

## WEEKLY WORSHIP and ACTIVITIES

### SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 AM  
Sunday Worship Service 11:00 AM  
First Sunday Worship Service with Holy Communion 11:00 AM  
Last Sunday of Month—Luncheon after service 12:00 PM

### THURSDAY

Hispanic Ministry Prayer 7 PM

**THIRD THURSDAY** Lunch Fellowship, October 16

Golden Corral, 2025 Market Place Blvd, Cumming 1:00 PM

Weekly Choir Practice 6:00 PM

### SATURDAY

Cooking Classes - 2nd Saturday of the month 10:00 AM

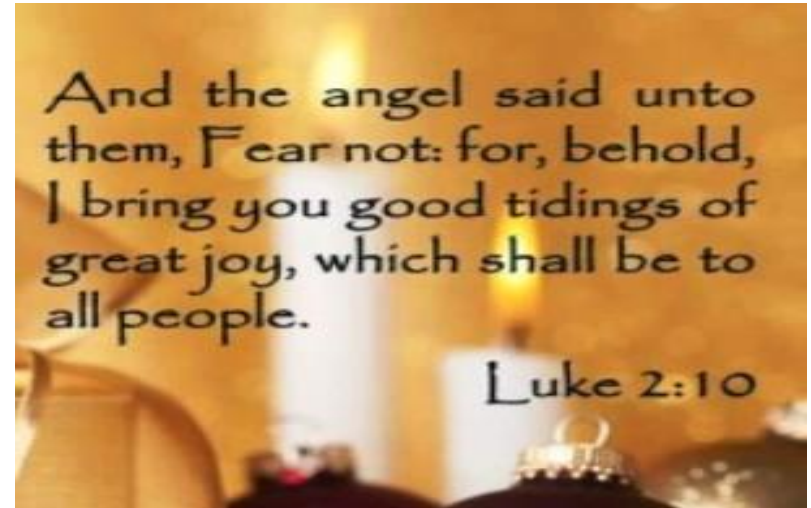
Art Classes - 3rd Saturday of the month 10:00 AM

### Prayer Requests

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|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Jean McBrayer          | Grace Haynes           | Harry Basore               | Caryl Clements |
| Jerry Raines           | <b>Jeff Whitman</b>    | <b>Sean and Amy Conway</b> |                |
| <b>Ruth Thompson</b>   | <b>Yolanda Tong</b>    | <b>Pam (Lisa's Mom)</b>    |                |
| <b>Melissa Pilcher</b> | <b>Gene Barrington</b> | <b>World Peace</b>         |                |
| Service Workers        | Nation/Leaders         | World/Leaders              | Church/Leaders |



# PIEDMONT FELLOWSHIP CHURCH



## December 14, 2025

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## Announcements

- **Food Bank:** Please donate non-perishable food items or donate in cash! This is a great opportunity to serve our local community.
- **Books by Pastor Mathew:** *Joy in the Journey* and *Song in the Night*; \$10 each. Proceeds will benefit Piedmont Missions.
- **Our Mailing Address:**  
Piedmont Fellowship Church 1170 Dahlonge Hwy, Cumming, GA 30040
- **Cooking Class:** To be scheduled.
- **Art Class** with Wayne Clements to be scheduled.
- **Third Thursday:** Lunch Fellowship 12/18 @1PM ~ all are welcome! Golden Corral, Cumming.
- **Holiday Donations:** This year, we have identified two families who need our support with food, clothing, and rent. We also have twelve children to provide Christmas gifts for. A list is available on the table at the back. Please consider donating, either in cash or in kind.
- **Next Sunday, December 21:** Christmas Special Service, combined service with Hispanic Ministry.
- **Wednesday, December 24:** Christmas Eve
- **Sunday, December 28:** Last Sunday of the year and year end service
- **Sunday, January 4:** First Sunday of 2026. Holy Communion.
- **Thank you for your continued and faithful support in the ministries of the Church by prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness. “God Loves a Cheerful Giver.” (2 Corinthians 9:7)** We accept online donations by credit/debit cards and direct bank transfers. Please check our website [www.piedmontumc.com](http://www.piedmontumc.com)

## **December 14, 2025** **Third Sunday of Advent (JOY)**

Prelude & Call to Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Hymn\*      Angels we have heard on high (238) †

Opening Prayer

Greeting Time\*

Congregational Hymn      Silent Night (239 v- 1, 2, 3) †

Lighting of the Advent Candle:      JOY

Responsive Reading:      Psalm 98:1-9 (818) †

Concerns and Blessings

The Lord's Prayer      (895) †

Offertory

Doxology\*      Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow (95) †

Offertory Prayer\*

Scripture\*      Isaiah 61:1-3, Luke 2:8-12 †

Sermon:      "Beauty for ashes and Joy for mourning"

Closing Hymn\*      Joy to the world (246) †

Benediction\*

Postlude

**\*Please stand if you are able**

**† On the screen**