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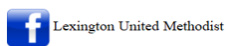
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The flowers on the altar in the traditional service are given to the glory of God and in memory of Jewell Hook by the Hook and Nichols families.

LUNCH & LEARN

Shiloh UMC invites you to a lunch & learn on Thurs., Dec. 5 noon-1pm featuring Jason Colomb from Lexington Medical Center. The topic is "Fast Food: The Simple Truths They Don't Tell You". Lunch is \$15. RSVP by Tues., Dec. 3 to 803-206-3400.

DECEMBER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

During the month of December, we will offer one worship service at 10am so that we can worship together during the season of Advent. Sunday school classes will meet at 9am if they wish. Tuesday Night Service will take place for the first 3 Tuesdays.

Dec. 1: 10am Combined Worship Service in the sanctuary.

Dec. 3: 6:30pm Tuesday Service Worship in the sanctuary.

Dec. 7: 3pm Blue Christmas Service in the sanctuary.

Dec. 8: 10am Combined Worship/Children's Pageant in the sanctuary.

Dec. 10: 6:30pm Tuesday Worship Service in the sanctuary.

Dec. 15: 10am Combined Worship/Cantata in the sanctuary.

Dec. 17: 6:30pm Tuesday Worship Service in the sanctuary.

Dec. 21: 5-7pm Churchwide Spiral Walk in Wesley Hall.

Dec. 22: 10am Combined Worship in the sanctuary, 6:30pm Moravian Love Feast

Dec. 24: 4:30pm Christmas Eve Service (family oriented) in the sanctuary.

7pm Christmas Eve Service (with nursery) in the sanctuary.

Dec. 29: 10am Combined Worship Service in the sanctuary.

EPWORTH CHILDREN'S HOME ANGEL WISH MISSION

To sign up for a "wish" please email Lori Torbett at ldtorbett@gmail.com or text/call her at 803-629-7126. You can donate to the church and we will shop for you! Please label your donation to "Epworth" or "Angel Wish". Please do **NOT** wrap your item and turn it into the church (Pastor Meegain's office) no later than **December 8th**. Thank you for your continued generosity and providing the kids at Epworth with a wonderful Christmas! Thank you and let me know if you have any questions!! :) **Lori Torbett**

PRIME TIMERS CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

The Prime Timers invite you to their annual Christmas Luncheon at the Lexington Country Club on Tuesday, Dec. 3 at 11:00am. Lunch is \$19 and is due to Linda Gladden when you place your order. Choices for lunch are Club Sandwich plate, Chicken Salad plate, or Roast Beef plate. Contact Linda Gladden to make your reservation-803-359-6263.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Start your day off right and join the men of the church each Wednesday morning from 6:30am-7:30am in Asbury Hall for a time of prayer while enjoying a continental style breakfast. Contact Tim Chandler with any questions-803-360-6226.

PRISON FELLOWSHIP ANGEL TREE

The Angel Tree and the Angels are up in the Connector room between Wesley Hall and Asbury Hall. Please select an angel or two from the tree, write your name next to the tag #, and then write the child's name in the notebook on the end table next to the tree. Please return your **wrapped** gift with its angel tag no later than Sunday, **Dec. 8** to Pastor Meegian's office. Thank you so much for participating in this ministry!

BLESSING BOX

High-need items: instant oatmeal, canned tuna or chicken, snack items, fruit cups, toothpaste, toothbrushes, period care items, cooking oil [small bottles], basic seasonings, and pet food. Contact Heather Connor for any questions or to volunteer to check our cooler on a Saturday. These kids are on a roll caring for our community and sharing the love and compassion of Jesus...won't you join them?

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, Dec. 2 from 1-6pm in Asbury Hall. The time has changed due to staffing issues. Please give blood! Donors can sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org with Sponsor Code "lexingtonumc,"

SUNDAY EVENING PROGRAMMING

TONIGHT is our Christmas Pageant rehearsal from 5-6:30 pm, drop off on the preschool playground, and pick up in the purple awning room in the children's hall. **Safe sanctuary grownups, we need you!** Children's ministry needs 2 grownups for our Sunday nights, Please reach out to Heather Connor if you have questions or use the QR code below!

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT PRACTICE

Christmas program practice is in the swing but it's not too late to participate! Join us this Sunday in the sanctuary at 9 am as we learn this year's program. NOTE: The drop-off (9 am) and pick-up location (9:45 am) is the sanctuary.

WE NEED YOU!



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Sunday Evenings



Sunday School

