

*please keep these in your*  
**prayers**

**PRaise AND THANKSGIVING**

Mark and Debbie Smith who celebrate 17 years on December 7

**INTERIM BEFORE OUR NEXT PASTOR AT FOL** We pray for patience & wisdom during the process. We ask You to provide the time needed for the Call Committee to devote to the process & help us as members to understand our role. We pray You will begin preparing the heart of our next Pastor.

**COUNTRY** God's continued providence for our Nation

**LIFE ISSUES** Protection of our Law Enforcement; Our teachers and education system for our children; Couple needing healing of a broken marriage

**HEALTH ISSUES** Sylvia & Jack Garrard; Clara; Mary Jo Spohn; Marianne; Joy; Jim Reed; Debbie Shultz; Sean Buckley; Nicole Baxter; Kathy Harrison; Bill Lonnecker; Marshall & Chris Richardson; Andrew & Ron Whittington; Mary Kline; Zig Robins; Jim Hill; Ron Kirkpatrick; Pastor Bob Kuppler; Kitty Johnson; Vera Van Dorn; Mike Bush; Mary Van Lew; Pam Langefeld; Darlene Dixon; Amy Hill; Nancy P., Erica Keller; Olinda & Nancy; Ellen McSwain; Ardath; Susan; Anne Goodes; Jettie Greenday; Bill Adams; Heather & baby; Rogelis Anguiano; Bill; Beth Toepfer; Dave Hedin

**FAITH ISSUES** Those who don't know Jesus; Unity in the mission and ministry among all Members; Our Youth; Friend

**MISSION** Fountain of Life Preschool; Bridge Ministry; Mission Ecuador

**MILITARY** Ty Adams; Peter Bouldry; Russell Dennis; Michael Fraioli; William Kyle Lepionka; Kris Hayward; Sean Lonnecker; Jason Noyes; Jacob Smith; Jason Spencer; Joseph Taylor; Andrew Turner

God cares about you and so do we! If you have a prayer request, please fill out the prayer request card located in the pew and place it in the offering tray. You may also email your prayer requests to: [ministry@cometothefountain.com](mailto:ministry@cometothefountain.com) or call the church office at 993.4447.

An Elder will be at the altar at the end of the worship service if you would like to pray. You are welcome to come to the altar for prayer following the service.

**Prayer Group Wednesday mornings at 9:30am in the sanctuary, everyone is invited to attend the prayer group.**



# announcements

We want you to be connected!

For more information on ministries and events, please visit the Information Center in the narthex, website, newsletter or call the church office.

## Today

**Welcome** Reverend Quentin Poulson LCMS Pastor from Charlotte, NC, Today's focus is *share hope* in the "Share What Matters" series

**Voter's Meeting** 9:50am Sanctuary, Sign in for a ballot in the fellowship hall  
**Poinsettias for the Sanctuary** Last day to order! Forms in narthex/online

## Upcoming

**Ladies Worship by Candlelight** Next Sunday, December 9 at 7pm, Pick up an invitation for a friend or neighbor! Refreshments following worship

**Angels on the Tree!** Refer to website & information in the narthex. Gifts due back Dec. 9, Sign up to sort/wrap gifts on Dec. 11, 6.30pm

**Journey to Bethlehem** Children's Christmas program, December 16, 9:50am followed by Fruit & Pastry brunch. Bring a food item to share!

**FoL Christmas Party** Friday, December 14, 6pm, tickets on sale in the narthex, 29 tickets left!

## Community

### Soup Kitchen 9a-1:30p

Friday, December 21 and Wednesday, December 26, Sign up online/narthex, Contact Pat Metzler, 405-757-5758, [pat.asheboro@gmail.com](mailto:pat.asheboro@gmail.com)

**Adult Sunday School, 9:50am  
Fellowship Hall  
Join us next Sunday!**

**"Because of Bethlehem"**

## Call Process Update

The Call Committee is actively reviewing profiles of pastoral candidates. Once the committee has reviewed the profiles and discussed the candidates, we will begin reaching out to set up phone discussions. Throughout this process we will be compiling what we learn in the summaries that will be shared with the congregation at town hall meetings. The summaries are intended to present the strengths of each candidate in order to help the congregation vote on which candidate to invite for an in-person visit. This is an exciting time in the call process, and we ask for continued prayers.

## Call Committee

Last week's Worship Attendance  
8:30am 85 11:00am 74  
Last week's giving: \$9784.  
Weekly amount needed: \$10,834.  
*Prayers of Thanksgiving!*

*Connecting People to Jesus, for Eternity!*

**Follow Jesus, Love one Another, Serve the World**