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The Fountain

DECEMBER 2024

From the Pastor...

"The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world"

John 1:9 ESV

'Tis the season for lights! Among many other things about the advent and



Christmas season, I love seeing the lights. Yards and houses aglow are a big part of what makes the season merry and bright. As the daylight lessens and the days grow darker, it's a great reminder that the Light of the world stepped out of the glorious splendor of Heaven and into a world growing ever darker with evil, injustice, and oppression.

The Gospel of John doesn't have the story of Jesus's birth, but it does tell us that the Light of life came into the world darkened by sin. The eternal Word through which all things were made (John 1:1-3), "became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth" (John 1:14). The Word who became flesh was Jesus.

Jesus said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life" (John 8:12). May the beauty of the lights this season remind us that we are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ living in us by living lives that reflect the goodness of his grace and truth. Let it shine!

Love,

Pastor Cliff Wall

Sunday Night Bible
Study
With Pastor Cliff will
end Sunday 12/8/24
and will resume in
January 2025



The Church Office will close early 12/5/24, and will be closed on 12/25 and 12/26/24

Martha Avett Subgroup will meet at 6:00 pm in Conf #2

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Mae Barnhardt Subgroup will meet at TJ & Lillian Overbay's home on 12/9/24 at 10:00 am

Dave Ramsey Financial Peace Class Will resume January 2025

JOY GROUP

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CHRISTMAS PARTY

KRIMMINGER HALL

DECEMBER 16 AT 9AM



12/7/24 MT. PLEASANT CHRISTMAS PARADE. WE WILL HAVE A NATIVITY FLOAT.

12/8/24 2:00-4:00PM @ the Mt. Pleasant House. We will be having a Christmas Party for the residents of the Mt. Pleasant House. All are welcome to attend!



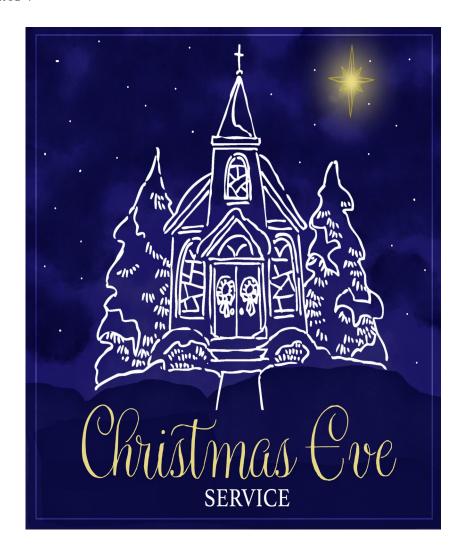
The Blessing Box

As a way for everyone in the church to have an opportunity to help fill the Blessing Box for those who may need help supplying their families with food, the third Sunday of each month will be designated "Blessing Box Sunday". Please bring canned or boxed items and place them in the tub located in the Narthex.





If you are interested in volunteering in the Church Nursey, please email Christi Wall at: wall844@yahoo.com



December 24
6:00 pm
in the
Sanctuary

Community Breakfast

Mark your calendars for the Methodist Men's Community Breakfast on Saturday, December 7. Serving is from 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM. Please join us for a delicious southern breakfast and some great fellowship. A special "thanks" to everyone who comes out each month to prepare, cook, serve, and clean up.

Methodist Men Christmas Party Saturday, 12/14/24 at 6pm in Krimminger Hall



Troop 5 is again smoking Boston Butts for the Christmas season. They will be ready for pick up on 12/21 between noon and 3:00

PM. They are 6 to 8 pounds and are \$40.00. They reheat well. If you have gotten one in the past you know how delicious they are! Please see one of our Boy Scouts at Church and place your order for this I important fundraiser. Scouts from Cold Springs are Jason Raney, Eric McKenna, Brice Long and Silas Wall.



We invite all ladies of our church and community!

