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Your pastors are deeply grateful to each of you for your faithfulness during this holy season. Thanks to all who attended worship services (in person and online), joined Bible study sessions, worked tirelessly in our ongoing ministries, marched and played bells in the Christmas parade, supported the church with your financial gifts, participated in the Angel Tree project, and sang with the Merry Music Makers throughout the Advent season. We were deeply touched when over 50 came to honor Christ in our annual candlelight service. The Spirit of the Living Christ worked through these and other church activities all year long. We offer this blessing by Jan Richardson as we embark on another calendar year in ministry together.

"The Year as a House"- A blessing by Jan Richardson

Think of the year as a house: door flung wide in welcome,
threshold swept and waiting, a graced spaciousness opening and offering itself to you.
Let it be blessed in every room. Let it be hallowed in every corner.
Let every nook be a refuge and every object set to holy use.
Let it be here that safety will rest. Let it be here that health will make its home.
Let it be here that peace will show its face. Let it be here that love will find its way.
Here let the weary come, let the aching come, let the lost come, let the sorrowing come.
Here let them find their rest and let them find their soothing
and let them find their place and let them find their delight.
And may it be in this house of a year that the seasons will spin in beauty,
and may it be in these turning days that time will spiral with joy.
And may it be that its rooms will fill with ordinary grace
and light spill from every window to welcome the stranger home.



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| 01 Wes Atkinson | 18 Ella Willerton |
| 02 Bill Wilson | 19 Lynne Kennedy |
| 09 Beverly Wall | 24 Debbie Winchester |
| 10 Jack Massey | 25 John Allen |
| 11 Madison Lewis | 29 Jarrett Large |
| 18 Paul O'Neal | 31 Curt Grundy |



- 1 Jerry & Lou Saunders
12 Paul & Karen O'Neal



Shane Ailey, Michael Ailey, Jessie Ary, Wes Atkinson, Betty Brautigan, Carla Brittain, Bob Coombes, Jim Griffith, Ron Jackson, Bill Lewis, Nancy Martin, Jack Middleton, Bill McCutchen, Marty McCutchen, Sherill McNett, Cohen Miller, Lisa Moore, Jane Ann Mosby, Sarah Pinney, Brigette Ratzlaff, Vickey Rose, Lou Saunders, Linda Taber, Jean Treat, Lendon Teague, Chris Tribble,

Tony & Dawn Tweedy, Pat Wadley, Sharon Walker, Beverly Wall, Cindy Winters, Jenny Wood, Mike Yancy, caregivers, first responders, Armed Forces, national and world leaders, those affected by acts of violence, addiction, mental illness and natural disasters.

December Financial Health

Date	General Fund	Quarters	Designated	Total
12-05	\$5,794.00	\$23.89	\$100.00	\$5,917.89
12-12	\$4,544.00	\$24.70	\$600.00	\$5,168.70
12-19	\$5,984.05	\$37.23	\$1,600.00	\$7,521.28
12-26	\$851.00	\$10.97	\$200.00	\$1,061.97
			Grand Total	\$27,015.70

Blessing Quarters	
Balance Forward	\$1,491.55
December	\$96.79
	Grand Total \$1,588.34

The Trustees designated \$1000 of the blessing quarters to the Ketchum Senior Center and the balance to assist the family of Barbara Hamilton.



Looking for volunteers . . .
MOW is in need of 2 head cooks and a driver for the Ketchum route on Friday.



Senior Food Program
Monday, Jan. 9
Ketchum Food Pantry
Thursday, Jan. 27

We celebrate and give thanks for the members of the 2022 General Board!

OFFICERS:

*Board Chair - Jim Owens, *Vice Chair - Teena Momper, *Secretary - Beverly Wall,
*Treasurer - Ron Middleton, Asst. Treasurer - Ellen Wolfe,
*Financial Secretary - Jo Smith, Asst. Fin. Sec. - Susan Miller

STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Worship - Joyce Wilson, Christian Education - Buddie Massey, *Property - Ronnie Hardin,
Membership & Evangelism - Marcu Munkirs, *Stewardship & Finance - Carla Davis,
Outreach - Susan Miller, ~~Nominations~~ - Beverly Wall, Pastoral Relations - Teena Momper

OTHER COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Safety - Jim Owens, Social - Diana Sellers, Community Hall - Jim Sellers,
Kitchen Coordinator - Lynne Kennedy, Historian - Shirley Hardin, NEACCO Rep - Kathy Latimer

TRUSTEES:

*Barbara Webb, *Marcy Munkirs, *Mary Claiborne

ELDERS:

*Jim Sellers (Chair), Ron Middleton (Vice-Chair), Carla Davis (Secretary), Luke McCullar, Vickey Rose,
Beverly Wall, Barbara Webb, Marcy Munkirs, Mary Claiborne

DIACONATE:

*Bob Shell (Chair), Diana Sellers (Vice-Chair), Mary Shell (Secretary), Jo Smith, Lynne Kennedy,
Ted Coombes, Louise Compston, Diana Williams, John Baird, Shari Baird, JB Miller, Vickie Mudd
**Member of the Executive Committee*

Meeting Dates:

Executive Committee meetings are at 10am on the 4th Saturdays except for Dec on the 3rd Saturday.
Jan. 22, Feb. 26, Mar. 26, Apr. 23, May 28, Jun. 25, Jul. 23, Aug. 27, Sep. 24, Oct. 22, Nov. 26, Dec. 17

General Board: meetings follow worship on Jan. 23, Apr. 24, Jul. 24, Oct. 23

Annual Congregational Meeting: following worship on November 27

December Attendance				
Date	Members	Visitors	In-person Total	Online Total
12-05	38	8	46	82
12-12	35	8	43	63
12-19	38	8	46	61
Christmas Eve	28	25	53	44
12-26	20	2	22	52



Dear Church Family,

Please accept our sincere thanks for the generous bonus you shared with us this Christmas! We are truly blessed by your thoughtfulness and cherish the opportunity to be in ministry alongside you. Much love, Gina & Chuck