

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Jackie Earnest, Organist
Claire Gray, Pianist

ALTAR FLOWERS
The flowers have been placed for the honor and glory of God and in loving memory of John and Annie B. Fuller and Sam and Louise Wright by Barbara Fuller.

CRADLE CROSS
The cradle cross has been placed on the altar in honor of the birth of Ensley Lane Ward. She was born on Thursday, November 17, to Chris and Vivian Ward. Her grandparents are Jim and Trish Ward.

OUR VISION
It is the vision of Cain's Chapel United Methodist Church to continually reach people for Christ and develop growing disciples who serve others through God's love and grace.
OUR MISSION
Reaching-Growing-Serving

To Our Visitors...
Welcome to Cain's Chapel.
Childcare: A nursery is provided for infants through two year olds. Children age three through second grade may leave for Junior Church following the Children's Sermon.
Our Pastor would like to meet you! She will remain inside the Worship Center following this morning's service.
Want more information? Visit the Welcome Center located in the entranceway to the Worship Center. Visitor packets and name tags are awaiting you.
Want to join? We would love for you to become a part of the Cain's Chapel family. Indicate your desire on the pew pads, or speak to the pastor after the service.

Check us out on the web at www.cainschapelumc.org
Have a question or a comment? Email us at office@cainschapelumc.org

SERMON NOTES

Cain's Chapel United Methodist Church Staff Directory
Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.
Church Phone: 334-569-2375
Rev. Suzie Beeson, Senior Pastor—EXT. 203, cell—590-8332
Sarah Thebo—Director of Music Ministries EXT. 202
Alice Veros—Director of Children's Ministries—EXT. 205
Bill Roberts—Director of Youth Ministries—EXT.
Worship Leaders: 8:00 Jackie Earnest
Worship Leaders: 10:30 Jackie Earnest and Claire Gray
Jill Champion, Pastoral Asst.—EXT. 204
Wendy Anderson, Church Secretary / Receptionist—EXT. 201
Rita Horne, Church Treasurer
Christa Barclay, Custodial / Housekeeping Services
Michelle Richardson, Custodial / Housekeeping Services

FLC & KITCHEN—EXT. 209
MISSIONS CAFÉ—EXT. 213

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

November 27, 2011 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.
First Sunday of Advent
Purple

PRELUDE Jackie Earnest, Organist
Claire Gray, Pianist

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS Scott Poague

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE
8:00 a.m.—Wendy and Kaylee Anderson
10:30 a.m.—Mike and Alice Veros

HYMN Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus (*all*) #196

APOSTLES' CREED #881

GLORIA PATRI

CONGREGATIONAL GREETING

ANTHEM (10:30 only) *Beautiful Star of Bethlehem* Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S SERMON Alice Veros
Children are dismissed for Jr. Church.

SCRIPTURE LESSON *Psalms 80:1-3* Scott Poague

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, forever. Amen.

HYMN *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* (v. 1,2,4) #211

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY *Attendance registration may be made at this time.*

