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## The Christian Caller DECEMBER 2022

At Christmas, we celebrate Jesus coming to earth. However, his arrival as a baby was not acknowledged by everyone at the time. The reason he was placed in a humble manger was because there was no room available for him at the inn.



This holiday season affords us the opportunity to evaluate our openness to Jesus. Is He welcome in all areas of our lives? Are there spaces where perhaps we have kept him out? What does it look like when we allow Him to take residence within?

Join us as Matthew Rogers, Lead Minister, shares the message of "Prepare Him Room":

**Sunday, December 4, 9:15 am & 10:45 am - Readyng the Guest Room**

**Sunday, December 11, 9:15 am & 10:45 am - The Many Rooms of Christmas**

**Sunday, December 18, 9:15 am & 10:45 am - Christmas In, Christmas Out**

**Saturday, December 24, 4:30 pm & 6:30 pm - Let Earth Receive Her King - (Nursery available for 0-3 yrs. at the 4:30 pm service only)**

**Sunday, December 25 (Christmas Day One Service at 9:15 am - Nursery available for 0-3 yrs. only) - "Home" Devotion**

**Check out: [fccwarsaw.com/christmas](http://fccwarsaw.com/christmas)**



**Wishing you a blessed celebration of Jesus' birthday!**

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### Prayer Chain

Kimberly Hankins 775-232-2029

### Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 9 am-1 pm

Friday 8 am-11:30 am

## PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

Judy Middleton's family, her passing  
 Derek Wray's family, his passing  
 Beverly Hoffer, upcoming heart surgery  
 (Sherry Lucht's friend)  
 Teresa Rhoades' family (Mary Jane Prater's friend)  
 Jennie Earl's premature Great Granddaughter got to come home from hospital - praise  
 Jo Albertson & her Father-in-law (Harold) recovery from Covid  
 Shayne, heart attack (Lila Shelburne's son)  
 Donna Aderman, outpatient surg recovery  
 Mr. Donaghy, head injury from fall (Theresa Wilhite's niece's father-in-law)  
 Marie Berry, breast cancer (Annita Murfin's sister-in-law)  
 Hadley Mae Parker born 11/17 (Nick & Beth Parker's daughter)  
 Miranda Archer to find safe place to live  
 Lorenzo, Dominic, Dante, and Nanette DeGaetano  
 Students, drivers, coaches, & families, wreck by Bob Evan's Rest.  
 Roy Norman, stroke (Mary Jane Prater's Uncle)  
 Sam Brown, health  
 Robin Lambert, health & wheelchair repair  
 Dale Custer, car accident recovery (Adam Custer's Dad)  
 Michele Goss, cancer (Lisa Fuhrman's co-worker)

Patty Ousley, cancer (Lisa Fuhrman's co-worker)  
 Nick Perkins, health (Hankins family friend)  
 Sheila Hopkins, spinal stenosis & treatment  
 Judy Tinkel, health  
 Jay Morehead, cancer  
 Richard "Dick" Johnson, health  
 Kimmie Barton, chemo treatments (Jo Albertson's friend)  
 James, kidney transplant (Churchill's Grandson)  
 Gail and Carol Krider Martin, health  
 Eldon Gaither, health  
 Michael Thompson, 18 mo. deployment & his salvation (Churchills' grandson)  
 For those individuals missing a loved one at the holidays  
 Prayers and Praise for all the Worship Services & events and family & friends' gatherings to celebration Jesus' birthday

### LONG TERM:

Jim & Marietta Mohnke & Family  
 Claudia Turner Christopher Griffin  
 Delia Navarro Ken Moore Andrew Jones  
 Martha Hancock Chandler Paul  
 Lynda Sanner Ukraine Our Military  
 Christopher Bornes & Family  
 Those who need Jesus, Healing for America & World

### HOME MISSIONARIES:

Johnson University  
 Great Lakes Christian College  
 Lincoln Christian University  
 Ball State University Campus Ministry  
 Purdue University Campus Ministry  
 Woodburn Christian Children's Home  
 Michiana Christian Service Camp  
 Military Chaplains of Chaplaincy Endorsement  
 Destiny Rescue  
 Our Father's House  
 Heartline Pregnancy Center  
 Fellowship Missions  
 Kosciusko County Jail Ministry  
 World Compassion Network

### OVERSEAS MISSIONARIES:

David & Philomina Morris, India  
 T. Lunkim, India  
 Mark & Helen Begarly, Africa  
 Kevin & Susan Fry, Africa  
 C.Y. & Patricia Kim, Asia  
 Ian & Heidi Fry, Africa  
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## FCC Kids



