



Call to Worship	<i>Praise</i>	Lake
Welcome & Prayer		Rev. Jennifer Porto
Lighting of the Advent Candle		The Cooper Family
Scripture Reading	Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19	Laureen Lynn
Passing of the Peace		
Songs of Praise	<i>Come Thou Long Expected Jesus King of Kings</i>	Andrews Ligertwood
<i>After this time, children are dismissed to Children's Chapel in The Landing.</i>		
Scripture Reading	Isaiah 11:1-10	
Sermon	"Peace Like a Unicorn"	Dr. Darren McClellan
Affirmation of Faith		
Communion	<i>Let There Be Peace on Earth</i>	Miller
Offertory		
<i>Offering baskets are located on both sides of the communion table.</i>		
Doxology		Miller
Benediction		



ASHLAND PLACE  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



## UPCOMING WEEK AT APUMC

### Sunday

9:00am Ascension Worship—FH  
10:00am Sunday School  
11:00am Traditional Worship—S  
5:30pm Youth

### Monday

7:00am Men's Study Group—WP  
10:00am Women's Bible Study—FH

FH - Fellowship Hall FP- Fellowship Parlor  
WP - Wisteria Parlor S- Sanctuary  
B - Basement DW - 126 Mobile Street

### Tuesday

10:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry—FP

### Wednesday

6:00pm Choir Practice  
6:30pm Children's Nativity—S

### Thursday

7:00am Men's Bible Study—FP  
7:00pm Trivia Night—206 State. St.

### Friday

Office Closed



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**CIRCLE OF CONCERN** Please hold these persons in your prayers: Fay Adams, John Allen, John and Angela Bell, Jean Brown & son James Williams, Victor Brown (Dee Dee Cook's brother), Bob Cook, Braxton & Linda Lee Counts, \*Judie Crowther, Julie & Steve Dugan, Jake Elder, Mihyon Ellis, Phillip Fields, Bruce Finley, Missy Foose, Marcia Golson, Curt Graf (Curtis Graf's father), Diane Holub (Angela Prine's mother), Barbara Hunt, Andrew Irby, Tyler Mazey, David Richards, Sara Robinson, Tom Root, Mary Davis Rutledge, Nancy Scott, Lonn Spencer, Jody Thompson (Pam Bostick's brother-in-law), Louise Thomson, Sherry Thomson, Suzannah Weeks, Robert Wheeler (Emily McGough's brother), Merrill Whitener, Kathryn Willingham, and all caregivers (\*new concern this week)

### THE JOSEPH PROJECT CHRISTMAS CARDS

Christmas Cards—A table is set up in the Fellowship Hall hallway for Christmas card orders, or there is a link in your newsletter to order online. The deadline for preaddressed envelopes is today.

**ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD** will meet Wednesday, December 10 at 12:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.

### CHILDREN'S NATIVITY

Please join us for the Children's Nativity program on Wednesday, December 10th at 6:30pm. The children will gather for a final practice at 5:00, dinner at 5:30, and performance at 6:30pm.

### CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST

The children will gather for a Christmas breakfast on Sunday, December 14 at 10:15am.

### HANGING OF THE GREENS

If you would like to contribute toward the special Christmas floral and greenery arrangements that will adorn the Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall on Christmas Eve, please complete a form and turn it in to the office, or use the link in your newsletter to contribute online. The deadline is Thursday, Dec. 18.

### YOUTH CHRISTMAS DINNER

The youth will be having a progressive dinner on December 14 from 5-7pm. Please bring a \$20 Dirty Santa gift (no gift cards please). Contact Joseph Griggs for more information.

**FINANCIAL UPDATE** Offering Received 11/30/25: \$11,119

## LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Carsen Grant—Vocals  
Jon Miller—Bass/Vocals  
Tiffany Norton—Percussion

Daniel O'Keefe—Vocals  
Nathan Shiver—Lead Guitar  
Zack Wolf—Acoustic Guitar

Nora Riley—Acolyte