

## December 24, 2023

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# Order of worship

#### Song leader - Jeff Veteto

997 - O Come, All Ye Faithful 4 - To God Be the Glory

#### **Welcome - Jeremy Box**

1005 - Beautiful Star of Bethlehem 998 - What Child Is This?

#### Lord's supper and Offering - Kodi Humphrey

Refiner's Fire Children dismissed to Bible classes 181 - Bless the Name of Jesus 448 - The Greatest Commands

#### **Sermon - Ryan Dooms**

77 - Glorify Thy Name

### Farewell Today's volunteers:

Coffee - Lou Rumker
Security - Mack Davis
Media - Michael Seigart
Sound - Brent Asher
Child care during adult Bible class Jennifer Davis
Nursery - Justice Wilson and
Rachel Claunch

Teacher: 3-K - Michelle Alsup Teacher: 1st - 5th - Beth Veteto

#### **LADIES' BOOK CLUB**

Meeting at 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18, at Susan Dollins' house, 1320 E. Lafayette St., to discuss "The Boy Who Painted the

World," by Melody J. Bremen



For more information, join the East Grand Ladies' Book Club Facebook page or contact Melanie Clark at 417-496-0141.



# Praise report Birthdays



Carmen Robertson Dec. 24



Ray Johnson Dec. 25



Jeremiah Box Dec. 26



Celia Clark turns 2 on Dec. 27



Michael Seigart Dec. 27

#### **Anniversary**



Rod and Susan Dollins celebrate their 44th anniversary on Dec. 28

# East Grand Community Services update

Merry Christmas from E.G.C.S.!



# Scenes from the candlelight service





# Farewell potluck for Griffiths is Jan. 7

Immediately after morning worship services on Sunday, Jan. 7, our congregation will honor Jim and Kayla Griffith with a potluck meal.

Jim will be starting a new position



on Jan. 15 in Elkin, NC. Kayla will stay here in Springfield until the end of the school year and then rejoin Jim.

Please make plans to come and bring some tasty food as we wish our dear friends Godspeed.



## Winter 2024 study schedule

- · Jan. 3: Kayla Griffith
- · Jan. 10 31: Women of the Bible
- February March: "Find Your
   People" book and video discussion

Not a reader? We plan to watch the "Find Your People" videos together each week and discuss, so you won't miss anything by not reading the book!



# Prayers — Family members



Carmen Robertsor



George Alsup

**Carmen Robertson** is in a lot of pain from her hip.

**George Alsup** had surgery to have tubes placed in his ears and to have his tonsils and adenoids removed on Thursday, Dec. 21.

### Prayers — Family and friends

- Sharon Hedden (Crystal Seigart's grandmother)
- Kelley Wise (East Grand's former cleaning professional)
- **Jeannine Smith** (former EG member and wife of former EG elder)
- Kevin Adams (Glenda Adams' son)
- Craig Wray (brother of former member Patty Smith)
- Jacque (Mary Sue Greer's niece)

- Velynda (Glenda Adams' daughter and Lohnya Rippee's sister)
- Dale Ash (friend of Glenda Adams and Lohnya Rippee)
- **Cheryl** (Judy Bogdanoff's friend) fell and injured her ankle. She had surgery and will need rehab.
- Melinda (Judy Bogdanoff's friend)
   is having issues with her back and is
   needing injections.

## Members with ongoing health issues

Glen Alexander Roanen Barron Judy Bogdanoff David Coffman

Carter Letterman Greg Rippee Carmen Robertson Hazel Sanders Peggy Schnelle Carl Scruggs

#### Sunday:

Attendance last Sunday: 230

9:30 a.m. - Bible class 10:30 a.m. - Worship Wednesday:

6:30 p.m. - Bible class