

December 22, 2024 ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME GUESTS!

We are thrilled to have you as our guest today! If you are joining us for the first time, please visit our Next Steps table at the main entrance for a special welcome gift. Thank you for investing your time with us today.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Dr. and Mrs. Shorter, along with the church staff and family, wish to express sincere sympathy to:

- Mr. Billy Smith and his family in the death of his wife, Mrs. Teresa Smith.
- Mrs. Cheri Capell and her family in the death of her father, Mr. J.B. Looper.
- Mrs. Mary McCoy and her family in the death of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Debra Cason.

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

We will collect for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering through December 31. If you still want to contribute, you can give by designating your check "Lottie Moon Offering" or at: <u>www.mtairybaptist.com/giving</u>.

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

The Christmas Eve candlelight services will be at 4:00pm and 5:30pm in the Sanctuary. We invite you and your family to join us as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

OFFICE/LIFE CENTER SCHEDULE

The church office and Life Center will be closed this Tuesday, December 24, this Wednesday, December 25, and on Wednesday, January 1, in observance of the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

YEAR END CONTRIBUTIONS

Please turn in all end of the year contributions by noon on Tuesday, December 31, so that we can get the contribution processed, deposited, and recorded in the 2024 fiscal year. If you prefer online giving, please submit all contributions by 8:00pm on December 31. If you have any questions, contact Lori Acker at 864-295-3008.

UPCOMING HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

- Today Regular AM services; No PM Service
- Tuesday, December 24 Two Christmas Eve Candlelight Services in Sanctuary - 4:00pm & 5:30pm; Church Office and Life Center Closed
- Wednesday, December 25 *Merry Christmas!* Church Office and Life Center Closed; No PM activities
- Sunday, December 29 One AM service at 10:30am; Nursery and Kidmin Available; No BSF; No PM Service
- Wednesday, January 1 Happy New Year! Church Office and Life Center Closed; No PM activities
- Sunday, January 5 Regular AM service; No PM Service
- Wednesday, January 8 No PM activities
- Sunday, January 12 Regular worship schedule resumes; AWANA resumes at 5:30pm
- Wednesday, January 15 Regular PM activities; WNL Kids Choir resumes at 6:30pm

CHRISTMAS FROM MT. AIRY

Thank you to the many who participated in Christmas from Mt. Airy this year! You have ministered to many children and families by packing 1,163 boxes for Operation Christmas Child. You adopted 14 kids from Connie Maxwell by providing for them at Christmas and wrapping their presents. You have worked at United Christian Ministries and handed out food to the most needy in our community. You have packed and delivered fruit baskets to over 100 people to care for the widows and elderly. Choirs have or will have caroled, and the only thing left to do is to say THANK YOU for living out Scripture. As we close out December, pray for the lost around the world. Pray that God blesses our Lottie Moon offering so another missionary can enter service in the Name of Jesus.

You have blessed many, and we want to THANK YOU! Merry Christmas, and God bless you all.

Records for Last Week

Tithes	\$47,828.93
Missions Fund	\$781.00
Lottie Moon Offering (to date)	\$79,524.00
Bible Study Fellowship	