**SAVE THE DATE**  
 FOR SOME SWEET FAMILY FUN  
**DECEMBER 11**  
 3:30-5PM  
 FCCWARSAB.COM/KIDS

**Gingerbread BASH**  
 A Sweet Celebration of Jesus' Birth



**Family Advent guide**

SPEND QUALITY MOMENTS AT HOME  
 THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON REMEMBERING  
 THE REASON WE CELEBRATE  
 GO TO FCCWARSAB.COM/KIDS TO CHECK OUT  
 THIS POWERFUL FAMILY RESOURCE

Questions, contact Megan Horvath: [megan@fccwarsaw.com](mailto:megan@fccwarsaw.com)

## REVOLUTION - Grades 7-12



**REVOLUTION**  
 STUDENT MINISTRY

**CURRENT SERIES**  
 Grades 7-12  
 @FCC  
 Wednesdays  
 6:30-8 pm

**"The Most Shareable Story Ever Told"**  
**SOCIAL MEDIA CHRISTMAS**

Revolution Ice Skating, Thursday, 12/13 at 6:30-8:30 pm,  
 Miller Sunset Pavillion, 705 Park Ave., Winona Lake, IN.



**Revolution Christmas Party**  
**"Home Alone"**  
 Grades 7-12  
 Wednesday, December 21  
 6:00- 9:00 pm

- Dinner
- Contests
- White Elephant Gift Exchange

Bring \$5. for skate rental.  
 For info: [www.fccwarsaw.com/students](http://www.fccwarsaw.com/students)



# ATTENDANCE

## October—November 2022 Weekly Avgs.

Sunday Morning Worship .....327  
Adult Sunday Classes (inc. 4 wks. of elective class).....35

# WELCOME

BY BAPTISM & TRANSFER FOR MEMBERSHIP

Elijah Neff, Tate Bingamon, Emma Bingamon

# WELCOME BABIES



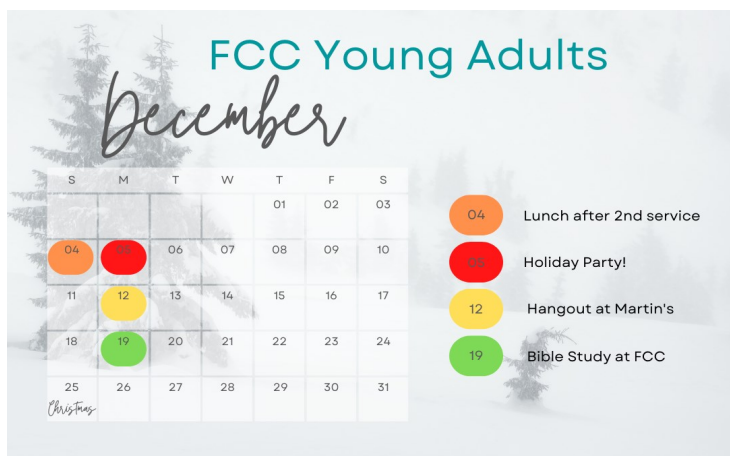
Owen David Cole born September 16, 2022  
Parents: Noah & Rachel Cole

Hadley Mae Parker born November 17, 2022  
Parents: Nick & Beth Parker

# ANNOUNCEMENT

Results from December 4 Congregational Meeting:  
We are pleased to announce that every item and person on the ballot was approved. Thank you for your participation.

# UPCOMING EVENTS



Check out: [fccwarsaw.com/youngadults](http://fccwarsaw.com/youngadults)



Check out Christmas 2022 information at:  
[fccwarsaw.com/christmas](http://fccwarsaw.com/christmas)

# UPCOMING EVENTS Cont'd

**YARN WARRIORS:** Knitting & crocheting ministry, 2nd Wednesdays of each month, 11 am OR 7 pm in Rm. 126. Questions, Jociel Bowling 517-320-3172 or Amanda Demster 574-209-1184.

**LADIES' LUNCH BUNCH:** For fun, fellowship, and lunch, Ladies meet on the 2nd Thursdays of the month at a local restaurant. Watch for information for 2023 signups. Questions, Sharon Parry 574-267-2215.

**FIRST STEP CLASS:** Together with Lead Minister, Matthew Rogers, we learn about FCC's history, vision, and making connections. Lunch and childcare provided. Join us on Sunday, January 8 at 12 pm! Sign up: [fccwarsaw.com/events](http://fccwarsaw.com/events) or email Hannah at: [hannah@fccwarsaw.com](mailto:hannah@fccwarsaw.com).

**QUILTING / QUILT TYING:** Thursdays, 1 pm in FCC's Worship Room, Questions, call Margo Ames 574-453-6032.

**WOMEN—MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Friday, January 20, 2023 at 6 pm will be the Women's Ministry event of 5 Favorite Things Party. Watch for further info. ?s, contact Miranda Hankins at [mirhankins@gmail.com](mailto:mirhankins@gmail.com).



