

Worship Address:  
 314 N. Fort Thomas Ave, Ft. Thomas, KY 41075  
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# Highland United Methodist Church

## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

December 13, 2009 AD

**PRAYER REQUEST:**

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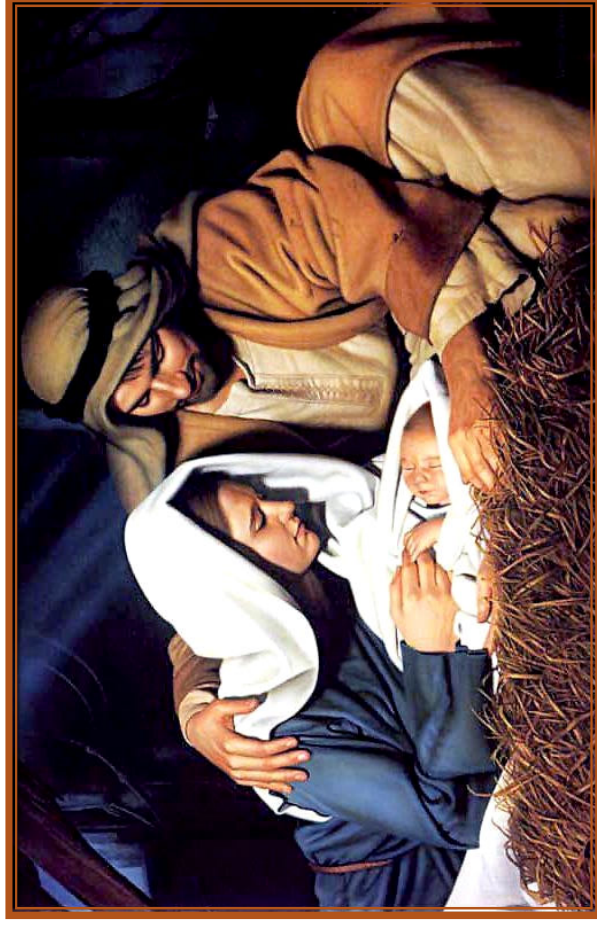
**Helpers Today:**  
**1st Service:** Greeters— David & Deb Hausrath  
 Ushers: David Hausrath & Bruce Huber  
**2nd Service:** Greeters - Mike & Lana Vaughan  
 Ushers: Becky Clark & Terry Philippe  
**3rd service:** Greeter— Doris Perry  
 Ushers: Tom Biltz, John Daley, Sharon Eaglin,  
 Wayne Petry, Vera Powell, Greg Teets  
**Visitation:** Doug & Wendy Roughton

**1-10-10 Children's  
 Volunteer Workshop**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Childcare \_\_\_\_\_  
 needed \_\_\_\_\_

# attending GUYS  
 & DOLS, Monday,  
 Dec. 14th dinner &  
 Bible study. (p. 10)



# GLORY TO GOD!

**Support Staff**  
 Administrative & Ministry Assistant - Linda Dobson  
 Bluebird Director - Joyce Whitt  
 Bookkeeper & Communications -  
 Debbie Wahlbrink  
 Financial Secretary - Rick Eaglin  
 Food Service - Debbie Schrader  
 Maintenance - Jerry Morris  
 Organist -  
**Stephen Ministry Leaders**  
 Pastor Wofford, Ron Weitze, & Karen Beymer

Ministry Intern - Felice Wojewski

**My Decision Today:**  
 I'm committing my life to Christ  
 I'm renewing my commitment to Christ  
 I'd like to talk to a minister

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Welcome! Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

At HUMC, I am a:  1<sup>st</sup> Timer  2<sup>nd</sup> Timer  Regular Attendee  Member

Names of children living at home, Grades & Birth Dates:

I am guest of: \_\_\_\_\_ / /

Please indicate:  Single  Widowed  Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ / /

Your birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Spouse's birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

(Please write down all children that are here today)

Please fill out the above tear-off for all family members **in attendance today** and drop it into the offering plate later in the service.

**CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES**

**Sunday, December 13**

8:15 am CHRISTMAS MUSIC SERVICE, Childcare available  
 9:30 am SUNDAY SCHOOL (Children & Adults)  
 9:30 am CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP, Childcare available  
 10:50 am CHRISTMAS MUSIC WORSHIP, Childcare available  
 10:50 am CHILDREN'S CHURCH, Fellowship Hall  
 10:50 am SUNDAY SCHOOL (Youth & Adults)

4:30-6:30 pm JR. & SR. HIGH CARE GROUPS

**Monday, December 14**

7:15-7:45 am JR. & SR. HIGH MONDAY MORNING WORSHIP  
 AT OUR CHURCH, COMMUNITY YOUTH EVENT  
 5:00 pm GUYS & DOLLS, @ Larry & Shelly's, 83 Millers Lane  
 7:00 pm CIRCLE 3, @ Jen Smith, 31 Wilbers Lane  
 7:00 pm CIRCLE 13, @ Greyhound Tavern (by reservation only)