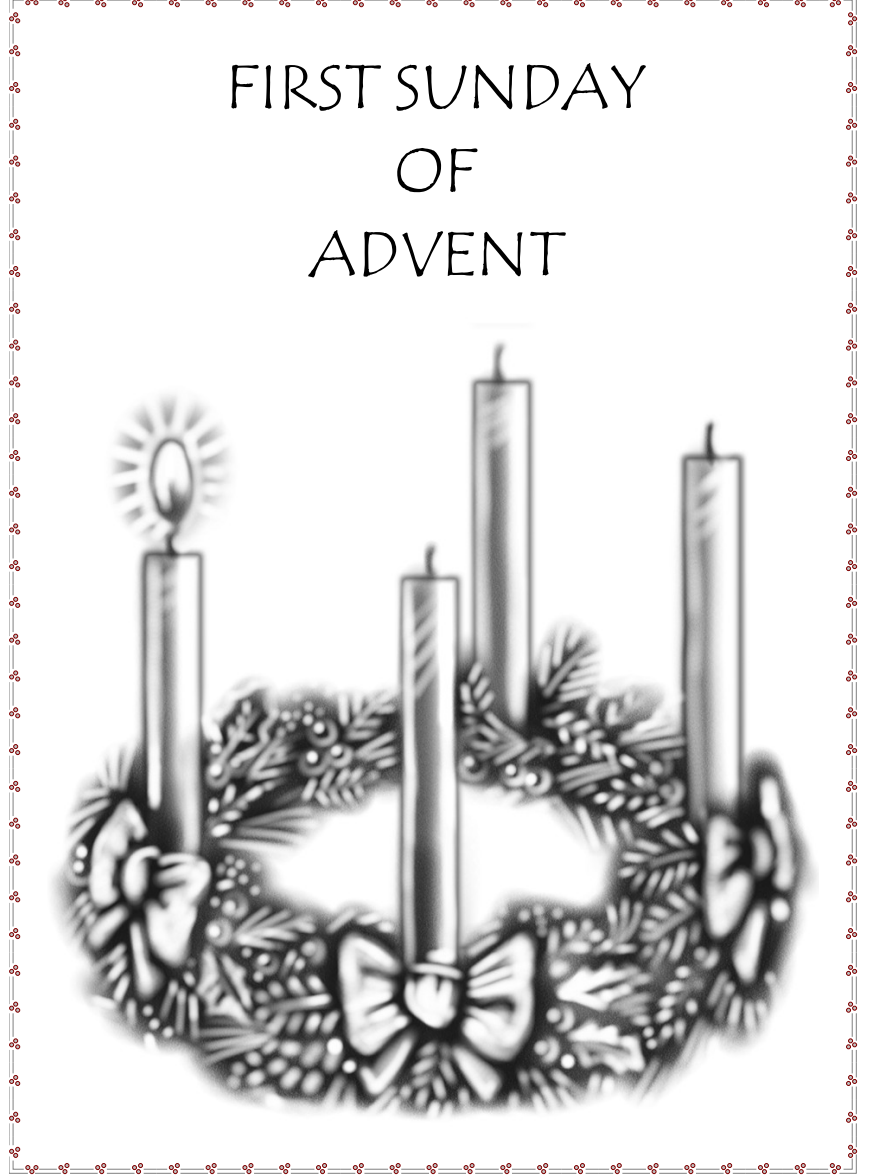
DOXOLOGY #95

SERMON *This Old House* Rev. Suzie Beeson

INVITATION TO NEW MEMBERS

Please remember to mute all cell phones during worship.

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God's Grace Runs Through It
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STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Through Our Gifts

November 13, 2011

Budget	\$ 5,231
Building Fund	\$ 1,103
Special Funds	
Adullam House	\$ 300
Children's Programs—KIDMO	\$ 100
Christmas Boxes	\$ 660
Food Pantry	\$ 15
Poinsettias	\$ 125
Scholarship Fund	\$ 50
T-Shirts	\$ 110
Slapout Ministerial Assoc.	\$ 665
T-Shirts	\$ 114

Through Our Presence

November 13, 2011

8:00 a.m. Worship	63
10:30 a.m. Worship	<u>117</u>
	180
Thanksgiving Service	216
Sunday School	
General Fund Weekly Need:	\$ 7,681
General Fund YTD Need:	\$362,318
General Fund Received YTD:	\$340,282
Building Fund Weekly Need:	\$ 1,652
Building Fund YTD Need:	\$ 77,672
Building Fund YTD Received	\$ 56,343

Through Our Service

November 27

Acolytes
Jack Broom and Miles Broom

Altar Flowers
Barbara Fuller

Audio/Video System
8:00 Traci Culverhouse
10:30 Ben Allen

Nursery
8:00 Lee Dean and Lacey Dean
10:30 Susan and Kristy Grimes

Sunday Morning Refreshments
New Beginnings SS Class

Trustee in Charge— Lee Dean

Ushers
8:00 Mike Nelson, Jeff Wigley
10:30 Paul Fuller, Mike Wingard
Gene Woodfin

