This Week's Schedule		
Sun, 1/8	Worship Sunday School Worship CREW Red Cross Blood Drive	8 am - FLC 9:15 am 10:30 - Nave 4:30 pm 12:30 - 5 pm
Mon, 1/9	Coffee with the Pastor	10-11 am
Tues, 1/10	Fit for Christ Church Council meeting	6 pm 6 pm
Wed, 1/11	Celebration Choir 1833	6 pm 7 pm
Thurs, 1/12	Fit for Christ CARE Team meeting	6 pm 6 pm
Sun, 1/15	Worship Sunday School Worship CREW	8 am - FLC 9:15 am 10:30 - Nave 4:30 pm

Friendship Preschool - Director: Hope Wike

Hours: Monday - Friday 8am - 12noon

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Phone #: (828) 632-4024 Email: friendshippreschool4@gmail.com

4:30 pm

THANK YOU for continuing to share generously!

You may also put offerings in the lock box beside the Parish House door, mail them in or give online. Call if you need help with this.

	Current Offerings	Current Expenses	Benevolence Offerings
Last Week	\$4,489.00	\$3,050.34	\$90.00
YTD	\$4,489.00	\$3,050.34	\$90.00
2023 Budget		\$369,896.00	\$20,000.00
Weekly Budget		\$6,949.00	\$385.00

This Week At Friendship

January 8, 2023

<u>Offering Envelopes -</u> are <u>not</u> here yet. If you need an envelope, there are blank envelopes available at the offering plates to use. We hope to receive them soon.

Red Cross Blood Drive - today, 12:30-5 pm. Please visit Red-CrossBlood.org and enter Friendship Lutheran Taylorsville or contact Sue Bumgarner @ 828 381-7058 or Donna Icard @ 828 310-4890 to schedule an appointment. Call Jewell Elder for serving food or desk work @ 632-3544.

Coffee with the Pastor Josh is tomorrow, 10-11 am.

A Christmas Gift From Friendship! We have recently contracted with Right Now Media to offer a faith-based learning and bible study tools for our church members. Right Now Media is similar to Netflix, containing over 20,000 videos, children's cartoons, movies and studies for its users. This will be a great resource for bible study groups, families wanting faith-based content for their children to watch and adults with the goal of increasing their devotional opportunities. Right Now Media is an app based tool that can be downloaded to your phone, tablet or tv streaming device and can be viewed in the comfort of your own home! Please be on the lookout for an email from Right Now Media soon giving you directions to create your own personal account. For more information, please visit www.rightnowmedia.org

WELCA will **NOT** meet in January.

Church Council - will meet on Tues, Jan 10th at 6 pm.

<u>CARE Team</u> will meet on Thursday, January 12th @ 6 pm.

<u>2023 Flower Chart</u> - The new altar flower chart is located on the bulletin board by the sacristy room.

<u>CARE Team</u> will be preparing & delivering meals to the <u>Emergency Services in Alexander County</u> on Sat, Jan. 28th. We will need some volunteers to help. <u>More details to come!</u>

Stewards for This Week

<u>Lectors:</u> **8 am** - Diane Hollar **10:30 am** - Lynn Jolly <u>Ushers:</u> **8 am** - Monty Payne

10:30 am - Chris Bowman

Video: Dennis Rhyne

Stewards for Next Week

Lectors: 8 am - Andrea Robinette
10:30 am - Wendelynne Pearson
Ushers: 8 am - Shawn Smith
10:30 am - Jason Icard
Video: Doug Ramsey



Memorials & Gifts given to The Glory of God

Rusha Austin Scholarship

In honor of: Wade & Debbie Cline by Shawn & Starr Lynn Smith.

Building & Improvement

In memory of: Amy Deal by Shelia Rogers.

Youth

<u>In honor of:</u> Michelle Bowman's retirement by Joe & Jewell Elder. Michelle Bowman's 30 years of service in Alexander County Schools by Chris & Debbie Jolly.

Special Offerings:

Noisy Offering \$22; Lutheran Disaster Response \$25; Youth \$90; FLC-Rental Deposits \$100; Austin Scholarship \$25; Preschool \$90; Benevolence \$90; Building & Improvement \$145.

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS for this week

Penny is in the office Tues-Thurs, from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm, (lunch 12:30 -1:30pm).

Contact information for Pastor Josh:

cell 828-461-4688 or email pastorjoshtucker@gmail.com



Prayers of the Church

As God's people we commit to pray for one another, and for all in need. The names in **bold** were added this week. Please let us know if someone should be added or removed.

Lisa Bullard	(H. Bostian-12/12)
Judy Hefner	(R. Bolick-12/12)
Darlene Handy	(S. Rogers-12/12)
Linda Bowman	(S. Rogers-12/12)
Phyllis Ann Fox	(J. Gant-12/12)
Katelyn McKinney	(W. Cline-12/12)
Torie Rhoney	(R. Buff-12/12)
Corey Cline	(H. Bostian-12/12)
Billy & Susie Elder	(C. Jolly-12/15)
Matt Robinson	(C. Jolly-12/15)
Rick Hall	(C. Jolly-12/15)
Mae Elliott	(A. Mooney-12/19)
Laney Wike	(M. Stafford-12/19)
Ralph Miller	(J. Watts-12/20)
Natalie Slee	(M. Sipe-12/20)
Lynn James	(S. Icenhour-12/20)
Kellie Rough	(L. Hayes-1/3)

Family & friends of:

Amy Deal	(J. Gant-12/12)
Shirley Cline	(W. Cline-12/27)
Kevin Brookshire	(J. Mitchell-12/27)
Carrel (Jr) Icenhour	(T. Hall-12/27)