

# Family Matters

December 22, 2024



**Our Sympathy:** is extended to Judy Smartt in the passing of Donny Potter who passed away Sunday, December 25th. Donny's service was this past Thursday. Please remember Judy in your prayers.

## Mark These Dates

**December 23** - Food Pantry - 4:00pm-6:00pm

**December 24** - Men's Prayer Mtg. - 9:00am

Tuesday Bible Class will resume on January 14, 2025

**December 25** - **There will be no Wednesday Evening Service**

## RYG

**EYC - December 27th-30th**  
Please be at the building by 1:00pm  
on December 27th to ride the van.

**Teen Singing - January 12th at 2:30pm**  
at East Side in Cleveland - Bring money for lunch

## Outreach Ministry

Is collecting new and gently used clothing for ages Newborn through Elementary school age through January 1st.  
All donations are appreciated.

**Nursery for Today:** Lynn Dye & Darlene Gregory  
**Nursery for 12/29/24:** Kara Morgan & Emy White



## Birthdays

December 23 - Edith Atkins

December 27 - Patsy Williams

December 27 - Paul Cranfield

December 27 - Travis Haas

December 28 - Lisa Davidson

December 28 - Laura Herron

## Note from the Elders:

We **will not** have Wednesday Night Service on December 25th.

**The 5th Sunday Fellowship Dinner will be on December 29th immediately following the morning worship. Afternoon service will begin after our Fellowship Dinner.**

We **will** have Wednesday Night Service on January 1st.

**Beginning January 5, 2025, everyone will meet in the main auditorium for our Sunday evening class.**



## Lads to Leaders

December 22nd - Bible Bowl - 4:45pm

December 29th - No Bible Bowl or Pearls

**Marathon Day - January 3rd**  
10:00am - 3:00pm

Coordinators, please have everything ready to work on your event with the students.

**Lunch will be provided**



## Encouragement from God's Word

***"Death That Brings Redemption"***

**Hebrews 9:15-16**

*"Therefore he is the mediator of a new covenant, so that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance, since a death has occurred that redeems them from the transgressions committed under the first covenant." (Hebrews 9:15-16)*

The death of Christ secures an eternal redemption. This is one of the glorious truths of the New Covenant. We can only have an eternal inheritance because Christ died to make it so. We know this truth, but we must never forget it. We must continually rejoice in it and all of the New Covenant blessings that we can access through Jesus Christ!

**Welcome To Rossville!!**

Your presence has helped to make this a very special day.  
It is our prayer, that you will be uplifted and encouraged as you come to worship with us.

## Announcements Worship Order

- 898 "Paradise Valley"  
 134 "The Lord's My Shepherd"  
 390 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"  
 Prayer  
 902 "Nothing But the Blood"  
 Communion  
 432 "How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts?"  
 Contribution  
 Scripture Reading: *1 Peter 5:1-5*  
 126 "The Lord My Shepherd Is"  
*Series: Devoted Exiles: A Study in 1 Peter*  
*Sermon: Devoted Shepherds*  
*Scripture: 1 Peter 5:1-5*  
 904 "Have You Been to Jesus?"  
 853 "When We All Get to Heaven"  
 Prayer



Denny Tapley - upcoming surgery in his leg - Vanderbilt  
 Lacey Meredith - successful heart surgery  
 Alan & Stephany Thomas - pneumonia  
 Rachel Stephens - pneumonia  
 John Crawford - upcoming tests  
 Will Cates - successful shoulder surgery  
 Sam Long - successful shoulder surgery  
 O. Henry Porter - ongoing tests  
 Gwen Crane - undergoing treatment  
 Sherry Welsh - health issues  
 Toria Dye - health issues  
 Abby Dunigan - upcoming surgery  
 Joy Koger - health issues

Jack James, Angi Easter, Morgan Grace, Phylis Cranfield, Robin Hawk, O'Dell Denton, Gail Farmer, Barbara Roy, Genice Long, Mitch James, Faye Griffith, Leola Campbell, Nancy Johnson, Lauren Cabrera, Grace Catlett, Denise Crowder, Kim McBryar, Dot Wallis, Tony Baugh

