

WE WELCOME YOU TO FAIRFIELD!

We hope you will find a warm fellowship here, where Jesus Christ is honored. Please ask either Rev. Richard Haney or Rev. Dixie Brachlow or any of the ushers for information on various programs and ministries on how to join our church. We offer a contemporary service at 9:00; Sunday School for all ages at 10:00 (see bulletin board outside of room #7 for descriptions and locations) and our traditional service at 11:00. You may also call the church office at 730-7164 if you have any questions; e-mail us at: office@fairfieldpcusa.org or visit our Web site: www.fairfieldpcusa.org

PRAYER CONCERNS

Jack Briel & Family	Denise Payne
Rock Campagna	Gerry Peed
Dwight Clark's brother-in-law	Jean Plott & family
Ollie & Nancy Courtney	Mary Simpson
Ray Gammon	Bill Thompson's brother, Berry
Alyce Haller	Elizabeth Wagner & daughter, Martha
Bill & Dot Harding	Rachel White's sister Rebecca & family
Bryant Lowery	Trent Chelette, Charles Keesee and all who serve our nation abroad
Earl Meador	
Mildred Miller	
Kathryn Parks	

*If you know someone who should be on our prayer list, please call
the church office at 730-7164.*

The flowers in the sanctuary today were given by Stuart Davis to the Glory to God in memory of Lois Davis.

THE SESSION HAS CALLED A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING for today at 9:45am for the purpose of hearing and acting on a report from the Congregational Nominating Committee. Elder nominees are: Kristy Baker, Alan Brown, Janet Chelette, Dwight Clark, J. R. Marker and Peggie Rosen.

THE JOY CHOIR CHRISTMAS PROGRAM and ALL-CHURCH DINNER ARE TONIGHT! Join us in the sanctuary at 4:30 to hear our children bring joyous music to your ears; followed by the monthly All-Church dinner in the Family Center at 5:00pm.

ANGEL TREE REMINDER: Please remember to return your Angel gift by today, all wrapped and with the angel attached. Place them under the Christmas tree in the Narthex. If you would like to help deliver the gifts, please call Janet Chelette at 730-1939.

NURSERY CARE

9am Infant: Nancy Gallihugh & Becky Settle

Next Sunday: Mitzi Marker & Karen Couch

9am Preschool Nursery: Stuart Settle & Brooke Bessette

Next Sunday: Anne Sorensen & Danny Couch

9am Kid's Worship: Ginny Patterson & Tom Lake

Next Sunday: Jenny Lake & Sharon Gaston

Sunday School: Barbara Wash & Beverly Ward

Next Sunday: Linda Gruenhagen & Debbie Lynn

11am Infant/Toddler Nursery: Elizabeth Covington & Cindy Cattoi

Next Sunday: Alison Dunn & David Schwartz

11am Kid's Worship: Donna Hohman

Next Sunday: Dixie Brachlow

PRESCHOOL SUNDAY SCHOOL

Dec. 13 George Herring (Storytelling) & Melanie Rubeck

Dec. 20 Alison Dunn & Mitzi Marker

Dec. 27 Compass Sunday: Donna Horn & Robin Patterson

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

- There will be no regular Sunday evening Youth Group meetings in December. All youth and families are encouraged to attend and participate in Fairfield's Christmas programs (info found elsewhere in the bulletin.)
- **Upcoming events:**
 - *Friday, December 18:* Youth Group will serve CARITAS dinner, 5:30-8:00pm. Please RSVP by Wednesday, December 16.
 - *Saturday, December 19:* Youth Group Christmas Party. Please RSVP by Wednesday, December 16.
 - *Thursday, Dec. 31 - Friday, Jan. 1:* Youth Group New Year's Eve All Night Lock-In. Please RSVP by Sunday, December 27th.

Contact Kevin White (672-6266 or fairfielddyouth@yahoo.com) for more information.

'NOOMA' RETURNS TO FOUNDATIONS! If you haven't seen Nooma, come check it out with the Foundations Sunday School class during 12/13 - 1/10. This series of short films explore our world from the perspective of Jesus in a thought provoking, entertaining way that will make you want to see more.

THE DEADLINE FOR THE JANUARY NEWSLETTER is Sunday, December 20th. All articles received after the 20th will be held for the February newsletter.

THE ADULT CHRISTMAS CONCERT takes place next Sunday at 4:30pm. After the concert, we will be having a soup dinner. Volunteers are needed to bring in soup and also, we'll be having hot chocolate and cookies after we go caroling. We need volunteers to bring in cookies too! A sign up sheet is located out in the narthex, or call Beth Young if you can help out.

ADVENT SCROLLS Note at the sanctuary entrances are baskets full of scrolls, tied up with ribbons. They are for you - and for your neighbors! Each page follows a week-long reflection on the theme of the Advent candles: Hope, Peace, Joy, Love. And the brief daily reflections provide a method of preparing one's heart for the coming of the Christ-child into our lives more fully, renewing our spirits in these characteristics of a Christian life. Please take one!

DECEMBER 24TH KIDS NEEDED The Christmas Eve Family Service at 5:30pm will involve children as characters in "Believe!" – a review of the Christmas story. See Dixie if your child will be present (no memorization needed).

2010 OFFERING ENVELOPES are available for pickup in the narthex. If you can help by delivering one or two to our shut-ins it would be greatly appreciated!

UPWARD BASKETBALL: Upward Basketball and Cheerleading is just around the corner! Fairfield will be hosting 3rd-4th grade boys and kindergarten games starting in January. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Sharon Gaston (559-8146) or Danny Guertler (559-7171). Please prayerfully consider volunteering a few weekends with this wonderful program. Opportunities include concessions, scorekeeper, setup crew, cleanup crew, referee, devotion speaker, emcee, prayer partner, and practice night monitor.

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS

CARITAS in the Family Center - December 13-19

Dec. 13	Contemporary Worship Service (sanctuary)	9:00am
	Family Advent Workshop (Fellowship Hall)	10:00am
	Traditional Worship (sanctuary)	11:00am
	Union Class Christmas Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)	12:30pm
	Joy Choir Christmas Concert (sanctuary)	4:30pm
	All-Church Dinner (Family Center)	5:00pm
	Boy Scout Jamboree Meeting (Fellowship Hall)	6:00pm
	Adult Basketball (Family Center)	8:15pm
Dec. 14	Vision & Planning Committee (#17)	6:30pm
	Session Meeting (#7)	7:00pm
	Cub Scout Christmas Party (Fellowship Hall)	7:00pm
Dec. 15	Mom's Club (#15 & 20)	3:30-5:00pm
	Pilates Class (Fellowship Hall)	6:15-7:15pm
	Evangelism Meeting (#17)	7:00pm
Dec. 16	Pilates Class (Fellowship Hall)	6:15-7:15pm
	Adult Handbell Practice (sanctuary)	7:00pm
	Greenbar Meeting (#7)	7:00pm
	Adult Choir Practice (sanctuary)	8:00pm
Dec. 17	Girl Scout Troop 280 (Fellowship Hall)	4:30-9:00pm
	Fairfield Ringers play at Masonic Home	6:30pm
	Praise Team Practice (sanctuary)	7:30pm
Dec. 19	Youth Group Christmas Party (Boehme's home)	6:30pm-9:30pm