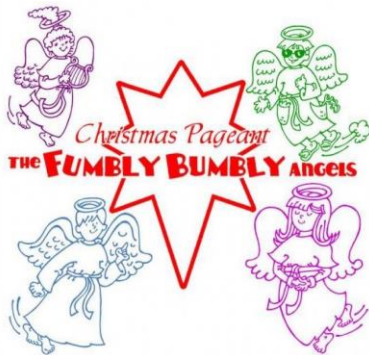


THE CHRISTIAN ALERT
December 10, 2018

It's time once again for: The Best Sermon



Of The Year

Our children and youth will warm your heart as they present:

Call the Grandparents!
Alert the neighbors!
Gather up the family!

This is an audience participation program and you have an important role to play! We look forward to seeing you. Thank you for supporting our Children and Youth!

See you Sunday!

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Lord's Day Happenings – December 16, 2018
10:30 am Worship
"Fumbly, Bumbly Angels"

TETELSTAI IS COMING! MARCH 8-10

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Mon. Dec. 10- 11:30 Rebekah Christmas party

7 pm Youth Group

Tue. Dec. 11- 10:30 Ruth Circle Christmas party

Wed. Dec. 12- 6 pm WZ Christmas program

7 pm Friends in Faith

7 pm Elders

Thurs. Dec. 13- 10 am Ladies Aid

6:45 pm Bible Journaling

7:00 pm Choir Practice

Friday, Dec. 14- 6 pm WZ Christmas Program

Saturday, Dec. 15- 11 am Feeding ministry

5 pm -10 pm Youth Childcare

NEXT WEEK'S MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Monday, Dec. 17- 7 pm Youth Christmas party

7 pm Trustee meeting

Thursday, Dec. 20- 10 am Ladies Aid

6:45 pm Bible Journaling

7 pm Choir Practice

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service



December 24th at 7:00 pm

Candlelight Service and Communion

Choir Cantata

"Behold! A Savior"

Servers for Sunday, December 16, 2018

Elders – Nancy Countryman, Jerry Hixenbaugh

Diaconate –Janice Bruner, John Cligrow, Stacey Gardner, Pat Mollenauer, Dave Gargas, Vicki Gargas, Kylie Gardner, Natalie Gardner, Morgan Hardman, Kylie Teuscher, Karlie Klingeman, Shyanna Cerny

Prepare Only- Rayetta Smith

Worship Leader- Beth Shafer

Communion Bread- Jean Smith

Greeters – Pat and Joe Swipas

Nursery – Chelsea Thomas

Children's Church- Casey Lewis

Acolyte- Zane Shafer and Brianna Howard

Media –Sue Criddle, Jean Smith

Sound – Casey Downs

Counter Team – Jan and Tom Bruner

Captains – Barb and Mike Wilkinson

KEEP THE CHANGE

Beginning Sunday, November 25th, the youth will be starting a “Keep the Change” campaign. If you would like to participate, please take a container in the Parlor and collect your pocket change and bring it back on Sunday, December 16th. Donations will benefit the youth's mission trip this summer.

CHRISTMAS CHILDCARE

Get those last minute shopping list completed, or enjoy a quiet dinner out! Let the youth group provide the child care and you can get those lists checked off while the kids play and have a fun time!

Saturday, December 15th

6:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Dinner Provided

Donation of your choice will benefit the youth's mission trip

NEW ADDRESS FOR IAN KELLER

Ian is still doing very well on his exchange in Norway. He has enjoyed hearing from some of his church family! Here is his new address - unfortunately, it takes extra postage to get to Norway!

Ian Keller c/o Kjersti Sorby

Rambydalsvegen 542

2040 Klofta

Norway



CHRISTMAS SPECIAL OFFERING

Please consider giving to this year's special Christmas offering. Due to the financial situation of the Region, this offering is more crucial than ever. As you know, the Christmas offering is 40% of the Regional budget.

The Christmas Offering is an opportunity to support the regional ministry we work of Commission on Ministry Teams meeting with students and individuals preparing for commissioned and ordained ministry. It helps to send young people on the United Nations Seminar in New York and Washington DC.

It provides significant support for our excellent ministries at Camp Christian. It helps to provide training sessions for clergy such as Anti-Racism, Ethical Boundaries and Interim training. It helps assist congregations searching for their next minister. It provides opportunities for developing Spiritual Life among ministers and lay persons throughout the church. And so much more! Together we do ministry in the name of Christ.

THE YOUTH THANK YOU!

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Christmas Card exchange! The youth appreciate your support for their upcoming mission trip.