

Weekly Announcements

November 24, 2024

The Angel Tree is now up in the assembly room!



Deadline to return gifts

December 1st

Gifts should be wrapped. The Angel tag/number should be attached or denoted on all gifts.

Please return gifts to the Assembly Room or Church Office.

MTLC Needs You!



November is Stewardship month, a time to assess your gifts of time, talent, and treasure to Mt. Tabor. We particularly need your gift of time to fill the many rosters of worship assistants to make our Sunday services work. Sign up sheets for April 2025 – March 2026 are on the bulletin board near the water fountain and on tables at the back of the sanctuary.

The biggest need is for assistants at the 11:00 service. Families are encouraged to take a month with youth serving as acolyte or crucifer and parents as ushers, lector, greeter, or communion assistant.

Training is provided for all positions so don't be shy about writing your name down.

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Sunday, November 24th, Thanksgiving Service

| | 8:00 AM | Matins Service - Holy Communion |
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| | 9:15 AM | ALIVE! Service - Holy Communion |
| | 10:00 AM | Fellowship time - assembly room |
| | 10:15 AM | Sunday School |
| | Sunday School Time | Christmas Program Practice - assembly room |
| | 11:00 AM | Traditional Service - Holy Communion |
| | 12:15 PM | Music & Worship Committee Meeting - Choir Room |
| | 5:00 PM | Community Thanksgiving Service - Mt. Hermon Lutheran Church |
| | <u>Monday, November 25th</u> | |
| - | 9:30 AM | Quilting Ministry - Intern House |
| | 4:30 PM | Positively Fit - New Seekers classroom |
| | 7:00 PM | Mt. Tabor Ringers |
| 1 | <u>Tuesday, November 26th</u> | |
| | 7:00 AM | Men's Prayer Breakfast - Lizard's Thicket |
| | | Weekly Snap deadline |
| | 10:00 AM | Bulletin deadline |
| | 10:30 AM | Staff Meeting |
| | 3:30 - 7:00 PM | Amy Johnson - violin lessons - New Seekers classroom |
| | 5:30 PM | Pipers Practice - classrooms |
| | 6:30 PM | NA Meeting - Easley Conference Room |
| | 6:30 PM | Alive! Rehearsal |
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VENDORS, BAKED GOODS & VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

VENDORS

Being a vendor at the event is free of cost! You will receive a 10x10 spot. All set up & tear down will be vendor responsibility. Set up will start at 10:30 am - 11:30 am and removal at 4:30 pm. Tables, tents and chairs can be rented at CWC, if needed.

Both food and merchandise are welcome!!

BAKE SALE DONATIONS

We are looking for baked goods for the sale! Brownies, cookies, cupcakes, pies, cakes etc. Youth will be selling all the baked goods! More details see Youth Group: Megan Lyons

VOLUNTEERS

We will need volunteers to help with set up/clean up. Games/tables at the event and more. If you are interested in volunteering for a shift or two let the youth group know!!

> For more details or to sign up for any of the above: Megan Lyons mtlyouthgroup@gmail.com 803-673-7815

Volunteers & Baked Goods needed for



Please consider volunteering for the event! We have openings for greeters, park elves, decorating teams and clean up crews.

We have shifts on Friday Dec 13th to decorate and on event day SaturdayDec 14th

Youth will also be holding a bake sale this day if you'd like to donate a baked good to help raise funds for youth and education.

Please contact Megan Lyons mtlyouthgroup@gmail.com

Or sign up here:

https://forms.gle/3GVpNRQnZMJvM1oz8

DEC 14th 12pm-4:30pm visit Mt Tabor Lutheran's



Shop Vendors, Bake Sale, & Lunch Plates!

Free Games in the Park, Holiday Music & Movies, Children's Activities, Holiday friend drop ins & more! Come and enjoy the fun all day long!

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Follow us on Facebook or Instagram to stay up to date with this event and more!



PARADE OF LIGHTS Grab a chair to join us at 5:30pm on 12th St. for the Parade of Lights! Get there early for a good spot!

Mt Tabor is CWC Holiday Shuttle Stop 3

The Shuttle has 10 stops to take you all around the Cayce/West Columbia area to shop locally!

They also have a North Pole Stop!! Maps & more details can be found at cwcchamber.com CWC Facebook & our church office.



Men's Prayer Breakfast



Next November Meeting Tuesday the 26th 7:00 AM at Lizard's Thicket Highway 1, Lexington



Sunday, December 8th 6:30 PM Free Admission Offering collected for Central SC Habitat For Humanity

hosted by Mt. Tabor choir member, Kevin Oliver. This will be its second year at Mt Tabor, and 19th annual concert overall.

