



St James Methodist Church

Pastor Clyde Scott

November 30, 2025

First Sunday in Advent



Prelude	Wesley Osborne
Call to Worship: Antiphons 1-7	No. 211b
Choral Response	
Announcements	
*Hymn: O Come, O Come, Emmanuel	No. 211
*Affirmation of Faith	No. 881
*Gloria Patri	No. 70
Lighting of Advent Candle	
Call to Prayer	
Offertory	
Doxology	No. 95
Anthem	Choir
Scripture: Isaiah 11:1-10	
Sermon: God of Green Shoots	Pastor Clyde Scott
*Hymn: Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus	No. 196
Benediction	
Postlude	Organ: Wesley Osborne

*** Please stand as you are able**

Prayer List (continued)

Wilt Childress	Bill Rambo
Mike Chumley	Sandy Reafler
Ed Coleman	Rick Richter
Carolyn Cook	Braden Risotti
Tony Cox	Tom Robertson-Cancer
Millie Darnell	Family of Susan Satterfield
Family of Don Davis	Mike Schatzberg-Cancer
Randy Davis-Cancer	Charlie Short
Rick Duvall	Pam Simpson
Tommy Estes	Joe Smith
Alice Franks	Dorothy Starett
Toni Freeman	Dianne Stewart
Cole Garrett	Tammy Taylor
John Graybill	Family of Kenneth Thompson
Jerry Howell	Jayda Watson-cancer
Janet Kennedy	Larry Woodward-cancer
Maria Kennedy	Lora Woodward



Church News

Flowers donated by Doug and Mot Mayer in honor of _____

Please pray for all Seasoned Saints this Month

Barbara Abercrombie	Dianne Stewart
Sylvia Brannon	Bruce Sumerel
Carolyn Cook	Margaret Sumerel
Millie Darnell	Barbara Tuttle
Pat Myers	Jimmy Woods

Prayer List

Bob Allen	Bill Lucas
Johnny Bailey	Josephine McWilliams
Debbie Bonable	Martha Martin
Steve Boxible	Martha Martin's Son-in-Law- cancer
Andy Breitenbach-cancer	Richard Murphy & family
Lisa Brewer	Christa Newman's granddaughter Jaden
Jimmy Brock	Lillian Noel-broken back
Kathy Carlson	Eunice Phelps
Anna Faye Childress	Diane Pike—Cancer

Crisis Center needs for November: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Canned Vegetables

Please remember our friends at the Memorial Home who depend on us for snacks. Please donate as you are able.

Ford Elementary Special Needs Class needs: Applesauce, Oreos, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Cheese Balls, Drink Boxes, Baby Wipes.

Join us during the Sunday School hour (9:30 am-10:30 am) for the next three weeks as Pastor Scott conducts an Advent Study based on the book Because of Bethlehem by Max Lucado. Books are available in the Social Hall. If you wish to reimburse the Church for your book, please deposit \$7 in the offering.

Seasoned Saints will be on Thursday, **December 4**. The theme is Christmas. There will be Christmas music. The proceeds from the Christmas Bazaar will be distributed to the charities. A sign-up sheet for food to be provided is in the vestibule. Please indicate if you plan to bring a dish. Also, please encourage your family and friends to attend if they can.

The Live Nativity will be on Friday, **December 12** from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. If you can help with the Nativity, please contact Mell Wallace.



Every Sunday	9:30 AM	Sunday School
Every Sunday	10:30 AM	Church
November 30	9:30 AM-10:30 AM	Advent Study <u>Because of Bethlehem</u>
December 4	11:00 AM-1:00 PM	Seasoned Saints
December 7	9:30 AM-10:30 AM	Advent Study <u>Because of Bethlehem</u>
December 12	6:00 PM-8:00 PM	Live Nativity Scene
December 14	9:30 AM-10:30 AM	Advent Study <u>Because of Bethlehem</u>
December 21	9:30 AM-10:30 AM	Advent Study <u>Because of Bethlehem</u>
December 24	5:30 PM	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

November Birthdays

- 14 Janet Kennedy
- 14 Dianne Stewart
- 17 Baylan Harlan
- 19 Mell Wallace
- 21 Emma Gragg
- 21 Mike Sumerel
- 22 Don Taylor
- 22 Evelyn Monteros-Vaca
- 27 Barbara Abercrombie

November Anniversaries

Flowers for November



- 2 Janet Kennedy
- 9 Congregation
- 16 Paula Terhune
- 23 Congregation
- 30 Doug and Mot Mayer

November Greeters

- 2 Vernon Self
- 9 Lou Ann Wakeland
- 16 Mot Mayer
- 23 Steve Wakeland
- 30 Janet Kennedy

NOTE FROM SHEILA: If you are paying tithes and offerings on-line, please be sure and indicate your identity so your account can be correctly credited.

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To be added to the automated phone prayer list, please
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Phone: 864-684-5772

SPECIAL NOTE: Automated calls may vary in time according to Paula's
work schedule and access to privacy to record the call. Your automat-
ed message will be announced!

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Welcome to Saint James Methodist Church

If you are a first-time worshiper with us, you honor us with your presence. Please be sure to complete the Visitors Card and drop it in the offertory plate. We invite you to come and share in worship with us anytime that you are able.

