

GOOD MORNING!

We are glad you are here to worship with us today, Sunday, December 1st, 2024!

NEW HERE?

Feel free to fill out the tear-off tab on this bulletin and place the tab in the offering plate as it passes by. Also, stop by the Greeter's Desk after the service to receive a gift just for visiting.

WHERE DO MY KIDS GO?

Nursery (infants to 3 years old) is located through the door to the right of the sanctuary. **Children's Bible Time** (4 years old to 5th grade) will be dismissed before the message. They will meet in two of the Sunday School classrooms in the Sunday School wing.

OUR PASTORS

Senior Pastor – Scott Decker
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CCH SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES

Sunday School – 9:00 AM
Morning Service – 10:00 AM
Evening Service & Youth Programs – 6:30 PM

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Prelude
Announcements and Prayer
Call to Worship – Matthew 11:28-30
O Come, All You Unfaithful
O Come, O Come, Emmanuel
Lighting of Advent Candle – Wagner Family
What Child Is This?
Sermon
Christ, Our Hope in Life and Death
Benediction – Romans 15:13
Postlude

THIS EVENING – 1st
Evening Service – 6:30 PM
Pioneer Clubs & Youth Group – 6:30 PM
WEDNESDAY – 4th
Noontime Prayer – NOON
CCH Wednesday: Christmas Cookie Bake-Off – 6:30 PM
THURSDAY – 5th
Elders Meeting – 6:30 PM
SATURDAY – 7th
Pioneer Clubs Program Practice – 9:30 AM

THE 2024 FIVE DAY BIBLE READING

Week #49 – December 1-December 7
Zechariah 9-11; 1 John 5
Zechariah 12-14; Psalm 94; 2 John
Ezra 5-6; Psalm 95; 3 John
Esther 1-3; Psalm 139; Revelation 1
Esther 4-6; Revelation 2

YOUTH MINISTRY

YOUTH CHRISTMAS PARTY
Sunday, December 15th // 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM // CCH Gym // It's time for our annual Youth Group Christmas Party. // Be sure to bring a snack/drink to share and a gift for our White Elephant Gift Exchange. // If you have any questions, see Pastor Doug or one of the Youth Leaders.

WINTER CAMP
Friday, February 21st to Sunday, February 23rd // Christian Retreat Center // Believe it or not, Winter Camp 2025 Registration is OPEN! // Mark your calendars and plan on joining us February 21-23 for our annual Youth Group Winter Camp. // All those planning on attending must register online at www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group by Wednesday, January 29th.



Christmas Eve Love Offering → During our Christmas Eve Service (December 24th), we take a love offering that will be split between eight different ministries which can be found below.

Our goal for this year is \$12,000.

- Sean Teis
- Clod Tiamson Family
- Breezewood Trucker & Traveler Ministry
- Every Man A Warrior (Prison Ministry)
- Backyard Ministry
- Camp Kanesatake
- Forrest Chapman Family
- Those affected by flooding in TN

If you are not able to make it to the Christmas Eve Service but would still like to give towards the Love Offering, please make a note – Christmas Eve Love Offering – in the memo on your check or envelope.



Pioneer Clubs Christmas Program → Our Pioneer Club Christmas Program is scheduled for **NEXT Sunday, December 8th at 6:30 PM**. If your child would like to participate in this program, please make sure that they attend Pioneer Clubs over the next several weeks as they begin planning and preparing. They will be having their final rehearsal on Saturday, December 7th at 9:30 PM. If you have any questions, see Tim Umstead.

YOUTH YEARROUND FUNDRAISERS

(All proceeds go to future missions work)

TERRI LYNN CANDY & NUTS

Selling year-round on our website // To order, visit www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group // Any questions, please call the church office at (814) 658-3419 during office hours

Upcoming Dates & Events

TODAY	Choir Practice – following AM Service until 12:15 PM
Dec. 4	Noontime Prayer – NOON
Dec. 4	CCH Wednesday: Christmas Cookie Bake-Off – 6:30 PM
Dec. 5	Elders Meeting – 6:30 PM
Dec. 7	Pioneer Clubs Program Practice – 9:30 AM
Dec. 8	Pioneer Clubs Christmas Program – 6:30 PM
Dec. 12	Trustees Meeting – 7:00 PM
Dec. 15	Youth Group Christmas Party – 5:00 PM
Dec. 16	Deacon/Deaconess Meeting – 6:30 PM
Dec. 18	CCH Wednesday: Christmas Caroling – 6:30 PM
Dec. 20	Walk-Thru Live Nativity – various show times
Dec. 24	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – 7:00 PM
Dec. 25	Christmas Day
Dec. 29	NO Evening Services or Youth Programs

Check out our website at www.hesstonchapel.com and go to the Church Calendar page to stay up to date on all events and activities.



Christmas Cookie Bake-Off → On Wednesday, December 4th from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM we will be having our Family Ministry Christmas Cookie Bake-Off. All families who would like to participate in the Bake-Off, please bring samples of your favorite Christmas Cookie, and we will vote to see who is crowned the winner (only bring 1 kind of cookie per family). You do **NOT** have to make cookies in order to come and be a part of this fun family activity as we get ready for the Christmas season.



Terri Lynn Candy & Nuts → If you are looking for a gift that you would like to get for a coworker, your postal carrier, or really anyone this coming holiday season, be sure to check out our Youth Terri Lynn Fundraiser. Terri Lynn provides a variety of premium nuts, savory snacks, and tempting mixes that are unlike anything you will find at your local grocery store. To look and shop the range of snacks and nuts, please visit our website at www.hesstonchapel.com/youth-group. See Nicole Wagner with any questions.

WAYS TO BE INVOLVED



Live Nativity → Our annual Live Nativity will be here before you know it! Mark your calendars for Friday, December 20th with show times at 6:00 PM, 6:45 PM, 7:30 PM & 8:15 PM. Invite your friends and family to see the real reason we celebrate Christmas. Flyers/invitations are available on the sign-up table in the Lobby. *Also, if you are interested in helping out with either cast & crew, parking, serving refreshments, or donating supplies, please be sure to see the sign-up sheets in the lobby or fill out the information below and place the tab in the offering plate.*

Name: _____

I can help with (mark any that apply):

- Cast & Crew Parking Refreshments Table
 Making cookies Donating hot chocolate
 Kind: _____



Christmas Eve Candlelight Service → We will be having our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service on Tuesday, December 24th at 7:00 PM



Devotionals → New Daily Bread, Keys for Kids, and Unlocked for Teens quarterly devotionals are here and available for pick up in the Lobby.



2025 Budgets → Attention ALL committees and ministries!!! The Trustees have asked that you submit your annual budget for the 2025 year by their next meeting on Thursday, December 12th. If you have any questions, please see one of the Trustees. Thank you!



1st Sunday of *Advent*
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