

PresbyDan Kids

The Presbyterian Church of Danville

December 2019

Birthdays

6 - Brooks Johnson

22 - Graham Covell



Elizabeth Ahnquist's Baptism



Lucy Ann Covell's Baptism



Josephine Johnson's Baptism

Godly Play & Wednesday Night Fellowship



Godly Play

Thank you to everyone for bringing your children to Godly Play each week! With the year quickly coming to a close, we will only have two classes this month - December 1 and December 8. We'll see you and your children in class again on January 5. Merry Christmas!



Wednesday Night Fellowship

If you haven't been to Wednesday Night Fellowship yet, join us in the new year! We gather for dinner at 5:30 p.m., and programming for children and adults begins at 6:00 p.m.

January is our "Month of Mission," so the children will be working on various service projects for and in our community.

Adults will have a Milestone, Lectio Divina, bake cookies for Soups On Us, and have fellowship time. I hope your family will join us!



Church Events

Christmas Craft Night is Wednesday, December 4! We'll have a spaghetti dinner at 5:30 p.m. Then we'll make crafts from around the world, including Germany, Sweden, Holland, Norway, and Mexico! The evening will conclude with worship, as we prepare for the birth of Christ. Please join us!

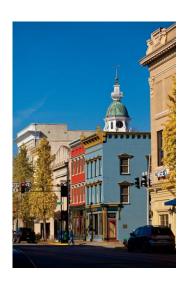
Soups On Us is Saturday, December 14. Join us from 9-11 a.m. and help feed the hungry in Boyle County. There are jobs for all ages, and the nursery is open for little ones.

The children will present the Christmas pageant "A Brand New Star" during the 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday, December 15. After the service, join us in the Fellowship Hall for cookies and punch. If you can bake a couple dozen cookies, please let me know. Thanks!

The choirs of our church and Trinity Episcopal Church will perform Handel's masterwork *Messiah* in our sanctuary on Sunday, December 15, at 6:00 p.m.

Pageant Information

We have two more rehearsals left before the Christmas pageant! The children will meet in the sanctuary on Wednesday, December 11, during Wednesday Night Fellowship, and Saturday, December 14, 1:30-3:00 p.m. The pageant will take place on Sunday, December 15, at the 11:00 a.m. service.



Community Events

Danville Christmas Tree Lighting and Parade - Saturday, December 7. The Advocate Brass Band and Danville Children's Choir will perform at 5:40 p.m. at Weisiger Park, followed by the tree lighting in front of the courthouse at 6 p.m. The parade begins at 7 p.m.

Thursday, December 12 is Kids Shopping Night. Stores in downtown Danville will stay open until 7 p.m.

Get your picture taken with Santa Saturday, December 14, 1:30-3:30 p.m. at The Boyle County Public Library!

Fruitcakes, featuring Robin Voss, will be playing at the West T. Hill Theater December 5-8 and 12-15. Go to their website for tickets.

Under The Streetlamp will perform at the Norton Center on Friday, December 6, at 7:30 p.m.

Boyle County Public Library

Dec. 2, 9, 16 - 4-5:30 p.m. - Coding Class - Computer Lab

Dec. 3 - 4-5 p.m. - TACO Tuesday - Mahan Gallery

Dec. 3 - 4-5 p.m. - Holiday Workshop - Storytime Room

Dec. 4, 11, 18 - 3:30-5 p.m. - Homework Help - Storytime Room

Dec. 5 - 4:30-5:30 p.m. - Beyblades Battle - Community Room

Dec. 6 - 4:30-5:30 p.m. - Star Warigami - Storytime Room

Dec. 7 - 1-2 p.m. - Pokemon Club - Storytime Room

Dec. 9 - 4:30-5:30 p.m. - Gingerbread Zombies - Storytime Room

Dec. 9 - 6-7 p.m. - Bedtime Storytime - Storytime Room

Dec. 10 - 4-5 p.m. - KidStir - Storytime Room

Dec. 12 - 4:30-5:30 p.m. - STEAM Lab: Oobleck - Storytime Room

Dec. 13 - 4-5 p.m. - LEGO Club - Storytime Room

Dec. 14 - 1:30-3:30 p.m. - Pictures with Santa - Reading Room

Dec. 16 - 4:30-7:30 p.m. - Tween D&D - Storytime Room

Dec. 19 - 4:30-5:30 p.m. - Tween Book Club - Storytime Room

Dec. 20 - 4:30-5:30 p.m. - Tween DIY: Peppermint Sugar Scrub -

Storytime Room

Dec. 21 - 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. - Sat. morning cartoons - Storytime

