

**WORSHIP CELEBRATION**  
**December 16, 2012, 10:45 a.m.**  
**Third Sunday In Advent**

Welcome & Announcements

Registration of Attendance

(Please use the red pads provided near the center aisle and pass them along your pew. Thank you!)

Organ Prelude

*"Tocatta on 'Regent Square'"*

Henry Smart

Lighting of the Candles

Chimes

+Choral Call to Worship:

*"Let's Worship and Adore Him "*

#247

+Prayer of Invocation

+Hymn of Praise

*"Angels We Have Heard on High"*

#278

+The Lighting of The Advent Candles James, Laura, Sarah Grace

Paschke

+Greeting

*"Emmanuel "*

#243

+Affirmation of Faith

I believe ... "the great truth is that Jesus came down to be with us in the Incarnation. How incredible it is that he not only became a man but will forever be the God-man."

I believe ... "in the amazing grace (Jesus) showed to us by inhabiting space and time as a human being."

"It's hard to imagine the eternal Son of God, the Creator of the universe, becoming a human child – carried by a Galilean peasant woman, born in a Bethlehem barn, surrounded by human blood and animals and straw, wrapped to keep out the cold night air.

"And how amazing, too, that (Jesus) promises one day to come down and live with us again in our home, the New Earth." (Randy Alcorn)

The Silent Prayers of Confession and Intercession

The Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Choral Response

*"Amen"*

+Please stand

Receiving of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

*"Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light"*

J. S. Bach

+Doxology

#815

Children's Message

"Bethlehem in Song"

Christmas Musical

"Christmas Mosaic"

Tom Fettke

Amanda Roberts, Narrator

"Fanfare For the Messiah"

"Christ Is Coming to the Earth"

"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

"How Should A King Come?"

"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

"How Great Our Joy"

"Come Celebrate Jesus-Joy to the World"

Closing Remarks

Dr. Hester

+Closing Carol

*"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"*

#277

(Anyone who may be ready to receive Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, re-dedicate their lives to Christ, join the church, or request special prayer is invited to come forward and meet with the pastor during the hymn)

+Prayer of Benediction

+Postlude

*"Sing We Now of Christmas"*

Organ/Piano

+Please stand

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## Prayer Concerns

### In the Hospital



#### On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

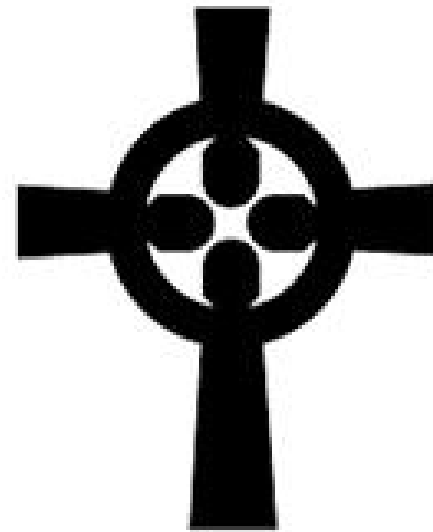
CP Missionaries; Mary Jane & Gordon Blaylock; Mildred Stone; Edna Fleenor; Mary Cregger; Bonnie Holbert; Otis Clinton Shelby; Gladys Stone; Mildred Acuff; Maxine McGuire; Ada Ladd; Nancy Anthony; Bud & Betty Hickman; Jackie Turbbeyville (Jim Curtis's niece); Carl Overstreet (friend of Cliff Parrott); Jonathan Migas; Peggy Bradshaw (Dianne Fielder's mother); Nora Derreberry (Maxine Curtis's mother); Ann Redding (Andrea Gollisher's mother); Marlene Ritchey; Brian Migas; Richard H. Zimmerman (Richard Zimmerman's father); Taylor Ford; Colonel Bud Day, USAF (Ret). POW VIETNAM (friend of Cliff Parrott); Lu Simmons (friend Mary Ann Haney); Mary McJunkins, (Mary Wegman's mother); Eric Nelson, (friend of the Witmer clan); Donna Wingard, (Mildred Acuff's daughter); Ann Fleming, (Beth Rader Fleming's mother-in-law); Pat Shetterly, (Sherry's mother, stroke recovery); Debbie & David Trieze, (Margaret Migas's sister and husband); Steve Goodrich; Debbie Holloway, (friend of Jack and Jin Gaston); Saxon Cochran (Bridges' neighbor with cancer); Carl Ware; Allison, Hailey, Connor and Hannah Davis; Janie Beeler, (Greg Beeler's wife); Martha Petree, (friend of Kevin Wood and Greg Beeler); Judy Gammon; Lynne Garrison (sister of Lois Witmer), Ruth McNabb (mother of Tammy Eblen); Suzan Smith, (Jewell Kerr's daughter); the family of Steve Gwilliamas; the family of Daisy Ware, (Sam Ware's mother).

#### Activities for December 16–22, 2012

Sun.,	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:45 a.m.	Worship Service
Tues.,	7:00 p.m.	Session
Wed.,	11:00 a.m.	Friendship Club—Copper Cellar
	6:30 p.m.	Choir
Thurs.,	6:30 p.m.	Search Committee

#### Who are Cumberland Presbyterians?

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