This Week's Schedule			
Sun, 11/30 1st Sunday of Advent	Sunday School Combined Worship (FLC) Youth Christmas play practice	9 am 10 am 4:30 pm 5:30 pm	
Mon, 12/1	Preschool Board meeting Fellowship potluck supper	5:15 pm 6 pm	
Wed, 12/3	Advent Worship @ Reformation Advent Worship @ Friendship Choir 1833 Band	Noon 6 pm 6 pm 7 pm	
Fri, 12/5	Youth lock in, Holy Trinity, Hickory		
Sun, 12/7 2nd Sunday of Advent	Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School Traditional Worship (Nave) Christmas play practice	8 am 9:15 am 10:30 am 5:30 pm	

204 friends worshipped with us last week

Invite your friends to come next Sunday!

Friendship Preschool - call church office for information

Hours: Monday - Friday 8am - 12noon

Phone #: (828) 632-4482 Email: friendshipsecretary4@gmail.com

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	\$8,181.00	\$3,460.47	\$805.00
YTD	\$376,158.44	\$384,780.74	\$16,474.42
2025 Budget		\$450,143.00	\$22,000.00
Weekly Budget		\$8,657.00	\$423.00

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<u>Altar flowers today</u> are in loving memory of Mindy's birthday (Nov. 28) given by Matt & Daphne Payne.

<u>Poinsettias -</u> if you want to donate a poinsettia to decorate for Christmas, forms are available at both services. Forms can be placed in the offering plate. The cost is \$8.50 & checks should be made out to Country Road Greenhouse. Contact Dana Frye for details. **Deadline is Dec. 7th.**

<u>The Angel Tree</u> - has **51** foster children in Alexander County this year. The tags will have the child's clothes size and special items they have asked for. You do not have to buy all of the items. **The tree will be up by November 30th.** The gifts must be back to the church by **Dec. 14th.** Contact Lisa James at 828-244-0219 with any questions.

Fellowship Potluck Supper - is tomorrow, Dec. 1st, @ 6 pm.

<u>Mid-Week Advent Worship</u> - This Advent season, Friendship, Reformation, St. Luke and St. John are partnering together to share mid-week Advent worship opportunities as we wait with anticipation and hope for the Lord's coming. Each Wednesday in Advent we'll gather for a brief time of worship and a lite meal. There will be services offered midday (all at Reformation) and in the evening (rotating among the other churches). Please plan to join in worship during this important season of preparation as we look forward to celebrating the newborn king!

<u>December 3rd</u>- Noon at Reformation, lunch to follow 6pm at Friendship, dinner to follow

<u>December 10th-</u> Noon at Reformation, lunch to follow 6pm St. John, dinner to follow

<u>December 17th-</u> Noon at Reformation, lunch to follow 6pm St. Luke, dinner to follow

<u>Sunday December 7th</u> - Christians from the Holy Land will be our guests at both worship services. During worship we will hear their stories and how they are navigating life during this tumultuous time in their land. After worship they will have handmade olive wood items for sale as a way to support them and their ministry.

Stewards for This Week

Lectors: 10am - Starr Lynn Smith

Ushers: 10am - Jeff Miller

Acolytes: 10am - Ethan Bebber

Video: 10am - Terry Hefner

Stewards for Next Week

<u>Lectors:</u> 8am - Margo Elder

10:30 - Donna Icard

Ushers: 8am - Jeff Miller

10:30 - Chris Bowman

Acolytes: 8am - Ethan Bebber

10:30 - Ethan Hall

Video: 8am - Terry Hefner

10:30 - Kimberlyn Swift

Offering Counters

November: 8am: Andrea Robinette & Jane Gant
10:30: Judy & Stan Feimster, Cody & Samantha Bowers



Memorials & Gifts given to The Glory of God Current

<u>In memory of:</u> Pam Brown by Larry & Amy Palmer; Jacky & Kathy Wike. Cathy Fox by Nina Windsor; Jacky & Kathy Wike.

Our friends, Cathy Fox & Pam Brown by Rickie & Sandra Gantt.

My friend, Cathy Fox by Lynette Gantt.

Martha Johnson by Jerry & Paulette Hefner.

Mindy's birthday (Nov. 28) & Mom's birthday (Dec. 1) by Diane Hollar.

<u>In honor of:</u> Janet Mitchell's birthday (Nov. 30) by Cathy Carroll.

Columbarium

In memory of: Cathy Fox by Joe & Jewell Elder; Starr Lynn Smith.

In honor of: Tammy Bowman & her family by Starr Lynn Smith.

Backpack-Wittenburg Elem.

<u>In memory of:</u> Martha Johnson by Allen & Donna Bowman.

Youth

<u>In memory of:</u> Pam Brown by John, Hannah, Chase & Ella.

Benevolence

In memory of: Martha Johnson by Larry & Jane Nichols.

Special Offerings:

Noisy Offering \$104; Christian Crisis Center of Alex. Cty. \$140; Preschool \$105; Lutheridge Campaign \$35; Lutheran Disaster Response \$325; Benevolence \$805; Backpack-Wittenburg Elem. \$450; Columbarium \$250; Youth/Rooted \$340; Austin Scholarship \$150; Benevolence \$805; Building & Improvement \$525.

Prayers of the Church

The names in **bold** were added this week. Please let us know if someone should be added or removed. Names are removed after one month unless the office is notified of an ongoing need.

As God's people we commit to pray for one another, and for all in need.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your request to God."

~ Philippians 4:6-7

Let us pray daily for...

Scott & Lori Seagle (P. Setzer-11/3) Jay Dean Mitchell (K. Ramsey-11/17) Bobby & Sheng Brown (P. Setzer-11/3) Linda Howard (B.Swift-11/18) Angela Pisel (A. Palmer-11/5) Joe Simmons (W. Cline-11/21) Chris Grindstaff (J. Buff-11/10) Gavin Killian (W. Cline-11/21) Ricky Rector (P. Josh-11/10) Diana Iimeneze (T. Adair-11/24) Noah Davis (S. Bowers-11/10) Coleman Haneline (T. Adair-11/24) Sonda Bentley (W. Bentley-11/10) Dana Hollar (L. Hefner-11/24) Larry Price (C. Bowman-11/10) **Guy Mundy** (B. Icenhour-11/24) Linda Seagle (W. Cline-11/12) Darryl Adkins (C. Gant-11/24) Jackie Minton (S. Rogers-11/17) Nicole Davis McNamara (J. Gant-11/24) Jimmy Hayes (M. Stafford-11/17) Teressa Wallace (W. Perason-11/25)

Family & friends of:

Pastor William Hollar (P. Josh-11/3) Sam Jenkins (C. Bowman-11/3) Linda Myers (S. Icenhour-11/10) Martha Johnson (G. Kerley-11/17) Dottie Hammer (N. Windsor-11/18) Angie Brown (J. Buff-11/21)Cathy Fox (M. Sweat-11/24) Pam Brown (P. Josh-11/24) Mazelle Bowman (B. Greathouse-11/24) Chris Mundy (W. Cline-11/24) Linda Seagle (W. Cline-11/24)

<u>Please be in daily prayer for our</u> <u>Home Bound/Extended Care members:</u>

Fate Hefner, Steve Icenhour, Joyce Deal, Roy & Reba Bolick, Dallard Lail, Bob Russell, Phil & Ruth Lackey.