

# THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

November 29, 2009

Eleven O'clock

CHIMING OF THE HOUR	
GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS	<i>E. L. Thomas</i>
*SHARING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST	<i>E. L. Thomas</i>
PRELUDE O Come, O Come, Emmanuel	Chancel and Handbell Choirs
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES	<i>Acolytes</i>
INVOCATION	<i>E. L. Thomas</i>
LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH	<i>Mrs. Ruth Spach</i>
We light this candle as a sign of the coming light of Christ	
We are preparing ourselves for the days when the nations shall beat their swords into plowshares,	
And their spears into pruning hooks; nations shall not lift up sword against nation,	
Neither shall they learn war any more.	
Come, Lord Jesus, come!	
*HYMN OF PRAISE	People, Look East 202
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	Apostles' Creed 881
*GLORIA PATRI	71
CHILDREN'S MOMENTS	<i>E. L. Thomas</i>
<i>(Children, Age 3 years - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade meet across from nursery)</i>	

## PRAYER CONCERNS AND PRAISES

*E. L. Thomas*

### PASTORAL PRAYER

#### LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,

Hallowed be thy Name.

Thy kingdom come.

Thy will be done,

On earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

As we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,

But deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

### GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY O Blessed Emmanuel *(Bach)*

\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE All things Come of Thee 588

All things come of thee, O Lord;

And of Thine own have we given thee. Amen.

\*OFFERTORY DEDICATION

\*HYMN I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light 206

ANTHEM Lift Up Your Heads (Joseph Martin) *Chancel Choir*

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 21:25-36 *Rev. Glenn S. Griffiths*

SERMON "Put Yourself Out" *Rev. Glenn S. Griffiths*

\*HYMN Come Thou Long Expected Jesus 196

\*BENEDICTION

\*LIGHT OF CHRIST LEADS US INTO THE WORLD *ALL*

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION Rejoice! Rejoice!

\*CHIMES OF THE HOLY TRINITY

\*POSTLUDE Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light *(Bach)*

**\*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE**

## OUR STEWARDSHIP

We will support Pine Grove United Methodist Church with our prayers, our presence, our gifts and our service.

## OUR PRAYERS

**Eddie Pennell** in Baptist Hospital (Hope House), **Stephanie**, niece of Michele Roberts, **Jean Brannock**, **Jesse Ward**, **Doug Buie**, **Vickie Smith**, **Cherie Grainger**, **Miriam Fuller**, **Marilyn Mercer**, **Evelyn Groce**, **Greg Brown**, Grandson of Vivian Tanner, **going to Iraq**, **Hilda Smith**, **Roy Spach**, **Mervin Moser**, **Beckie Shutt**, **Roy Spach**, **Dustin Ward**, **Mary Ann Neace**, **Betty Bell**, **Rock Gengo**, **Henry White (Peggy Sizemore's Brother)**.

## OUR PRESENCE (Last Week's Figures)

November 22 Sunday School 98 (114)\* Worship 193 (284)\*  
\*High Attendance

## OUR GIFTS (Last Week's Figures)

General Budget needed year to date	\$266,131.86
General Budget received year to date	\$247,161.29
Difference year to date Over or (Under)	\$(18,970.57)
General Budget needed each week	\$ 5,662.38
General Budget received last Sunday	\$ 6,415.43
General Budget Weekly difference Over or (Under)	\$ 753.05

## OUR SERVICE TODAY – November 22, 2009

**Chief Usher – Eddie Scott**

**Head Usher:** Tom Mahannah

**Ushers:** Eddie Scott, John Fonda, Scott Pugh, Calvin Tanner

**Furnish Bread:** Mary Council **Sunday:** Melanie Niblock

**Sanctuary:** Evelyn Groce

**Welcome:** Searchers Sunday School Class

**Security Check:** Searchers Sunday School Class

**Crisis Control Ministry Gift:** Pasta Noodles

**Newsletter Deadline: November 25, 2009**

<b>Pastor</b>	<b>Dr. Steve Martin</b>
<b>Music Director</b>	<b>Beverly Myers</b>
<b>Administrative Assistant</b>	<b>Peggy Williams</b>

**Dr. Martin can be reached by cell phone 24/7 336-312-4359**

## PINE GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## WELCOME...

...to All who

*Need the Love and the Grace of our Heavenly Father,  
the support and Care of Christian Friends,  
and a Place to Serve God.*

## OUR PRAYER:

“Lord, help me to be part of whatever you are doing in this place.”

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

### Sunday, November 29

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship

### Monday, November 30

7:00 p.m. Contemporary Worship Experience in the sanctuary

7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, December 1

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts in Meeting House

### Wednesday, December 2

6:30 p.m. Handbell Practice

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice

### Saturday, December 5

6:00 p.m. Live Nativity

### Sunday, December 6

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship

### OUR PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

December 6/7

“God’s Best Gift in the Worst Times”

Micah 5:1-5

Please read the scripture in preparation for worship next Sunday.