Room

Dec. 21 - 2-4 p.m. - Classic Games Club - Community Room

Dec. 30 - 4-6 p.m. - Master Builders - Storytime Room

Art Center of the Bluegrass

Dec. 2, 16 - 5-6:30 p.m. - Nativity Figures - 8+ - \$35

Dec. 3, 17 - 5-6:30 p.m. - Nativity Animals - 8+ - \$35

Dec. 4, 18 - 6:30-8 p.m. - Nativity Animals - 8+ - \$35

Dec. 5 - 4-5 p.m. - Ornament Workshop - K-5 - \$15

Dec. 8 - 2-4 p.m. - SNS: Santa - 6+ - \$28

Dec. 12 - 4-5 p.m. - Ornament Workshop - K-5 - \$15

Dec. 15 - 2-4 p.m. - SNS: Chalkboard Wish List - 5+ - \$24

Dec. 23, 27, 30 - 9 a.m.-2 p.m. - Winter Break Camps - K-5 - \$40



Every Week

Mondays, 10:30 a.m. Baby Lapsit

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. Toddler Story Time

Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m. Preschool Story Time

Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. Preschool Story Time



Every Week

Fridays, 11-12 p.m. Munchkin & Me

Anytime the Art Center is open, stop by Lisi's Art Lab.



Nursery Volunteers

Dec. 1 - Ann Young

Dec. 8 - Laurie Pierce

Dec. 15 - Kim Ragland

Dec. 22 - Molly Boyd

Dec. 29 - Amy Wilson

Acolytes

There are no acolytes during Advent because of the Advent wreath lighting.

Dec. 29 -

Shaker Village

Dec. 7, 14, 21 - 1 & 4 p.m. - Children's Tea Time with Mrs. Claus - \$19 - All children must be accompanied by a paying adult.

Dec. 7, 14, 21 - 5-8 p.m. - Illuminated Evenings - Features The Elf Shop, Jingle Bell Shuttle Rides (\$5 per person), Bonfires, Hot Chocolate Stations, and Special Music.

Dec. 1-23 - 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. - Holiday Lunch Buffet - \$25 for adults, \$13 for ages 6-12, free for ages 5 and under.

Helpful Websites

Boyle County Public Library - http://boylepublib.org

Community Arts Center - http://communityartscenter.net

Shaker Village - http://shakervillageky.org

Danville Cinemas 8 - http://danvillecinemas8.com

Heart of Danville - http://www.downtowndanville.com/event

Advent

Christmas shopping, Christmas parties, wrapping gifts, writing Christmas cards, visiting Santa Claus, baking cookies...
This time of year can get so busy that instead of the joy and happiness we're told we are supposed to be feeling, we are overwhelmed, frazzled, and just plain tired. It is easy to lose sight of the true meaning of Advent, the time when we wait for the birth of our Savior. I don't mean to add more to your to-do list, but as Caroline mentioned in her article for the Salt Shaker, there is a wonderful Advent devotional series called Following the Star. You can find it at https://d365.org/subscribe-following-star/. I hope you will take some quiet time to yourself each day to read over the devotion.

In the Advent bag I gave most of the children, there is a count up to Christmas calendar with stickers and a book. On the back of the calendar, there is an activity you can do as a family each day. I hope that you will read the book and and spend a few minutes talking about the meaning of the season together. I wish you all a peaceful Advent and Christmas.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 1st Sunday of Advent 9:30 Godly Play	2	3	5:30-7:30 Christmas Craft Night	5	Brooks Johnson's Birthday!	7
2nd Sunday of Advent 9:30 Godly Play	9	10	5:30 Pageant Rehearsal	12	13	14 Soup's On Us 1:30-3:00 Pageant Rehearsal
3rd Sunday ¹⁵ of Advent 11:00 Christmas Pageant	16	17	18	19	20	21
4th Sunday22 of Advent Graham Covell's Birthday!	23	24 5:30 & 11:00 Christmas Eve Services	25 Office Closed Christmas Day!	26 Office Closed	27	28
10:00 Service	30	31 New Year's Eve				