

Crescent Hill This Week
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December 22, 2019

WEEKLY CALENDAR
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

- 9:00 Karen Announcements (Chapel)
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 1:00 Chin Worship (Chapel)
- 3:30 Facilitators (217)
- 5:00 Divorce Support Groups (2nd floor)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23

- 6:30 Blue Christmas Service (Fellowship Hall)

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

- 5:30 Christmas Eve Service (Sanctuary)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

Merry
Christmas

- 9:00 Karen Christmas (Fellowship Hall, Gym)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26

Christmas Holiday – Church Closed

- 5:55 Change of Heart (Heritage Hall)

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

- 9:00 Karen Announcements (Chapel)
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 12:30 Youngish Adult Lunch (Fellowship Hall)
- 1:00 Chin Worship (Chapel)
- 5:00 Divorce Support Groups (2nd floor)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

- 12:00 Game Day (Parlor)

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

New Year's Eve – Church Closes at Noon

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1



THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

Ushers December 22: Rae Taylor, leader; Arnold Hook; Janet Miller; Melinda Stricklen
NO Sunday Coffee

Extended Session December 22: Debbie Brashear, Judy Johnson, April Sanders, John Birkimer
NO Sunday Evening Childcare

NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

Ushers December 29: Glen Bellou, HB Brady, Bob Hieb, Bobbie Thomason
NO Sunday Coffee December 29

Extended Session December 29: Jan Goldammer, Amelia Debusman, Janet Hook, Janet Miller, Corinne or Spencer Holt

NO Sunday Evening Childcare December 29

Sundays, December 22 and 29,

There will be no formal Sunday school classes.

If your class chooses to meet, that is fine – the building will be open.

OFFERING OF CLOTHING

The last several years during Advent the Worship Team has requested items from the congregation that different social agency and ministries have needed for their clients instead of buying lots of fresh flowers that wither quickly. This year the team is asking you to help Home of the Innocents by bringing **NEW** children's clothes. Their greatest need is large & extra-large size children clothes with a focus on plus-sized teen girl's clothing (Buy teen & women's plus sizes 12-24) including & especially **NEW** coats.

We will collect the clothes **TODAY** and **December 24, Christmas Eve** as part of worship. It is not necessary to wrap the clothing. There will be large "Christmas Box" to collect the gifts of clothing you bring at the front of the sanctuary. The Worship Team will deliver the clothing the week after Christmas. Thank you for making a difference in the lives of children.

YEAR END CONTRIBUTIONS

In order to be in compliance with the Internal Revenue Service, any contributions which donors wish to be credited as a 2019 contribution for IRS purposes must be **received in the church finance office no later than noon Tuesday, December 31**. If the contribution is mailed, it must be **postmarked (not meter-dated) no later than December 31, 2019**. Contributions received after this date, regardless of the date on the check, must be reported as a 2020 contribution. Thank you for your cooperation in complying with this policy. IRS guidelines require that

members who wish to itemize contribution deductions must have a copy of the church's contribution report when filing an income tax return. Reports will be mailed in January.

CBF OFFERING FOR GLOBAL MISSIONS

The annual Offering for Global Missions is taking place throughout the month of December. 100% of the money raised will support CBF Field Personnel around the world as they help others live more abundant lives in the name of Jesus Christ.

ADVENT AT CHBC

Sunday, December 22 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

No Sunday school

Service of Lessons and Carols

Tuesday, December 24

Christmas Eve Service, 5:30 PM

Wednesday, December 25

Christmas Day – Office Closed

Karen Christmas Celebration

Thursday, December 26

Christmas Holiday – Church Closed

Sunday, December 29

No Sunday school

Andrea Woolley preaching

Tuesday, December 31 – New Year's Eve

Church Closes at Noon

Wednesday, January 1 – New Year's Day

Church Closed

CHRISTMAS CONNECTION

Thanks to the generosity of many of our Sunday school classes, church groups and individual church members, CHBC helped the UCHM Christmas Connection be a huge success! UCHM had requests from 44 families for 102 children. CHBC sponsored 12 of those families with 23 children and additionally donated over \$1,200 in cash and Kroger cards. Parents picked up their items on Thursday, December 12 to be ready for Christmas morning! Blessings and thanks to all who participated! Merry Christmas!

BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Christmas time usually brings with it happiness and laughter, except when it doesn't.

Sometimes the hope and joy isn't enough to shake the heartache. On **Monday, December 23** at 6:30 PM we will host a Blue Christmas Service in the Fellowship Hall to journey with all who are mourning during this Christmas season. There will be a few readings, we will sit in silence, sing a hymn or two and be present in community with one another. Please join us!