

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

“1st Sunday After Christmas Day”

December 30, 2007

MINISTERS	All Members
PASTOR	Rev. Joseph Stiles
READER OF THE DAY	Bill Blackburn
CHOIR DIRECTOR / MUSICIAN	Joyce Blackburn
SONG LEADER	Rebekah Harp

“EXPECT A MIRACLE”

PRELUDE	<i>“The Carolers”</i>	Joyce Blackburn
	Leader: “God is good”, People: “All the time”,	
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WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS	(During announcements please fill out the registration cards found in each pew.)	Bill Blackburn
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CHIMES	<i>“Sing Ye Noel”</i>	Joyce Blackburn
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CHORAL INTROIT #228	<i>“He Is Born”</i>	Choir
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*CALL TO WORSHIP #vii	(front of hymnal) <i>“Directions For Singing”</i>	Bill Blackburn
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THE HYMNS	#246 <i>“Joy to the World”</i>	All
	#240 <i>“Hark! the Herald Angels Sing”</i>	
	#238 <i>“Angels We Have Heard on High”</i>	

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #881	<i>“The Apostles’ Creed, Traditional Version”</i>	Bill Blackburn
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GLORIA PATRI #70	<i>“Glory Be to the Father”</i>	All
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SHARING MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN		Rebekah Harp
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ANTHEM	<i>“Show Someone Else The Way”</i>	Choir
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PRAISE AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		Bill Blackburn
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CALL TO PRAYER #242 *“Love Came Down at Christmas”* **Choir**
PASTORAL PRAYER; LORD’S PRAYER **All**

“Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever.” Amen

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS **Bill Blackburn**
PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OFFERTORY *“Christmas Mem’ries”* **Joyce Blackburn**

***THE DOXOLOGY #95** **All**

“Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, Ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.”

HYMN OF PREPARATION #221 **Congregation**

“In the Bleak Midwinter”

SCRIPTURE (Pew Bible #1591) **Luke 2: 8-20** **Bill Blackburn**
“THANKS BE TO GOD!” **All**

HYMN #236 *“While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks”* **All**

SING YOUR FAVORITE HYMNS

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP: Those who would like to join Trinity United Methodist Church, and make a commitment to God and His Church, and those wishing Christian Baptism, come forth .

CLOSING HYMN #234 *“O Come, All Ye Faithful”* **Congregation**

BENEDICTION **Bill Blackburn**

POSTLUDE **Joyce Blackburn**

“Merry Gentlemen, Go Tell The Good News”

(*Denotes standing for those that care to and those who are able)

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK AT TRINITY:

Sunday, Dec. 30th, ***“1st Sunday after Christmas Day”***
“Christmas Carol Sing”
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

Monday, Dec. 31st, ***“New Year’s Eve”***
8:00 p.m. AA in Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, Jan. 1st, ***“Happy New Year”***

Wednesday, Jan. 2nd, 8:00 p.m. A.A. in Fellowship Hall

Sunday, Jan. 6th, ***“Epiphany of the Lord”***
Holy Communion
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
“1st Sunday Family Luncheon”

“PRAYER CONCERNS”:

Betty Addison, Katharen Billow, Ruth Black, Wanda Carey, Priscilla Caverly, Janice Cook, Vera Davis, The Deckers, Pat & Melenda Edmiston (Missionaries / Bible Translators), Julia Elliott, Mike Friedlander, The Geers, Janice Goldin, Alice Hakes, Reggie Hall, Heather, Rick & baby, Orin Hendrick, Debbie Hill, James Aaron Hill, Jr., The Hylton Family, Mercedia Hines, The Holden Family, Hal Horton, Joyce Howard, and Thomas Howell.

Arlene Johnston, David Johnston, Eugene Johnston, Ivan Johnston, Paula Knezha, Lois & Bill Kuncl, Norma Lipps, Christopher Lopez, Harold Maready, Hugh Mears, Iona Mears, The Millans, Barbara Moritz, Debbie Murphy & Family, Clarke New, James Only, Our Government Officials, Our Military Persons, Pam Pattee. Frances Rowell, Carol Rumsey, Karen Scally, Nicole Seymour, Donna Shumaker, Olive Shupe, David Smith, Diana Snyder, Billie Sterner, The Stiles Family, Goldye Suggs, The Waynes, Christina Wells, Jamie Willis, Anne L. Wilson and Charlotte Woodham .

UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS:

The January / February 2008 Devotional Books are now available in the Narthex. Remember to pick one up for yourself and one for a friend.

TODAY is our 5th Sunday Florida United Methodist Children’s Home Offering. Please be generous as you remember this very special ministry.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES / JANUARY 2008

Glenda Appling	17
Mistie Eltrich	20
Nicholas Holden	20
Pamela Pattee	22

THE MISSION’S TREE

We will be placing paper snow flakes on our Mission Tree in Fellowship Hall *In Memory or Honor of Loved Ones* during the month of January. Call the church office if you are interested in donating a dollar (or more) per dedication, as you honor loved ones by participating in this important mission ministry. All monies collected will be used for local mission projects.

1st SUNDAY FAMILY LUNCHEON

Next Sunday (January 6th) is our 1st Sunday Family Luncheon immediately following morning worship. Remember to invite your friends and family, bring your favorite dish to share, then join us as we celebrate the beginning of a new year together!

POINSETTIA DEDICATIONS

Please note the following was inadvertently left off the Poinsettia Dedication Bulletin insert last Sunday: A Poinsettia was placed “IN HONOR OF MY WONDERFUL, FAITHFUL CHOIR” by Joyce & Bill Blackburn.