

Crescent Hill This Week
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WEEKLY CALENDAR
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

- 9:00 Karen Announcements (Chapel)
Fellowship Coffee (Birchwood)
- 9:15 Karen Worship (Chapel)
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 12:15 Church Council (Library)
Building & Grounds Team (Parlor)
- 12:30 Citizenship Class (Youth Room)
- 1:00 Chin Worship (Chapel)
- 5:00 Divorce Support Groups (2nd floor)
- 6:30 Advent Vespers (Sanctuary)
- 7:15 Cookie Reception (Fellowship Hall)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

- 1:15 Staff Meeting (Parlor)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7

- 10:30 Worship in Christian History (Parlor)
- 3:30 Homework Help (Youth Room)
- 5:15 Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:00 Announcements/Prayer (Fellowship Hall)
Children & Youth Activities
Sowers of Justice (Library)
- 6:30 Prayer Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:10 Chancel Choir (Choir Room)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8

- 5:55 Change of Heart (Heritage Hall)

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

Ushers December 4: Glen Bellou; HB Brady; Bob Hieb; Bobbie Thomason

Extended Session December 4: Mila Lee Chew, Kate Crosby, Sher Hai Min, Valorie Horn, Corinne or Spencer Holt

Sunday Coffee December 4: Diane Taylor

Sunday Evening Childcare December 4: Trudi Bellou

NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

Ushers December 11: Greg Robertson, leader; Alice Adams; Anne-Britton Arnett; Logan Flecke; Jim Soder

Extended Session December 11: Corrie Hammons, Diane Taylor, Ah Pyu, Janet Miller, Roxann Hieb

Sunday Coffee December 11: Betty Schnur

Sunday Evening Childcare December 11: Kelley Woggon

WORSHIP AT CHBC DECEMBER 11

Third Sunday of Advent

"Abundant Joy"

Isaiah 35:1-10

Jason Crosby preaching

SHARING GOD'S BOUNTY

In lieu of poinsettias as decor for the sanctuary for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, the Worship Team requests that church members donate to the church so that we can purchase fruit baskets in the days of **December 20-23**. These will be displayed under the Advent Wreath table in our services on **December 24 and 25**. We will then take those gifts to homeless shelters and recovery centers on Christmas afternoon. In this way, this year's theme of God's Bounty Shared and the decorations in Della Robbia style meet a common end in meeting community need. We suggest donations of \$25, but any amount designated will be put toward this proclamation of Good News.

CHRISTMAS SINGERS INVITED

The Chancel Choir has begun work on music for the Advent and Christmas season. Anyone wishing to sing is invited to attend rehearsals on Wednesdays from 7:10-8:00 PM. We will present a Service of Lessons and Carols on **Sunday, December 18** during Morning Worship. No audition is required. For further information see Louie Bailey, Minister of Music.

RECYCLING REMINDER

Please remember that the blue recycling bins throughout the church are for recyclable items only (paper, plastic, glass). **PLEASE NO FOOD.**

Buy **White Rage, EmpowerWest**
Black History Month Book, on sale
at Carmichael's.

The author, Carol Anderson, will speak at
Crescent Hill on **February 2, 2017**
at 7:00 PM.

A FAITH RESPONSE TO GUN VIOLENCE

Frank Woggon, Director of Chaplaincy Services and Clinical Pastoral Education at University of Louisville Hospital, continues this bible study Sunday mornings in Heritage Hall at 9:30 AM. The series ends **December 18**. All are welcome!

ADVENT COOKIE RECEPTION

Tonight we will hold an Advent Vespers service at 6:30 PM. Following that service we will have our traditional cookie reception. As in years past, we ask that members furnish **homemade** cookies for the reception. If you volunteered to bring cookies, please deliver them to Fellowship Hall before the service on Sunday evening.

WEDNESDAY'S PROGRAM

Ken Jobst, Director for Institutional Effectiveness and Professor, Religious Studies, at Simmons College will be with us to discuss "What is a Historic Black College or University (HBCU) and Why Do They Matter?"

GATLINBURG DISASTER RELIEF

CBF of Kentucky is collecting items for those affected by the tragic fires in Gatlinburg. Rhonda Blevins, executive director of CBFKY and a Tennessee native, will be delivering a truckload of donations on Monday. If you'd like to assist, please bring any of the following items to the church BY **Sunday, December 4**.

- Diapers, wipes, infant care items
- Non-perishable food items
- Bottled water
- Pet food and care items, including pet carriers
- Disposable plates, bowls, cups, utensils
- No clothes, please!