December 4

Acolytes
Hannah Roberts and Emmie Roberts

Altar Flowers
Irene Bennett and Emily Cole

Audio/Video System
8:00 Mike Horne
10:30 Paula Steverson

Nursery
8:00 Dustin & Abby Land
10:30 Vicki Geddie & Kerri Watson

Sunday Morning Refreshments
Pairs & Spares SS Class

Trustee in Charge— Craig Nelson

Ushers
8:00 Lee Dean, Gerald Griffies
10:30 Sanford Peeples, Scott Poague
Bill Reese, Mike Veros

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY—November 27

8:00 a.m. Early Worship Service—Worship Center
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship—Worship Center
2:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice—Worship Center
5:00 p.m. Family Advent Night—Family Life Center

MONDAY—November 28

5:00 p.m. Church Staff Meeting—Library
5:30 p.m. Martial Arts Class/5-7 year olds—FLC
6:00 p.m. Martial Arts Class/8-12 year olds—FLC
6:00 p.m. Step Aerobics—Choir Rm.
7:00 p.m. Martial Arts Class/13 & up—FLC

TUESDAY—November 29

10:00 a.m. Bible study
6:30 p.m. Prayer Garden Meeting—Pairs & Spares Classroom

WEDNESDAY—November 30

Food Pantry 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m. Youth ENCOUNTER—Missions Café

THURSDAY—December 1

5:30 p.m. Martial Arts Class/5-7 year olds—FLC
6:00 p.m. Martial Arts Class/8-12 year olds—FLC
6:00 p.m. Step Aerobics—Choir Rm.
7:00 p.m. Martial Arts Class/13 & up—FLC

FRIDAY—December 2

SATURDAY—December 3

9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. Christmas Cookie Drop Off—Family Life Center
10:00 a.m. AA Meeting—Ministry Annex
2:00 p.m.—Baby Shower for Judy Harris—Missions Café

TAKING A LOOK AHEAD

Monday, December 5—Finance Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 11—Administrative Council Meeting at 11:30 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LESSONS AND CAROLS AND OPEN HOUSE AT THE PARSONAGE

The Chancel Choir will be performing next Sunday at 2:00 p.m. in the Worship Center. Please come and participate in this interactive performance. Then join us at the church parsonage for an open house with all the Christmas trimmings!



Dear Church Family,
Thank you so much for all the prayers, cards, and the beautiful flowers brought to me during my recovery from back surgery. God has truly blessed me through all of you.
In His Love,
Suzanne George

COOKIE BAKERS NEEDED
Cookies are needed for the parsonage open house on Sunday, December 4. If you are able, please bring your cookies to the church kitchen on Saturday, December 3, between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

FAMILY ADVENT ACTIVITY NIGHT



Today is the First Sunday of Advent, and we have an evening of wreath making and other fun activities planned in the Family Life Center at 5:00 p.m. Please bring your whole family!

An Advent Examination Edward Hays

Advent is the perfect time to clear and prepare the way. Advent is a winter training camp for those who desire peace. By reflection and prayer, by reading and meditation, we can make our hearts a place where a blessing of peace would desire to abide and where the birth of the Prince of Peace might take place.

Daily we can make an Advent examination. Are there any feelings of discrimination toward race, sex, or religion? Is there a lingering resentment or an unforgiven injury living in our hearts? Do we look down upon others of lesser social standing or educational achievement? Are we generous with the gifts that have been given to us, seeing ourselves as their stewards and not their owners? Are we reverent of others, their ideas and needs, and of creation? These and other questions become Advent lights by which we may search the deep, dark corners of our hearts.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

It's that wonderful time of year again, and we will be doing our Christmas card ministry. Cain's Chapel member listings will be available for you to pick up at the Information Desk. There is no need to address your cards. Just put the name on the envelope, and we will sort them for pick up. Please place your cards in the bins at the Welcome Desk and in the church office by Sunday, December 11.

MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS

Building Fund
In loving memory of
Bob Boles

Christmas Boxes
In honor of
Beverly Barrett