

CANDLE OF REMEMBRANCE

The large white candle reminds us to pray for those in military and alternative services. We also pray for peace.

CHANCEL FLOWERS

Honor a special occasion or loved one with altar flowers. Sign up on the flower chart in the main hallway.
Cost: \$70

MISSION OF THE MONTH



Chelsea VanBuskirk
serving with Teach
Beyond in England.



SECURE GIVING

We have several safe and secure giving options:

1. Online at www.fcob.net
2. The FCOB App (Giving tab)
3. Offering envelopes can be placed in the drop box in the rear of the sanctuary. (Contact the church for offering envelopes.)



WELCOME

LOVE God and others,
PROCLAIM the truth of the Gospel and
REACH people locally and globally.

DECEMBER 7, 2025 - Advent

Peace



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Interlude
Advent Candle Lighting - Candle of Peace
Call to Worship

Glory (Let There Be Peace)
Angels We Have Heard (Glory Be)

Prayer
Special Music - Flute Choir
Call to Give

Adore

Children's Church Dismissal & Prayer

Message - Pastor Greg Jones
Sermon Title: Mighty God
Scripture: Isaiah 9:1-7

Pastoral Prayer

Go Tell It On The Mountain
Benediction
Postlude



9:15AM

Birth - Age 2- Nursery
Age 2 - 5th Grade - Christian Ed

10:30AM

Birth to Pre K - Nursery
Kindergarten - 5th grade - Children's Church



9:15AM

Christian Education
Middle & High School Students

6:00PM

Youth Group
Middle & High School Students

PRAYER LIST

Prayer Lists of on-going needs are available at Guest Services. To receive this list weekly by email please contact info@fcob.net or call the office at 301.662.1819 for any prayer concerns. If you have a praise to share, please let us know so we can rejoice with you!

LOST AND FOUND

The lost and found is located in the main hallway under the coat rack.



FIRST TIME VISITOR?

**It's great to have you
with us today!**

Please stop by Guest Services,
we have a gift for you!

SCAN TO
DOWNLOAD
THE FCOB APP



Scan the QR code to visit FCOB's website to learn more about our vision and mission, request prayer, or contact us with any questions.

EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Have a question? Need to register for an event?

Email: info@fcob.net, or visit Guest Services,
www.fcob.net, The Church App or the church office

THANK YOU FROM MARY ZIMMERMAN

A special Thank You to all for honoring Mary's Mom, Mary "Mayetta" Zimmerman on her 100th Birthday November 30th. Extending your love through a card shower was greatly appreciated. The cards are still coming in. With much appreciation, Mary and Phil Zimmerman and all the family.

THANK YOU FROM THE FELLOWSHIP COMMISSION

We extend our appreciation to everyone who helped make the potluck luncheon so successful last Sunday. Everybody enjoyed the delicious dishes and fellowship together. Many thanks to those who pitched in for cleaning. We are grateful for our church family. Jesus is the reason for the season! – Fellowship Commission

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

As winter weather approaches, we want to ensure our church family stays safe and well-informed. In the event of inclement weather, FCOB will share updates as quickly as possible. We will post information on our website, send a churchwide email, update the phone system, post on social media, and send a notification through the FCOB app. Our goal is to communicate clearly and effectively so everyone has the information they need to make safe decisions during winter weather.

FCOB ANGEL TREE 2025

This Christmas help bless FCOB families & our local community through the FCOB Deacon Pantry. Take a tag from the Angel Tree in the foyer and purchase the pantry items listed—or pick up a donation envelope. Tags will remain available until they're all claimed. Place purchased items back under the tree. Let's come together to share Christ's love in a tangible way this season!

SEARCH FOR THE CHRIST CHILD – INVITE YOUR FRIENDS & FAMILY!

Our annual Search for the Christ Child will be held on December 19 & 20. This immersive, walk-through experience brings the Christmas story to life in a powerful and unforgettable way. It's an opportunity for people of all ages to encounter the hope, wonder, and truth of Jesus' birth. We encourage you to invite your friends, neighbors, coworkers, and family members to join you this year. Many in our community experience the love of Christ for the very first time through this event. Your invitation could be the beginning of someone's journey toward Christ! Make plans to attend and don't come alone! Let's share the message of God's love with our community this Christmas season.

NEW GIVING ENVELOPES

Giving Envelopes for 2026 are available in the Sanctuary hallway. They will be organized alphabetically by last name (not by envelope number). If you cannot find your name/box or would like a box of envelopes for giving, please contact Sarah Petermann in the church office at acct@fcob.net

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATE FOR 2026

We're updating the Church Directory for release in the new year. Please review your listing on the table near Hebrews by December 22. If you're new and would like to be included, a sign-up form is available there as well.

COOKIE DONATIONS

We need cookie donations for:

- **Search for the Christ Child** -
Needed by December 18

Cookie containers are available in the Sanctuary hallway.

Please bring homemade cookies to the church kitchen.
Cookies will be used on platters and
do not need to be individually wrapped.

We appreciate your help with this delicious task!



Light
of the world

Through worship, Scripture, and reflection,
we'll prepare our hearts for the coming of
Christ — **the Light of the World!**

Christmas Eve

December 24
5:30PM Deaf Worship
& 7:00PM Family Worship

MISSION TRIP

WITH BRETHREN
DISASTER MINISTRIES

**Letcher County, Kentucky
Flooding Recovery - February 8-14**

No special skills are required—just a willing heart and a desire to serve.
If you've ever considered going on a mission trip, now is the time.
Your presence could be the answer to someone's prayer.

More Information
Contact Jim Dorsch (240)-409-7206 or Larry Williams (301)-401-8571

search
FOR THE CHRIST CHILD

AN INTERACTIVE JOURNEY THROUGH BIBLICAL BETHLEHEM
30-MINUTE GUIDED JOURNEYS
FREE ADMISSION, CRAFTS, & FOOD

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19
6:00PM – 9:00PM
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20
12:00PM – 3:00PM
& 5:00PM – 8:00PM

Invite your friends!

*Bread & Cup
Communion*

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28
During 10:30AM Worship Service

RECURRING MONTHLY EVENTS

**PLEASE REGISTER ONLINE THE MONDAY
PRIOR FOR PLANNING PURPOSES**

- **Women's Prayer Breakfast** -
Saturday, December 13 - 9:00AM in The Landing
- **Saint's Alive Luncheon** -
Thursday, December 18 - 11:30AM in the MPR
- **Men's Prayer Breakfast** -
Saturday, January 24 - 8:00AM in the MPR