>. Thank you. Roger & Kristi Cox

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### 2026 Ladies' Retreat at Fort Caswell

Theme: Girl! Shut Your Mouth and Open It

Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup> - Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup>

**Cost: \$170.00 and it is due TOMORROW**

**We have 15 spots available. Come join us!**

See more information on the bulletin board across from the Sunday School Office or contact Sheri Bradshaw or Luisa Price.



### Jesus Seekers Christmas Party at Quincy's Restaurant, Monroe

Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

Bring a Secret Santa gift for exchange.



### Live Nativity

Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>

5:00 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### From Lauren Davis...

12/6 - Pageland Parade (night parade) More details to come.

Please let Lauren Davis know if you can attend.

For both parades we need adults who can walk and pass out flyers advertising the live nativity

Live Nativity Practices - 11/30 - 4:00; 12/3 - 6:15; 12/7 - 4:00; 12/10 - 6:15; 12/12 - 6:00 - until (dress rehearsal)

Donations needed for live nativity: Drop cords, spotlights, wireless Bluetooth speakers (at least 7), sand for luminaries.

We will be selling luminaries to be displayed at the live nativity. Luminaries can be purchased in memory or in honor of family and friends. Funds collected will help offset cost of the live nativity and any additional funds will be donated to the Lottie Moon Christmas offering.

Order forms for luminaries will be available in the vestibule with envelopes. Please place order form in envelope and payment in the offering box at the back of the church. Please have all order forms and payment submitted by Sunday, December 7.

# Philadelphia Baptist Church



**“A Beacon of Hope in Our Community”**



**Week of Prayer: November 30<sup>th</sup> – December 7<sup>th</sup>**

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