**Tuesday, December 15**

9:30-11:30 am STAFF WEEKLY MEETING & PRAYER TIME  
 7:30 pm FINANCE MEETING, Tudor House

**Wednesday, December 16**

7:00 am MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST, Ft. Thomas Frisch's  
 4:15-5:00 pm BEGINNING HANDBELLS  
 6:00-7:30 pm YOUTH SMALL GROUPS  
 6:30 pm HIGHLAND RINGERS REHEARSAL, Choir Room  
 7:30 pm CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL, Sanctuary

**Thursday, December 17**

9:30-11:00 am WORD WARRIORS, Memorial Room  
 7:15 pm CHURCH COUNCIL, Memorial Room

**Friday, December 18**

6:30 am MORNING WATCH PRAYER, Sanctuary  
 YOUTH OVERNIGHT @ TOWN & COUNTRY (by reservation only)

**Saturday, December 19**

9:00-11:00 am PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE

**Sunday, December 20**

6:00 p.m. Jr. & Sr. HIGH CHRISTMAS PARTY  
 SR. HIGH @ MCINTOSH HOME  
 JR. HIGH @ PASTOR LARRY'S HOME (83 MILLER)

**8:15 & 10:50 a.m. WORSHIP**

**GLORY TO GOD!**

**MOMENTS FOR MINISTRY**

Pastor Karla Fullwood/Pastor Larry Karow

**PRELUDE**

*Comfort, Comfort Ye My People*  
 Highland Ringers

G. F. Handel

**\*CHRISTIAN GREETING**

Pastor Jim Wofford

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*The Glory of God*  
 Luke 1:46-47

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

*O Come Immanuel*  
 Chris Pinelo, Soloist

Alice Parker

**LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE**

**\*HYMN #213**

*Lift Up Your Heads*

Georg Weissel.

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (10:50)**

*What Has God Done In Your Life?*

Pastor Larry

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

*Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light*

J. S. Bach

**HYMN #236**

*While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks*

N. Tate/G. F. Handel

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

*Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*  
 (Hymn #240, Congregation sing on verses 1 & 3)

Michael Burkhardt

**CHILDREN'S CHIMES (10:50)**

*Away In A Manger*

Murray/Maggs

**MEDITATION**

*Glory Revealed*  
 2 Corinthians 4:6

Pastor Jim

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

*So Blessed A Sight*  
 Cathy Ross, Soloist

English Carol/A. Parker

**CHORAL ANTHEM (10:50)**

*Mary's Lullaby*

John Rutter

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Pastor Karla/Pastor Larry

**OFFERTORY**

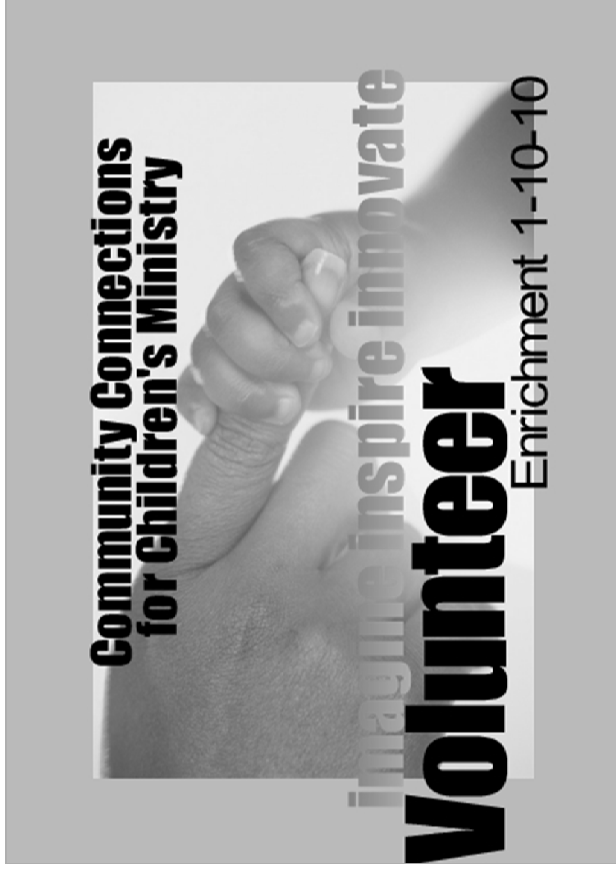
*Fum, Fum, Fum!*  
 Chancel Choir

Catalonian Carol/A. Parker



## HUMC Children's Ministries

# Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Campaign Sent Over 100 Boxes! Well Done!



