

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Birthdays this week:**  
Genevieve Taylor, Sonny Glazzard (today),  
Dale Jackson (12/30)  
**Anniversary:**  
Bill & Kay Hoover (12/26)

THIS MORNING OR TONIGHT, STOP BY  
THE WELCOME CENTER TO TAKE A  
CHRISTMAS PHOTO WITH FAMILY OR  
FRIENDS. :)



Thursday, January 18th, at 7 PM, FBC's  
Men's Brotherhood begins a new study of the  
book *Gentle and Lowly* by Dane Ortlund.  
Men, if you wish to offset the cost of the  
book, you may donate \$12 to Herb Ley or  
Jenny the Secretary. ALL men are encouraged  
to take part in this twice-a-month study, with  
or without purchasing a book yourself. It is  
truly a wonderful time of fellowship!



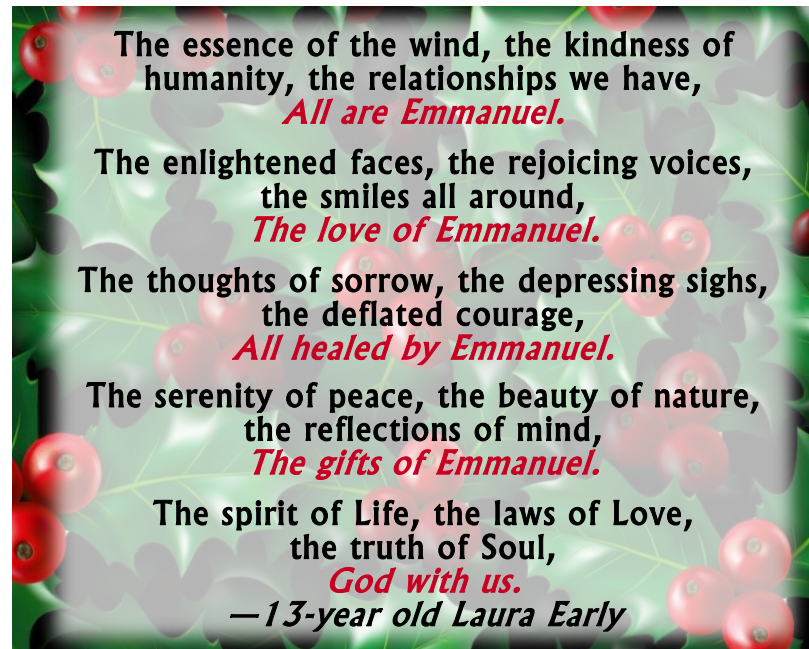
Personalized offering envelopes for  
2024 are on tables near the  
Fellowship Hall. Please let the office  
know if you did not receive a box, and  
you would like to.

For those praying about participating in the  
two mission trip options for this summer,  
vital info is now at the Welcome Center.

## **December Tithes/Offerings**

Regular offering \$59,196.13, Ann Edwards  
Scholarship \$1,115.00, Lottie Moon Offering  
\$4,968.98, Youth Fund \$100.00, Senior Adult  
Ministry Reimbursement \$175.00, Building Fund  
\$50.00, OCC \$1,150.00, Worldwide Hunger  
\$75.00, Other \$1,303.24.

Offering plates are up front on both sides of the  
sanctuary AND in the sanctuary's front foyer.  
*Online giving is available at fbcfairlea.com. Scroll down  
to "Digital Giving", or text the word "give" to  
304.600.7300.*



"She will bear a Son, and  
you shall call His name Jesus,  
for He will save His people  
from their sins." John 1:21

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*"Gather, Grow, Go!"*

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**WELCOME!** We are so glad you have chosen to worship together with us this morning! This is a vital part of "Gathering, Growing, and Going". If this is your first time with us, we would love to both give you some information about our church and get some contact information from you so Pastor Ben can connect with you sometime soon.

Piano Prelude: *Ava Douglas*

Welcome and Call to Worship—Galatians 4:4-5

*Pastor Ben Moses*

Worship Song: "Joy to the World", #270  
(vv. 1, 2, 4)

Opening Prayer: *Deacon Jerry Reid*

Lighting of the Advent Candle: *The Vogelsong Family*

Special Music: "Breath of Heaven", *Aubrey Adkins*

Missions Moment: The Lottie Moon Offering  
*Pastor Ben*

Video: "Where Is Hope Found?"

Worship Songs: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear",  
#251 (v. 1) and

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing", #277 (v. 1)

God's Message from Galatians 4:4-5

"Jesus, Lord at Thy Birth": *Pastor Ben*

Closing Song: "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing", #277  
(vv. 2, 3)

Closing Prayer: *Pastor Ben*

## Sermon Notes

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Prayer needs: Debbie Neal; Rene Ley;  
Jonathan Walker; Aretha Dowdy; Leon Kukura;  
Vicky & Chuck Kidd; John Smith; Phyllis Harvey;  
Melissa List; Violet Wright's niece; Cheyanne  
Shawver; Helen Parker; Ron Whitehair; Hazel Caldwell;  
Rhett Dixon; Rodena Belcher; Peggy Lockhart; Donna Yates;  
Lisa White; Norman Ahern; Robbie Bennett; Debbie Holmes;  
Brandy Feamster; the Clowers; the Associate Pastor Search  
Committee.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- Sunday School** at 9:45 AM for ALL ages.
- Nursery** provided during all services.
- Adventure Kids** for children age 3 through 5th grade offered during the 11 AM service.
- AWANA**, the dynamic Bible club children's program, meets Wednesdays from 6:45 to 8:15 for children age 3 (if potty-trained) through 5th grade.
- Youth Group**, for students grades 6-12, also meets Wednesdays at 6:45 PM.

## Servant Ministries

Today's Assisting Deacon: Jerry Reid  
Next week: Alfred Taylor, Jr.

Sunday School Nursery: Kira Glazzard, Linda Bennett

11:00 Nursery: Travis & Jennifer Bennett  
Next week: Connie Gottshall, Betty Mulkey

Adventure Kids will stay in the sanctuary today to enjoy the service with their families.  
Next week: Nate Bryant, Brenda Wallace, Kiersten Moses, Beth Shafer

Sound Specialists: Eric Fritzius, Jon O'Dell  
Next week: Rob Thomas, Brent O'Dell

Videographer today: Madison Jackson

Ushers: Chris Brumfield, Richard Hardiman, Russ Shafer  
Next week: Matt Dean, Julian Meadows, Butch Ferguson, Dale Jackson

Praise Team: Johnny Shores, Aubrey Adkins, Grace Douglas

Special music next week: Brentz Thompson