Elaine Reed - cancer - stepmother of Elyssa Reed  
 Eddie Fernandez - severe back pain - stepfather of Stephany Thomas  
 Diane Little- mom of Jeremy Sentell - health issues  
 Levi Abbott - health issues - nephew of Jeremy Sentell  
 Adain Johnson - home recovering from surgery  
 Cathy Reed - undergoing treatment for cancer - niece of Sheree Bales

Sondra Vorhees - splenic lymphoma - daughter of Russell and Sandra Hooton  
 Amber Mears - recovering from surgery  
 Regina Wilson - health issues - daughter of Joyce Chapman  
 Marley, Haley, Amanda & Stacey - need prayers - relatives of Kelly Dobbs  
 John Selix - stroke - Pruitt Nursing Home in Lafayette brother of Sherry Dodd - member at Mtn. View and friend of O'Dell Denton

Solomon Jenkins, Loreen Bailey, Helen Hatfield, Austin Ware & Family, Ben Fleming, Raydell Dykes, Joe Lynn, Randy Smith, Delon DeBord, Randall Delashmitt, Cheryl Murphy, Terri Brown, Margie Elliott, Kevin Dillon, Liam Hammock, Ellison Reece, Hayden Farmer, Christy Burnett, Michael Farmer, Tim West

### Children's Teaching Schedule

December 22 - January 8

Group I

Rotation 41

Zacchaeus & Bartimaeus

January 12 - January 29

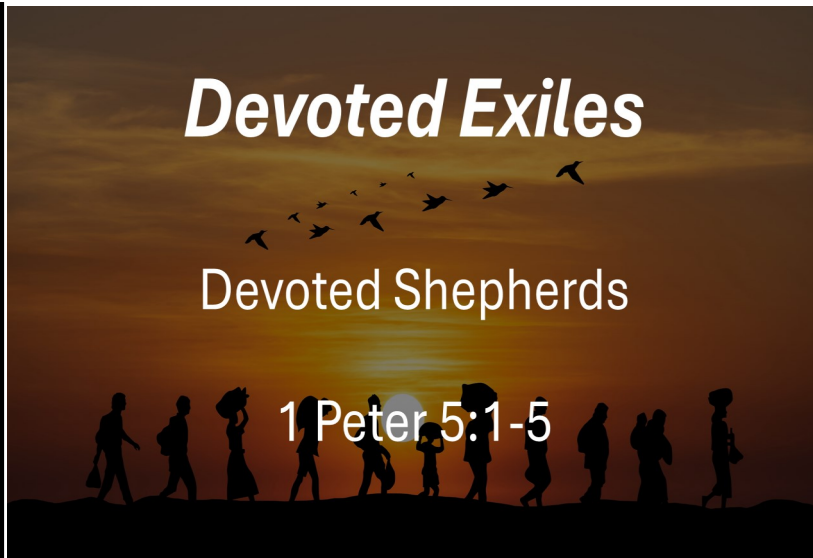
Group II

Rotation 42

The Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem

### This Week's Special Shut-In: Denise Crowder

NHC Healthcare Rm. 423  
 2700 Parkwood Avenue  
 Chattanooga, TN 37404  
 (423) 580-9116



Elder on Call:  
Tim Easter

### Preaching Schedule

December 22

Adam Miller

December 29

Andy Baumberger



### Adult Bible Fellowship Classes

**December**

Sundays @ 9:30 am

*2 Corinthians*

Adult Classes

Auditorium - Jack James  
 Room 1 - Ray Johnson

Families Class

Fellowship Room - Adam Miller

### College and Young Professionals Class

Room 11 - Andy Baumberger

Sundays at 6:00 pm

*BREAD Groups - 2 Corinthians*

Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m.

Class will resume January 14, 2025

Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m.

*Joshua*

Room 1 - Jack James

*Hope Fulfilled:*

*Isaiah Through the Eyes of Jesus"*

Fellowship Room - Andy Baumberger

### Record For December 15, 2024

Attendance For Sunday BF	137
Attendance For A.M. Worship	192
Attendance For P.M. Worship	67
Attendance For Wed. BF	65
Budget	\$9,412.00
Contribution	\$6,395.00