**LAKE JUNALUSKA TRIP**—The bus is full and the tickets are all sold. The bus will be arriving at the church around 7:00 a.m. and we will leave promptly at 7:30 a.m. We will visit the Appalachian Craft show, have lunch at Lambeth Inn (cost for buffet will be \$10.00 each) and attend the concert for the Lake Junaluska Singers at 2:30. After the concert we will start back home and stop in Ashville for dinner. **We will not be stopping for breakfast. You can eat before you come or bring your breakfast. We will stop at a rest stop in Marion.**

**CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP EXPERIENCE** will be held in the sanctuary and we are asking you to please keep this step of faith and faithfulness in your daily prayers. If you would like to help with the service please contact Pastor Steve or Jim Mabry. Pray that God may connect to people who do not have a church through this service and that lives will be changed. Please tell all you know who might be interested in a contemporary service on Monday nights. Also tell all you know who would be interested in a traditional 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday Morning.

**VOLUNTEERS FOR HOSPITALITY TABLE** during the live Nativity in December. We need volunteers to help serve light snacks and hot chocolate to our guests during the Live Nativity. This will run each night, December 5 -10 from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. If you can help with this mission please use the Sign-up sheet on the Communication Center in the narthex.

**LIVE NATIVITY** – The Live Nativity will begin on December 5 and run through December 10. If you would like to participate this year please visit the table in the narthex after worship to pick up information from Polly and Dee Anne.

### THE POWER OF PENNIES FOR SAMARITAN MINISTRIES

I hope that you have been saving your pennies for the past year and will put them in the Penny Jar located in the Narthex. The Penny Jar will be there until December 5, and then I will take them to Thruway Shopping Center. Collected Pennies, change, and dollars are for Samaritan Soup Kitchen and Shelter. 100 pounds of pennies is a cash value of \$167.00 and will provide 82 meals and 10 nights for the hungry, homeless and people in need.

### PINE GROVE HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MEMORIALS

#### In Memory of:

Martha Wells

#### Given By:

Byron and Wilma Falls

John and Bessie Newman

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Farmer

Edith Farmer

Joyce Taylor

Chancel Choir

Elsie Bodsford

(Sister of Maude White)

Willing Workers Sunday School Class

**THANK YOU** – To all Pine Grove members: Thank you for the beautiful plant, cards and prayers in the death of my sister. Know they were appreciated. I miss you all. Keep praying, for prayer is the most important thing of all.

Love and God Bless,

Maude White

## **DECEMBER KINGDOM KIDS SCHEDULE**

### **Tuesday Evenings 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.**

December 1<sup>st</sup> Joshua Sends Spies to Jericho  
December 8<sup>th</sup> The Israelites Cross the Jordan River  
December 15<sup>th</sup> God gives victory Over Jericho

**THERE WILL BE NO KINGDOM KIDS ON  
DECEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup> OR 29<sup>TH</sup>**

**FROM THE PRIME TIMERS** – We would like to extend many thanks to the members of our church family and Prime Timers who assisted with the Caregiver’s meal on November 17. Those who participated through meal preparation or delivery were: Dee Anne Fortescue, Sue Morgan, Julie Stoakley, Joyce Long, Beckie Meade, Sandy Waldron, Jean Darden, Peggy Sizemore, Lori Genevie, Jim and Kathy Neace, Peggy Griffith, Ruby Reece, Polly Caudle, Burlee Jones, Charles and Dorothy Parker, and Linda Kite. We have already received a few thank you notes from the recipients of these meals. It means a great deal to them to know they are not forgotten but are, indeed, appreciated

**VISITATION VOLUNTEER’S MEETING:** Wednesday, December 2 at 10:00 a.m. in the church parlor. A pot luck luncheon in the narthex will follow the meeting.

**THE WEEKDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE** will meet Tuesday, December 8 at 7:00 p.m.

**THE BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL COMMITTEE** will meet at 6:30 p.m. on December 16 in the History Room.

**THANK YOU** – Thank you for once again donating the leftover pumpkins and hay to Second Harvest Food Bank. Our agency is so appreciative of the donation – and they helped decorate the space and really bring the warehouse to life. Second Harvest is thankful for the support we receive from Pine Grove throughout the year – food and financial donations, in-kind donations and volunteer time. Hunger is a solvable problem. Thank you for being part of the solution.

Erin James Foster  
Marketing Manager

### **FOOD BANK DONATIONS:**

Unemployment is at an all-time high...

Prices are up...

Income is down...or stagnant... or gone...

When children are out of school, many of them  
may only have one meal a day....

### **WHAT WE CAN DO!!!**

Bring a high protein canned or boxed item of food every time  
you come to church.

This will help us to meet this ongoing need, but especially during  
the holidays when school is out.

If you can’t bring food... bring money.

**PLACE THE REMINDER WHERE YOU CAN SEE IT.**



