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Friends and Family

Eleanor Ashburn Child in our Preschool
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 Rose Martin Mother of Renee Smith
 Abigaile Moran Granddaughter of Gaylon & Carolyn Moran
 Roman Nelson Cousin of Sonny Grubbs
 Ruth Owen Mother of Jimmy Owen
 Patty Pollard Niece of Ray Horner
 Silas Porter Child in our Preschool
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Christmas Sunday
 December 29, 2024

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FIRST SUNDAY OF 2025 NEXT SUNDAY

We begin the new year as a church family next Sunday with our worship service. Our worship service will include the installation of our **Board of Elders** and **Board of Trustees** for the new year and the sharing of Communion. Our special speaker for this service will be the **Rev. Christy Clore**.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE WATCHNIGHT SERVICE THIS TUESDAY

Everyone is invited to the Southern Province Watchnight Service this Tuesday evening at St. Phillips Moravian Church in Old Salem (911 S. Church St.) at 8:00. There will be a band prelude beginning at 7:30.

UNITY PRAYER WATCH THIS WEDNESDAY

The Unity Prayer Watch is a continuous prayer chain of the Moravian Church in which Moravian congregations throughout the world are assigned days and times to pray for the needs of the Moravian Church. Our congregation has been assigned this Wednesday, January 1, from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. There is a sign up sheet where people can sign up to pray in 15 minute intervals.

FLOWER CALENDAR FOR 2025

Our 2025 Flower Calendar is posted on the lectern in the narthex. If you would like to sign up for flowers, please pick the Sunday you would like to provide flowers.

CHRISTMAS CARDS IN THE NARTHEX

For the past few weeks, we have had our Christmas Card Drop Box for people to leave Christmas cards for our church members. Before you leave today, please look to see if you have any Christmas cards.

ADDITIONAL PRAYER LIST CONCERNS

Bill & Hunter Smith

Reed and Donna Spears

Jody Stanbro

Meriella Vanzant

Brad Tedder

Tana Villafana

Doyle Watson

Mike Weatherman

Steve Williams

Pattie Whitaker

Uncle & Aunt of Heather Johnson

Friends of Mark and Heather Johnson

Sister of Ray Horner

Daughter of Sarah Stevens

Friend of Ken and Cynthia Sevier

Daughter of Bill and Nancy Witt

Cousin of C.W. Hill

Neighbor of Ken Sevier

Brother of Cathy Pickett

Mother of Myra Wright

MESSAGE NOTES

EIGHT GREAT WORDS FOR CHRISTMAS: GOOD NEWS!

Eight great words for Christmas – Get Ready! Fear Not! Look Up!
and Good News!

THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS

For the shepherds, it was the good news of a _____!

For the wisemen, it was the good news of a _____!

For Mary and Joseph, it was the good news of the _____ of _____!

For us, it is _____ of the above!

THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS IS SEEN IN WHY GOD SENT HIS SON

1. To show us who God is and to show God's _____.

*"I pray that you may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to
grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ . . ."*

Ephesians 3:18

2. To save us from our _____.

3. To give us _____ (newness, abundance, eternal).

May we be like the shepherds, wisemen, Mary, and Joseph, as we go
beyond Christmas.

They continued to follow God's _____.

They _____ something with this good news.

TWO OTHER GREAT WORDS FOR CHRISTMAS

_____!

Thank you, God, for _____!

Thank you, God, for this good _____!

Thank you, God, for the wonderful place and people at King Moravian
where we _____ this good news!

If you follow along with the Message Notes, the words that go in the blanks are:
Savior, king, Son, God, all, love, sins, life, leading, did, thank you, Jesus, news, share

Watchword for the week:

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his glory is above earth and heaven.

Psalm 148:13

OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP AND SERVE

Today

After Worship Luncheon in Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, January 1 – **Happy New Year!**

Church Office Closed

Sunday, January 5

Walk Up Offering

Communion & Board Installation

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Sunday, January 12

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Tuesday, January 14

6:30 p.m. Joint Board Meeting

Sunday, January 19

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Monday, January 20 – MLK Jr. Day

Office Closed

Sunday, January 26

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL RECOGNITION BY THE PROVINCIAL ELDERS
CONFERENCE

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

PRELUDE – “Ring the Joyous Christmas Bells”
Lani Smith (1934-2015)

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN 294 – “Joy to the World, the Lord Is Come”

LITURGY FOR CHRISTMAS p. 59
(We will omit the first hymn of the liturgy)

TIME OF PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READINGS Lay Reader: Jim Hall

Luke 2:8-20

Ephesians 3: 14-21

Lay Reader: The Word of God for the people of God!

All: Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

WE BRING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD

Offertory Prayer

Offertory – “Elevation No. 2 sur le noel: Or nous dites
Marie”

Alexandre Guilmant (1837-1911)

* Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

ANTHEM – “The Work of Christmas”

Dan Forest, Thao Nguyen, soloist

MESSAGE – EIGHT GREAT WORDS FOR CHRISTMAS:
GOOD NEWS!

Rev. Doug Rights

DRAWING WATCHWORDS FOR THE NEW YEAR

*HYMN 309 – “With Praises and Thanksgiving”

LITURGY FOR THE DEPARTURE OF A PASTOR
(See Insert)

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE – “Psalm XIX”
Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739)

(The congregation may sit for a time of reflection or exit quietly during the postlude.)

*Please stand if able

GOD'S WORD FOR US

Luke 2:8-20

And in that region, there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord appeared to them and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with fear. And the angel said to them, "Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of a great joy which will come to all the people; for to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a babe wrapped in swaddling cloths than lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men with whom he is pleased!" When the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has made known to us." And they went with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger. And when they saw it they made known the saying which had been told them concerning this child; and all who heard it wondered at what the shepherds told them. But Mary kept all these things pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

Ephesians 3:14-21

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with might through his Spirit in the inner man and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have power to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who by the power at work within is able to do more abundantly than all that we ask or think, to him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

THANKS

Greeters	<i>Doug and Karen Gordon</i>
Nursery/Bible Time	<i>KMC Church Family</i>
Children's Church	<i>3rd & 4th Sundays</i>
Music	<i>Drake Flynt, Jennifer Dunn, and KMC Choir</i>

2022-2024 Capital Campaign

Goal \$500,000

Pledge amount (84 pledges) \$428,272.08

Money received \$513,571.06

(This amount includes money received from pledges, one-time gifts, fundraisers, memorials, and honorariums.)

Financials through November

Offerings \$314,068.92

Budget expenses \$339,051.55

Provincial share (Nov) \$4,162

OUR CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Doug Rights	Office Admin: Leigha Davis
DCE: Rachael Butts	Treasurer: Lee Christensen
Music: Drake Flynt	Vice-Chair Elders: Mark Johnson
Organist: Jennifer Dunn	Chair Trustees: Cynthia Sevier

Office Hours:	Mon-Fri	9:00 am – 1:00 pm	Leigha
	Tues-Thurs	9:30 am – 12:30 pm	Pastor Doug
	Mon, Wed, Fri.	9:30 am – 12:30 pm	Rachael

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