**Location:**  
**Highland Hills Baptist Church**  
 638 Highland Ave.

**12:15 Lunch**  
 Imagine Your Ministry

**1:30 Session One**  
 Inspire Your Class  
 (Choose One-45 min.)  
 Preschool  
 Young Elementary  
 Older Elementary

**2:30 Session Two**  
 Innovative Ideas  
 (Choose Two-15 min. each)  
 Storytelling/Drama  
 Games  
 Music  
 Arts/Crafts

Make reservations by calling your church office today!

Logos Christian Bookstore will be present with many resources including VBS Kits! Don't miss this exciting opportunity!

### January 10, 2010! 12:15-3:00 Imagine-Inspire-Innovate!

This ground breaking community event is for brand new to very experienced children's leaders. If you think God wants you to explore maybe working with children then come to this! Also beneficial for home-schoolers! Make reservations by calling church office, email jenhall1969@yahoo.com or mark the tear off now! I am very excited about this folks! **Childcare available upon request.**

**PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!**  
 Pictorial directories are in and can be picked up after each service. Those who had their picture made are entitled to a free directory. For others, the cost is \$5.  
 Thank you for your patience.

## HOMILY

*Glory to God in the Highest!*

Luke 2:14

Pastor Jim

## CHORAL ANTHEM

*Christus Paradox*

Dunstan/Fedak

## \*CHOIR & CONGREGATION

*Walk In The Light*

Andre Thomas

We'll walk in the light, beautiful light, come where the dew-drops of mercy shine bright. Shine all around us by day and by night, Jesus the Light of the world. (Repeat)

Hark! the herald angels sing, Jesus, the Light of the world; Shine all around us by day and by night, Jesus, the light of the world; "Glory to the newborn King," Jesus, the light of the world. (Refrain)

Hail the heav'n born Prince of Peace! Jesus, the Light of the world; Christ, the everlasting Lord! Jesus, the Light of the world. (Refrain, 2 X's).

Jesus, the Light of the world. (3x)

## \*BENEDICTION

Pastor Jim

## \*POSTLUDE

*In Dulci Jubilo*

F. W. Zachau

Interim Organist: Rick Marquardt

\*All who are able, please stand.

### Instrumentalists:

Violin	Year Lee	Trumpet	Wes Sparks
Flute	Youngki Lee	Trumpet	Matt Keeler

# 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship

## MOMENTS FOR MINISTRY

### CHRISTIAN GREETING

### ADVENT CANDLE

### SONGS OF WORSHIP

*Mighty To Save*  
*Another Hallelujah*

### OFFERING

*Emmanuel*

*Christmas Offering*

### PRAYER

**MESSAGE** *(See Sermon Notes, p. 5)*

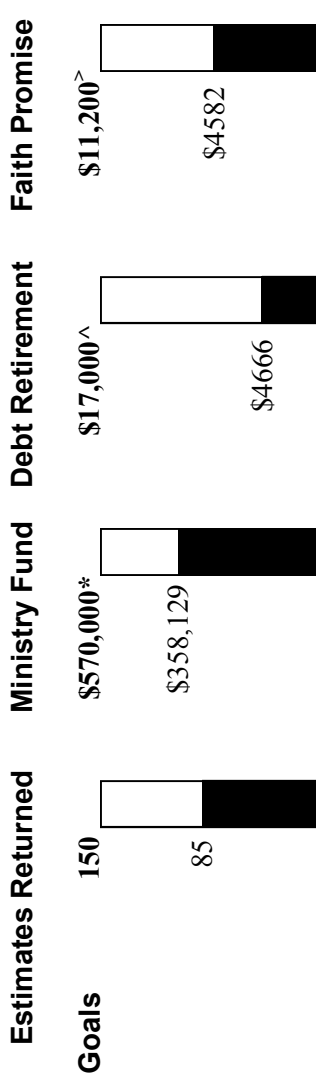
### CLOSING SONG

*O Come, Let Us Adore Him*

### BENEDICTION

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT - DECEMBER 10

(...it's about di-'sai-pel-ship!)



\*The \$570,000 mark is the preliminary budget total as requested by the various ministry and operating areas of the church. This total will be adjusted according to the return of the estimate forms and projected giving to be determined on Dec. 15.  
 ^Amount needed to pay monthly mortgage payments (approx. \$1000/month) plus a little extra to pay down principle faster.

>Total amount estimated to be received for 2009.

(Please note that Year End Gifts for 2009 need to be dated no later than December 31 & into the church office no later than January 7.)

### REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

To better serve you and your request for prayer, a suggestion was made to us to print the prayer request in the bulletin the following week after they have been submitted. You may do one or more of the following: complete the tear-off; call the church office, 441-0587; email the church, highlandumc@fuse.net. The deadline for the approaching bulletin is Thursday morning. Any requests after that will be listed in the subsequent week's bulletin.