The concert will feature twelve local and regional musicians performing traditional and not-sotraditional songs of the season, with the Christmas story told in scripture readings between the different performers. You'll hear traditional carols, different arrangements of familiar holiday songs, and even some original Christmas songs written by the performers themselves.

The lineup of performers this year:

Admiral Radio Band of Pilgrims James Etheridge, Jr. & Melinda Etheridge Danielle Howle & Josh Roberts

Brent Lundy Todd Mathis Darion McCloud Rhonda Mooneyhan Ashleigh Morse with Jim Morse Prettier Than Matt Chris Reed Riverstone The Water Kickers

Mark Your Calendars!

December 1St Congregational Meeting We will meet in the Sanctuary at 10:00 AM

We will vote on the budget, Council and Endowment members.



Come and Get Them!

Our 2025 Offering Envelopes are now ready to be picked up. Look for them in the hall across from the Choir Room.



This year, we need 30 Poinsettias, 2 Pots of Greenery, and 7 Advent/Christmas Wreaths for the sanctuary. If you would like to help deck our sanctuary, fill out the below form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the Church Office. If you wish to provide a wreath, please contact the Church Office concerning the date you wish to donate the wreath. These will be placed in the Sanctuary each Sunday in Advent - December 1^{st} , 8^{th} , 15^{th} , 22^{nd} , 24^{th} , 29^{th} & January 5^{th} . Please be sure to indicate if you are purchasing a church provided poinsettia or if you plan to purchase your own.

__# of Poinsettias \$18.50 each

_____# of Poinsettias to be purchased by you.

of Advent Wreaths \$85.00 each - contact office for available dates

Total amount: \$_____

Please print clearly the name(s) as you wish them listed in the bulletin.

Phone:

Given by: ____

In Honor of: _____

In Memory of:



If your child would like to sing or play an instrument during the Prelude for the 7:00 PM Christmas Eve Service, please contact Kevin via phone (803) 796-5948 or e-mail music@mttabor lutheran.org.



Sunshine Club

We will meet on December 5th at Noon.

Please bring a covered dish to share. Ham will be provided. After our meal, we will have our annual Christmas Carols sing-a-long.

Come join our group and get a head start on the Yuletide spirit.

Decking the Sanctuary for

Advent & Christmas!

Purchasing the poinsettias for our sanctuary will be *different* this year.

20 poinsettias will be purchased from Jarrett's Jungle.

This purchase will be done through the church office. Meaning you will give a check to Mt. Tabor, the office will receive a bill from Jarrett's Jungle and will make the payment. The poinsettias will be delivered on December 21st by Jarrett's Jungle.

10 poinsettias will be "on your own" purchases. This purchase will be made by you from your choice of retailer. The

This purchase will be made by you from your choice of retailer. The poinsettia will need to be brought to the sanctuary the morning of December 21st. You will need to put your name on it so you will know it is yours for pickup. Additionally, the poinsettia will need to be wrapped in green foil and have a red bow. You will need to contact the church office to add your name to the list. This will ensure there is a <u>spot</u> available for your poinsettia.

December Dates To Remember

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December 8th 10:00 AM ~ Christmas Program Service 6:30 PM ~ Christmas on the Mount

December 14th Noon - 4:30 PM - Mt. Tabor's Winter Wonderland 5:30 PM - Cayce/West Columbia Parade of Lights

December 15th 4:00 PM Mount Tabor's Christmas Concert Reception after concert

December 24th live nativity animals for 5:00 PM & 7:00 PM services

> 4:45 PM Prelude 5:00 PM Children's Service

6:30 PM Prelude 7:00 PM Candlelight Service w/ communion

10:30 PM Prelude 11:00 PM Candlelight Service w/ communion

Mt. Tabor's Annual Christmas Program



November 24th, December 1st & 7th at 10:00 AM play practice

December 8th at 10:00 AM program performance

If you would like your child to participate in the production, please contact Linda Spainhour.

No ifs, ands or butts about it you're gonna want one or four!

Mt. Tabor is hosting a BBQ Butt fundraiser. We are asking for your help! Please consider selling 4 tickets for this event.



Butts are \$50.00 each

Buy a Butt, give a butt! If you do not know who to donate one to - we will donate for you!

Just in time for Christmas!

Drive thru pick up will be Sunday, December 22nd 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM



YOUTH GROUP IMPORTANT DATES:

Dec 8th Christmas Play Dec 14th Winter Wonderland 12-4:30pm Dec 15th Christmas Concert Dec 21st Salvation Army Caroling and Christmas Party TBD

LOTS OF FUN COMING UP! BE SURE TO KEEP AN EYE AS MORE IS ADDED TO OUR CALENDAR AND AS ALWAYS FEEL FREE TO BRING FRIENDS!!