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Weekly News and Events
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

December 6, 2015
Second Sunday of Advent

Piedmont Chamber Singers

Tuesday Music Nights is pleased to present "Piedmont Chamber Singers" performing from 7:30-8:00pm on Tuesday, December 15th in the fellowship hall. Regular "jam session" will be at 6:30 on this night only. This will be the last Tuesday Music Night for 2015.

"Piedmont Chamber Singers is an auditioned, volunteer choral ensemble that enriches the community through innovative, engaging, and compelling choral performances that feed both the intellect and the soul."

This concert will cast visions of light – candlelight, starlight, and the light of the world - through various choral music with Piedmont Chamber Singers.

This is the 38th season for the group, under the direction of Jayson Snipes, now in his first year as Artistic Director of PCS.

A Surprise for You!

If you contribute electronically and do not usually open your monthly packet of offering envelopes, the December packet has a surprise for you. It contains envelopes for the four Sundays in December, plus envelopes for Advent services, Pastor's Discretionary Fund and Christmas Eve. More opportunities to say thank you and you can still do it online. Just click on the *Give Now* button at epiphanyws.org.



THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY

Office Hours: M-F
8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm
December 6-13, 2015

Today	<i>Second Sunday of Advent</i>	
	Encounter:Faith	8:45 am
	New Testament	8:45 am
	Worship	10:00 am
Mon	Handbells Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Tues	Toy Builders	9:00 am
	Bible Study	11:00 am
	Mary-Martha Circle	
	Christmas Lunch	11:00 am
	Tuesday Music Night	6:30 pm
	Dorothy Circle	7:00 pm
Wed	EECC Chapel	10:00 am
	Staff Meeting	11:00 am
	Advent Supper	6:15 pm
	Holden Evening Prayer	7:00 pm
	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 pm
Thur	Girl Scouts (CM)	6:00 pm
Sun	<i>Third Sunday of Advent</i>	
	Encounter:Faith	8:45 am
	New Testament	8:45 am
	Worship	10:00 am
	Congregation Meeting	11:15 am
	Chinese School	1:30-4:30 pm



Don't forget to shop for the good folks in Nora, VA. I will go back on **Friday, December 11** with a car full of things to help Santa with his big task. Call me and I'll be happy to pick up your things.

Kathleen Tucker

Please take a look at the unclaimed dishes that are on the counters in the fellowship hall kitchen. **Today is the last day to claim them.**



LET US PRAY FOR...

Leaders of church & state, especially

<i>Bishop Elizabeth Eaton</i>	<i>President Obama</i>
<i>Bishop Timothy Smith</i>	<i>Governor McCrory</i>
<i>Pastor Laura Wind</i>	<i>Mayor Joines</i>

Our sister congregation and our missionary in Mexico

The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia and Pr. David Brondos

Active duty military personnel, especially

<i>An Bunjang</i>	<i>Randal Middleton</i>
<i>Jay Collette</i>	<i>Annie Schultz</i>
<i>Tim Hawkins</i>	<i>David Schultz</i>
<i>Sam LeVon</i>	

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

<i>Alfred Alson</i>	<i>Tom Goco</i>	<i>Alice Pierson</i>
<i>Carolyn Ballard</i>	<i>Eric Grush</i>	<i>Lemien Pierson</i>
<i>Beverly Bartolomei</i>	<i>Corrie Haynes</i>	<i>Carolyn Plater</i>
<i>Louis Bryant</i>	<i>Kimberly Herring</i>	<i>Nancy Richbourn</i>
<i>Samantha Bunce</i>	<i>Judy Hester</i>	<i>Jane Ritchie</i>
<i>Bridget McMinn Chin</i>	<i>William Hudson</i>	<i>Alice Seppell</i>
<i>Sheri Collette</i>	<i>Annie Landis</i>	<i>Ella Shore</i>
<i>David Dana</i>	<i>Beth Layhe</i>	<i>Ernest Smith</i>
<i>David Deadmon</i>	<i>Joyce Lily</i>	<i>Lydia Sparrow</i>
<i>Jeff Dimmock</i>	<i>Janette Mickey</i>	<i>Joe Stephen</i>
<i>Joe Friday</i>	<i>Randy Miller</i>	<i>Harvey Weiskittel</i>
<i>Destani Garrett</i>	<i>Allison Morris</i>	<i>Lisa Wheeler</i>
<i>Carolyn Gilden</i>	<i>Bill Mock</i>	<i>Nicole Williams</i>
<i>Derrick Gilmore</i>	<i>Robert Peak</i>	<i>Jim Wollweber</i>

Members in need, especially

<i>Jim Cochrane</i>	<i>Jean Mock</i>	<i>Verdell Thomas</i>
<i>Marge Leister</i>	<i>Susan Pester</i>	<i>Harold Williams</i>
<i>Jim Lippard</i>	<i>Bill Phipps</i>	<i>Wiley Yarborough</i>
<i>Kathleen Malone</i>	<i>Jane Stribling</i>	

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

<i>Barbara Coley</i>	<i>Frances Lanier</i>	<i>Rick Thrasher</i>
<i>Mary Helen Fisher</i>	<i>Cole Lippard</i>	<i>Martee Umberger</i>
<i>William Garris</i>	<i>Helen Preston</i>	<i>Bob Walker</i>



January book: THE SILVER STAR by Walls. Date to be determined.

All are welcome!

GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR DECEMBER

EECC - Cheerios, Napkins, 3 & 5 oz. cups, 100% Fruit Juice, Baby Wipes

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Saltine crackers; Canola Oil (24 ounces)

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Bib aprons, dish cloths, men's warm sinter gloves, socks, toboggans

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Single serve meals, snacks, fresh fruit, and breakfast items; milk, creamer; sugar; paper towels; disposable hot and cold cups; Preemie clothes and diapers.

TRINITY GLEN - Fingernail clippers, files, polish

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Shampoo, laundry soap, dish soap (all available at Dollar Tree)

11/29/15 ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

Attendance	150
Visitors	12
Holden Evening Prayer	50



Zephaniah 3:14-20
Isaiah 12:2-6
Philippians 4:4-7
Luke 3:7-18



Join us for "**Tuesday Music Night**" every Tuesday evening. The performance time is 6:30-8:00. We will be featuring local musicians performing all styles of music from bluegrass and blues to country, gospel and rock and roll. Come early and stay late!

WELCA

Malawi Medicine Bottles Project HALTED

Thanks to America's generosity, the small African country of Malawi has been inundated with more medicine bottles than it can use and has no more space for storage! NC WELCA has asked its congregations to halt our participation in this project. Thank you to all who were considering taking part. Way to go, America!