### PRAYER REQUESTS (from 12/6/09 tear-offs):

- Connie Plau (Barb Wagner's sister) - recovering from hip replacement.
- Ryan - battling drug addiction
- Charlie & Edith Tharp—continued health & physical rehabilitation.
- People in war.
- Cyndy Jones' Uncle - recently suffered a stroke (now in Health South).
- Curt Sheldon.
- Stan Jorgensen.

## CHURCH NEWS ITEMS

### ALTIAR FLOWERS

*The flowers on the altar are given in memory of Herbert Caudill and in honor of his 81st birthday.*

*Given by Ruth Caudill, Regina, Liby, & Lydia Welscher.*

#### RED BIRD MISSION

Highland UM Women is collecting "Campbell soup labels, etc., and Box Tops for Education" to benefit the Red Bird Mission in Beverly, Kentucky. You may put them in the Memorial Room and marked for UM Women. Thanks!!



#### GUYS AND DOLLS

Monday, December 14, 5:00 pm  
Dinner at  
Pastor Larry and Shelley's home  
83 Miller Lane  
Use the sign-up sheet to submit  
your reservation

#### CIRCLE 13 BEAUTIFUL CRAFTS & CANDY



Circle 13's Crafts & Candy Sale concludes today, December 13th in Fellowship Hall . You will have an opportunity to shop for all kinds of gifts, ornaments, decorations and candy. All proceeds go to local missions and to our Pastor's Hope Fund.  
**LAST DAY**

#### *a Christmas note of thanks*

*The Ministry Team wishes to express appreciation to our members and to our Bluebird families for generously sharing their donations of cold weather clothing. Our HUGS barrel "runneth over". The bountiful number of men's hats, underwear, gloves, socks and jackets will be greatly appreciated by the residents of the Emergency Cold Shelter.*

*In addition, we were able to create several color coordinated sets of women and children's hats, gloves and scarves, and these will be taken to the Echo Kitchen where they will be distributed to their guests as gifts. Thank you so much for abundantly "sharing the warmth" with those in need.*

## MEDITATIONS

# GLORY TO GOD

THE GLORY OF GOD

GLORY REVEALED

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST

## **POINSETTIAS IN MEMORIAL:**

**In Memory** of Lerlean Thomas  
From: Chris & Tasha Pinelo

**In Memory** of Lauren Horner  
From: Linda & Marty Malloy

**In Memory** of Thomas John Nagel  
From: Tom & Virgie Nagel

**In Memory** of Herbert F. Caudill  
From: Ruth Caudill

**In Memory** of Our Parents  
From: Mr. & Mrs. Wesley C. Dicken, Jr.

**In Memory** of Our Granddaughter,  
Kimbell Hope Laskey  
From: Mr. & Mrs. Wesley C. Dicken, Jr.

**In Memory** of Lawrence & Ethel Lewellin  
From: Paul & Teena Whalen

**In Memory** of Russell & Hazel Tanner  
From: Paul & Teena Whalen

**In Memory** of Boz Whalen  
From: Paul & Teena Whalen

**In Memory** of Elza & Iva Whalen  
From: Paul & Teena Whalen

**In Memory** of Jane Williamson  
From: Don & Fern Gilchrist

**In Memory** of Mabel Noran  
From: Jerry Noran

**In Memory** of Susan Teets  
From: Gregory Teets

**In Memory** of Bee Manning & Margaret Biltz  
From: Love, the Biltz & Lyons Family

**In Memory** of Mendel Clark  
From: Keith & Becky Clark

## **POINSETTIAS IN MEMORIAL:**

**In Memory** of Carl Vernon Clark  
From: Keith & Becky Clark

**In Memory** of Bob Steppe  
From: Babe Steppe

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## **POINSETTIAS IN HONOR:**

**In Honor** of Our Children & Grandchildren  
From: Marty & Linda Malloy

**In Honor** of Nancy Guenther  
From: Marty & Linda Malloy

**In Honor** of Martha Williams  
From: Marty & Linda Malloy

**In Honor** of Pat & Joe Malloy  
From: Marty & Linda Malloy

**In Honor** of Ruth & Joe Jennings  
From: Sue & Don Brindle

**In Honor** of Frank Benton  
From: Your Family

**In Honor** of Nancy Benton  
From: Your Family

**In Honor** of Cyndy Noran  
From: Jerry Noran

**In Honor** of Jon & Brandi Paul  
From: Chris & Ginger Paul

**In Honor** of Our Children  
From: Jim & Jerry Wade

**In Honor** of the Welscher Family  
From: Mom/Mamaw