**Welcome Guests!** To better connect with you we encourage you to email us at connect@dillsburgbic.org.

Do you have a prayer request?

Would you like:

To receive emailed prayer requests? To receive the weekly DBIC email? A church mailbox? Offering envelopes?

You can contact us by email at connect@dillsburgbic.org or by using the individual contact info below.

### Contact us:

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#### Financial Notes December 17, 2023

Offering:

Worship \$ 10,545.00 Christ's Birthday \$ 200.00

Year-to-Date Statistics:

General Fund Budget \$ 521,634.62 General Fund Giving \$ 525,909.84

# This Week's Prayer Focus:

Macha Research Trust (Zambia); Dave and Joyce Jones, training emerging leaders in Uganda; Collaboratory at Messiah University; Northern York County School District.

## This Week's Calendar

## **Today**

NO Sunday School classes 10:00 am Worship Service 7:00 pm Christmas Eve Service

Wednesday

6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer (Zoom)

# <u>Thursday</u>

7:30 pm Zoom Prayer

Next Sunday

NO Sunday School classes 10:00 am Worship Service

Dec. 25-Jan 1 Church office CLOSED



December 24, 2023 - 10:00 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening & Welcome

Lighting the Advent Wreath

Children's Choir

Children's Bell Choir

Prayers of the Community

O Little Town of Bethlehem #138

Christmas Drama: I Wonder

Message: Wondering About ... Love Luke 1:26-38

What Child Is This #152

Christ's Birthday Offering

Prayer & Closing

Postlude

The church nursery is open during the 10:00 a.m. worship service for children ages 0-4 (any kids not yet in kindergarten). You can sign in your children in the nursery room (next to the library) and pick them up after the service. The church nursery will be open but not staffed this evening. In addition, Sunday School classes will not meet next week.

Our Christmas Eve Candlelight service will be held at 7:00 p.m. this evening.

Offering Envelopes: Offering envelopes for 2024 are have been distributed. Using offering envelopes helps the ushers and the financial secretary to ensure accuracy in our recordkeeping. If you have not used envelopes in the past and would like a box, or if you had envelopes this year but no longer want them, please let Kathy know (office@dillsburgbic.org or 717-432-3847).

Art for Advent items may be picked up in the narthex beginning next Sunday (12/31) after worship through Wednesday, January 3. After January 3, any remaining items will be moved to room BI for safekeeping until they can be picked up.

**Updated Contact Information**: Mitchel Lampron's new address is 22 Ken-View Ave, Verona, VA 24482. His phone number is 843-440-8428 (please note: this is a corrected phone number!) and his email is mllgorden I 3@gmail.com.

**If you ordered poinsettias** (or if one was placed for you by your secret pal) you may take them home either this morning or this evening. Thank you for providing such a beautiful display while supporting New Hope Ministries!

The church offices will be closed this week. If you have a need for pastoral care, you can contact the pastors directly.