(young, those more mature, and all those in between)

Junk for Jesus

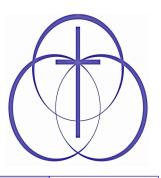
JAN 5, 2025 (SUNDAY)
3:00-4:00PM
PTAMATNICER HALL AT CSCI

KRIMMINGER HALL AT CSGMC

A brief time of faith, fellowship & missions

Let your old stuff become someone's new treasure. Bring 3-5 items that you want to purge from your home and donate them to a 30 minute pop-up yard sale (sealed bid pricing). Bring your cash so that someone else's junk can go home in your trunk. All proceeds will be used to purchase non-perishable food items and scripture cards for the community blessing box in our church yard.





Junk for Jesus 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17	Furry Friends & Feathered Fowl for our Father	Mosaic Masterpieces of our Maker	Awareness of Angels Among Us from the Almighty SALM Still Still
Monthly Maxies for Missionary Missions JAMES 2:15-16	Joy of Jam & Jellies for Jehovah Jireh	Jenga Jargon Journal from the Just Judge ISAIAH 33:22 2CORINTHIANS 5:10	Armor of the Annointed One Art
Safety Strategies from our Shepherd ISAIAH 41:10 PSALM 23:1-4	One on One with our Burden Bearer MATTHEW 11:28-30 ISAIAH 53	Napkins & Nails of the Name Above All Names	Dare to Deliver Diapers for our Deliverer JOHN 16:33

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Please join us on the 1st Sunday of each month from 3:00-4:00pm in Krimminger Hall for a brief time of faith, fellowship & missions. Strengthen your walk with Christ with every step of your journey while you become the hands & feet of service and love to others!



Youth Drive Thru Nativity

The youth are again sponsoring a Drive Thru nativity, "Child is Born", on Sunday evening 12/15, 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM. Last year we had about 75 cars who followed the birth of Jesus and the story was retold with actors. We need the help of our Church family to pull this off this year and hope you can help us. We especially need Wisemen and Shepherds. If you are willing to help, please let Brenda or Karie Long know ASAP.

In an effort to keep our prayer request current and accurate, please write your request on the Prayer Board in the Sanctuary, or email the church office with your request. The email address is: admin@coldspringschurch.org

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

Richard Castillo, Terry Williams, Nancy Daugherty, Brandon Reid, Dani Hill, Robert Hill, Karen Hill, Nancy Widenhouse, Buddy Blackwelder, The Family of Keith Pavey, Dixie Cafferty, Deborah Helms, Family Of Bill Barnhardt, Melba Mick, Rick Gray, Kori Drake, Alan Mears, Dr. Robert Surratt, Andy Ballard, Lynn Bishop, Rob Eckman, Jerry Burris, Wayne Reid, Jimmy Yow, Jayden Hemphill, Deborah Helms, Tony Pennell, Sonya McSwain, Family Of Brian Graham.

GriefShare

Grief Support Group

Dates: January 12, 2025 - April 6, 2025

Time: Sundays, 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m. at Cold Springs Global Methodist Church in Conf #2

To register: sign up at www.griefshare.org/findagroup

If you attended previously, you are more than welcome to return.

For any questions, please contact Lisa Barnett 980-293-0603 or Kathy Kolodge 562-371-4474.