**DINNER FOR SIX** I am so excited to introduce a new opportunity for us all to get to know each other on a deeper level at FCC. One of the B.L.E.S.S. practices that Pastor Matthew has encouraged us to utilize as we minister to others is Share a meal. Beginning in January, we are going to launch a Dinner for Six program. Those participating will be randomly put in a group of six (or sometimes 7 or 8 if we need to add to a group), and you will take turns hosting or arranging a meal. The first cycle will run throughout the months of January, February and March, and that will give each couple or friend group a chance to host one time in that cycle. The host couple can either host in their home or arrange to meet for dinner out. Traditionally the host couple provides the main dish (this can be as simple as ordering pizza), and the other participants fill in with sides and desserts. We are asking that this be a kid-free event. You will receive some childcare suggestions and fun dinner ice breaker questions with your **sign-up at: [www.fccwarsaw.com/adults](http://www.fccwarsaw.com/adults)**.

Grab your spouse, a friend, or sign up on your own for this fun opportunity. If you are a college student living in a dorm or do not have a place to host, please do not let this be a deterrent. The church is available to use or meet at McDonalds! You can sign up at [fccwarsaw.com/adults](http://fccwarsaw.com/adults). —Hannah Bingamon, Connections & LifeGroup Coordinator



# DECEMBER 2022

COMING **JANUARY 2023**  
Check out our website at:  
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**LIFEGROUPS** meet throughout the week!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 12:30 Ladies Lunch Bunch at FCC 1 pm Quilting/Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.	2 6 pm Appreciation Dinner, Greeters, Welcome, Valet	3
4 9:15 & 10:45 am Worship / S.S. 12pm FCC Young Adults Lunch 12pm NEXT STEPS	5  6 pm Young Adults 6:30 Deacons' Bk.Mtg	6 8:30am Homeschlrs.  6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	7 9:30 am Women Bible 11am Chair Exercise 1 pm M/W Bible Stdy 6:30 pm Revolution	8  1 pm Quilting/Tying  7 pm Praise Tm.	9	10
11 9:15 & 10:45 am Worship / S.S. 10:15 am The IN-BETWEEN 3:30 FCC Kids- Gingerbrd. Bash	12  6 pm Young Adults 6:30 pm Elders' Mtg.	13 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study 6:30 Revolution to Ice Skating	14 9:30 am Women Bible 11am Yarn Warriors 1 pm M/W Bible Stdy 6:30 pm Revolution 7pm Yarn Warriors	15  1 pm Quilting/Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.	16	17 8:30am Deacon's Mtg.
18 9:15 & 10:45 am Worship / S.S. 10:15 am The IN-BETWEEN	19  6 pm Young Adults 6:30 Deacons'Bk.Mtg.	20  6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	21  6-9 pm Revolution Christmas Party	22 1 pm Quilting/Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.	23	24 4:30 & 6 pm Christmas Eve Services
25 <b>MERRY CHRISTMAS</b> 9:15 am Worship (one service only)	26 <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>  6 pm Young Adults 7 pm Care Bears	27 <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>  6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	28  10 Nwsltr Articles to Jo	29	30 	31 



## BIRTHDAYS—DECEMBER

1 Zac Miller	17 Jociel Bowling
2 Kaiser Hall	17 Laila Millendez-Atienza
2 Dan Woods	17 Jesse Viers
3 Sam Bell	18 Vanessa Monk
3 Terry Bussard	19 Zella Hatfield
3 Sandy Hughes	19 Maddox Schultz
3 Remington Hunter	19 John Wood
3 Natalie Knight	20 Sherri Churchill
4 Sullivan Burgess	20 Chris Miller
4 Sybil Gates	21 Greg Hatcher
8 Paisley Waters	22 Matthew Sova
9 Katie Anders	23 Sheila Hopkins
10 Kierstin Bullington	23 Mike Montel
12 Beckett Alcala	24 Tina Bullington
12 Deb Blackford	24 Jacob Leininger
13 Debra Burson	24 Mason Lindsey
14 Bill DeGaetano	24 Jessica Rodriguez
14 Daniel Herendeen	28 Annalyse Lindsey
14 Sherrie Pressler	29 Kimberly Rogers
16 Velma Baugher	31 Bob Jones
16 Gary Griffin	31 Beth Parker

## ANNIVERSARIES-DECEMBER

3	Phil & Sybil Gates
10	Jesse & Lydia Fisher
23	Glen & Susie Crouse
26	Rob & Lynn Hanes
27	Rick & Zona Blackburn
29	Andrew & Heidi Burgess



If incorrect info or omission in the Birthdays and/or Anniversaries sections, please write a note of correction and place on the Church Office desk or email the office at: [info@fccwarsaw.com](mailto:info@fccwarsaw.com). Thank you!