

Joy to the World

They will enter Zion with singing;
everlasting joy will crown their heads.
Gladness and joy will overtake them,
and sorrow and sighing will flee away.

Isaiah 35:10 (NIV)

Find the hidden words. The words have been placed horizontally, vertically, or diagonally.
When you locate a word, draw a circle around it.

U H T A U I O V K Q T Q G M C
Y I K M A L K M E B L N C Y D
I V J N D R J A U H I X J N P
X B S S E Y E S C G U K I S N
F A L O A U T P N E H L D H S
O R K F F A B I D C B G M O I
R K O P E N S B X D J S U U T
B G B S O R R O W P S H J T O
V T X T F W S M E F V X N V N
R R Z S L D B T X I E A R S G
A M X Q E G L N R B L N C R U
Y Q G K E E M Q V O N F G Z E
P N A C C F E A R O N Y N V Y
V Y J I W H N K Y C T G A O H
U V X G L A D N E S S S J A L

FLEE	GLADNESS	OPEN	TONGUE	STRONG
SAVE	JOY	SORROW	FEAR	SHOUT
EYES	EARS	SINGING	DEAF	BLIND

SERVING FAIR VIEW AS USHERS FOR DECEMBER

Cheryl Rogers, Ava Rogers, & Magdalena Horstkotte

SERVING FAIR VIEW

Ministers	Every Member
Children’s Minister	Krystal Davis
Youth Minister	Danyel Williams
Music Minister	Isaiah Cornelius
Worship Technology Minister	Kimi Turner
Administrative Assistant Minister	Danyel Williams
Senior Minister	Rev. Nathan Finsel



WELCOME!

Fair View Church extends a warm welcome to our guests. Please help us get to know you by filling out the guest information card, found inside the visitor packet, and return it to one of our ushers. If you would like more information about our church, an usher will be glad to have a conversation with you. If you have questions about joining, speak to Rev. Finsel. May this hour of worship be a time of spiritual renewal and recommitment. We invite you to worship with us again soon!

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like the members of this congregation to lift you or a loved one in prayer, please submit a prayer request by phone, (980) 689-2001, or by email to info@fairviewumc.org.

ONGOING CONCERNS

Homebound Members
Meals on Wheels Route 2
Travis Miller
Judy Miller
Terry Honeycutt
Sandra Kasmer
Merlin Davis
Bill Hicks
Lynne Hawkins
Mike Hawkins

ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES

Sylvia Caldwell - Trinity Oaks
Jo Ann Neill - Crestview
Barbara Brooks - Abernathy
Laurels

CURRENT CONCERNS

David Hyland
Mark Gurley
Tracy Eldridge
The Loved Ones of Glenda Waugh
The King Family
The Privott Family
Tyler Crawford
Cindy Stanley

IN MILITARY SERVICE

Blake Golden
Jaden Pringnitz
Lt. Genny Robertie

Names will remain on our current concerns list for four Sundays and six weeks on the ongoing concerns list unless the office is informed of a longer need. Names in bold indicate members of the Fair View family.



Fair View UMC is a Stephen Ministry congregation. This is a confidential, lay-caring ministry. Stephen Ministers are identified by their blue name badges and are available before and after worship in the narthex. Please contact Kia Whittlesey (704)999-1477 or Rev. Nathan Finsel (828) 541-9716 to request a Stephen Minister.

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“To invite, to receive, and to
nurture all people in our growing community
to a fuller understanding and loving relationship
with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ”

~ Fair View’s Mission Statement ~

Christmas Cantata
3rd Sunday of Advent

December 14, 2025

WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome and Announcements.....Todd Danner

Chiming of the Hour.....Joel Everett

Prelude.....Joel Everett

Christmas Medley

Advent Reading & Lighting of the Advent Wreath.....Stutts Family

Advent Choral Response.....Congregation

Come, O Come Emmanuel - 211 (Refrain)

Invitation to the Offering.....Todd Danner

Offertory.....Congregation & Choir

Westminster Carol (arr. Carl Nygard)
(The congregation is asked to sing along; the text is verses 1-3 of “UMH 238 - Angels We Have Heard on High”)

Doxology.....Congregation

UMH 94

Offertory Blessing.....Todd Danner

Christ Has Come: An Advent Celebration
Isaiah Cornelius, *Director of Music Ministries*
Joel Everett, *Accompanist*
Kathy Mazewski, *Narrator*

The Shepherd’s MedleyChoir and Congregation

The First Noel
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Manger MedleyChoir

Wonderful CounselorChoir

Infant Holy, Infant Lowly.....Choir, Soloist: Emma Everett

Mary, Did You Know?Joel Everett

O Holy Night!Choir

Closing Song.....Congregation

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (UMH 89)

Blessing and Benediction.....Rev. Nathan Finsel

Choral Benediction.....Congregation

May the Road Rise to Meet You

Postlude.....Joel Everett

Amen by G.F. Handel

Choir:

Soprano:
Emma Everett
Vicky Gurley
Jessica Finsel
Tammy Glaze
Adrain Scott
Elaine Willeford

Alto:
Carrigan McCann
Sara McMinn
Rachel Juliano
Jane Testerman

Tenor:
Barry Boling
Nathan Finsel

Bass:
Bob Newman

Accompanist:
Joel Everette

Narrator:
Kathy Mazewski

A special thanks is extended to the Fair View Choir for their beautiful service. Also, a special thanks goes to our **Music Minister, Isaiah Cornelius** for his direction.



Thank you for your continued generous giving. May God continue to bless you and the ministries of Fair View United Methodist Church.

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ATTENDANCE DEC. 7
In person: 52 Online: 8

OUR 2024 MINISTRY OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP					
12/7/2025		YTD		2025 Apportionments	
Offering	\$6,168	Offering	\$214,301	Paid year to date	\$20,607
Budget	\$6,230	Spent	\$288,543	Budget	\$23,530

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There is **No Children's Church** today. We want everyone to enjoy the Choir’s Cantata as a family.

Sunday, December 14
10:00 a.m. Cantata
11:00 a.m. Youth - Mission Room
11:00 a.m. Adult Study - Wesley

Monday, December 15
5:30 p.m. Faith Study - Wesley

Tuesday, December 16

Wednesday, December 17
11:00 a.m. Upper Room Prayer Group - Wesley
6:30 p.m. The Vine Bible Study - Wesley
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, December 18
7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministers - Wesley

Friday, December 19

Saturday, December 20

Sunday, December 21
10:00 a.m. Worship
11:00 a.m. Adult Study - Wesley
1:30 p.m. Choir Caroling

Our nursery is available for infants and toddlers through age 3. Children ages 3-5 enjoy fun and engaging age-based curriculum.

Children’s church for K-5th grade follows the Children’s Moment and focuses teaching of God’s word through fun and exciting activities.