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Name: Ryley Gray

College: NC State University

Address: 2730 Wolf Village Way

Caspian Hall Room 210E

Raleigh, NC 27607

Favorite Store: Target, Olive Garden, Starbucks

Favorite Foods Cape Cod Kettle Chips Sea Salt & Black Pepper

Nerds Gummy Clusters

Allergies: None

Name: lan Wall

College: American Military University

Address: 6810 Shannopin Dr., Apt 1634

Charlotte, NC 28270

Favorite Store: Starbucks

Favorite Foods Beef Jerky

Allergies: None

Name: Cheyenne Wall

College: UNC Charlotte

Address: 6810 Shannopin Dr., Apt 1634

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Favorite Store: Starbucks

Favorite Foods Goldfish

Allergies: None

Name: Ayden Gifford

College: Central Piedmont Community College

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Concord, NC 28025

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Name: Trent Almond

College: Doctrine of Pharmacy, Campbell University

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Favorite Store: Amazon

Favorite Foods Zaxby's, Taco Bell

Allergies: None

Name: Morgan Gifford

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Concord, NC 28025

Name: Sara Grace Cook

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Name: Alexis Lynn Isenhour

College: UNC Chapel Hill

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Name: Mya Hernon

College: UNC Wilmington

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Favorite Store: Target

Favorite Foods Cheese-its, Scooby Snacks, Chic-Fil-A

Allergies: None

FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE

Please remember the deadline for any event/ announcement to be in the newsletter is the 15th of the month. Please email your information to admin@coldspringschurch.org.

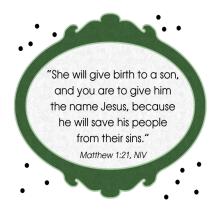
If you don't have access to email, you may put your request in the "secretary" mailbox, or call the church office at 704-782-1811.



When 12-year-old Jesus stayed at the Jerusalem temple as Joseph and Mary started traveling home, after how many days did his parents find him?

- A. 1 day
- B. 2 days
- C. 3 days
- D. 7 days





Anniversaries

13- Greg & Kim Overbay

Please let the church office know if we missed your Birthday or Anniversary,

Birthdays

1-Linda Morrison, Wayne
Barnhardt, Bennie Hunsucker
3-Grace Cranmer, Shannon Bulger
4-Darla Daugherty
6-Mike Barnhardt
8-Karie Long, Barbara Bost
11-Tommy Jones
12-Jane Wiley
16-LeeAnn Gainey,
Brice Long
17-Ronald Barnhardt
18-Judy Allmon

19-Janice Brady

20-Gracie Cook

21-Cindy Love, Eli Caldwell

26-Ramona Barnhardt, Timo-

thy Campbell, Anna Wall

29-Diane Miller

30-Jeff Heintz, Donna Cook, Wes Leonard

31-Ryan Moser





Bennie Hunsucker
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Shirley York
Mt. Pleasant House
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Mt. Pleasant, NC 28124

Betty Wall
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Dixie Cafferty 560 Swallow Dr Concord, NC 28025

David & Ruthanne, Billy and Kaitlyn Holdeen 10733 Bowman Barrier Rd. Mt. Pleasant, NC 281243



Events At Cold Springs December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
F	2 6pm M Avett Conf #2	Ø	4 4-9 pm KH reserved	5 Church office closes at 11am	6 KH reserved Scout Hut reserved	7-10am Community Breakfast Scout Hut reserved KH reserved all day
8 Bible Study ends 3 pm JOY Travel Meeting Boy Scout Hut Hut 2-4pm Chistmas Party at Mt. Pleasant House	9 10 am M Barnhardt meeting at the Overbay residence	10	11 6:30-8:30 pm KH reserved	12	13 4-9 pm KH reserved	14 6 pm Methodist Men Christmas Party KH resrved
15 Youth-Drive Thru Nativity whole campus	16 JOY Christmas Party	17	18	19	20	21 Scout Hut reserved
22 (rain date for Drive Thru Nativity) 11 am Boy Scout Hut reserved	23	24 6 pm Christmas Eve Service in the Sanctuary KH reserved all day	25 MERRY CHRISTMAS CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	26 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	27	28
59	30	31				
					Every Surface): 8-45 am Prayer in the Sanctuary 9-00 am Surfacy School-All Ages 10:00 am Worship 4:30:00 pm Youth 6:00 pm Bible Study w/Pastor Cliff-KH	Sanctuary od-All Ages w/Pastor Cliff-KH

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