Welcome

Thank you for choosing to spend your weekend with us! We want you to feel welcome and comfortable.

<u>Communion</u> is observed weekly. As communion is passed, please take two cups stacked inside of one another; take the emblems when you are ready & place the empty cups in the round cup holders in the pew in front of you.

Offering is collected in the various wooden boxes around the auditorium. You can give at your convenience. If you are a visitor, please do not feel obligated to give. We want our service to be our gift to you.

Volunteers

Serving Today

Nursery: Today

TodayNext WeekFlorine DixonDonna NewtonMaryn RothKathy Brumbaugh

Meditation: Drew Carroll Dan Nichols

Communion Servers: George Link, Dennis Schulte, Tyler Schulte, Jim Jefferson, Robert Menn, Todd Grotts, J.J. Cole,

Eric Lenz

Communion Preparer: Linda Jacob

Food Pantry Volunteers: Mon.: Pat Briscoe

Wed.: Allison Jacob

Greeters: Tyler & Kathy Schulte

Church Cleaners 12/15-12/21: George Link, Rick & Florine

Dixon, Mike & Michelle Bavery, Laurie Green

Sermon videos can be viewed on our website by visiting **www.burnsidechristian.org.**

Please have information for the bulletin submitted to the office by **8am Thursday mornings**.

Announcements

There is a box in the fellowship hall for our preacher's **Christmas gift.** Today is the last day to give towards this gift.

Tonight is the night! The Jr. Church kids will present their **Christmas program**, *the Fumbly Bumbly Angels*, tonight. The show will begin at 6pm here at BCC with refreshments to follow.

The **January beacon deadline** is Monday, January 16th. If you have information you would like to be included for January, please submit it by tomorrow. Information can be emailed to danielle@burnsidechristian.org.

Mark your calendars for a **Christmas movie night** at BCC! Join us on Thursday, December 19th from 6-8pm for the original animated *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*, hot chocolate, & cookies

Small groups have begun, but it is not too late to join us for Bible study & community. Groups meet Monday evenings at 6pm at Dennis & Susie Schulte's home in Keokuk, Tuesday evenings at 6pm at Scott & Carolyn Whitehouse's home in Burnside, & Thursday evenings at 6:30pm at Jim & Pam Jefferson's home in Carthage. Contact the host for more information.

If you have not requested a **giving receipt** in the past & would like one for 2024, please see Toni Carlisle.

MYM & the Sunday Night Bible Study will not meet on December 15th, 22nd, or 29th. The Ladies Bible Study will not meet on December 24th or the 31st.

The **2025** nursery & church cleaning schedules are available to pick up in the fellowship hall. The January-March 2025 **food pantry** schedule can be picked up in the fellowship as well. Thanks to all our volunteers.

Alfred & Gladys Huston will celebrate their **70th wedding anniversary** on December 19th. Cards can be mailed to 1200 East Grant St. in Macomb, IL 61455.

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If you haven't done so & would like to, please bring a family Christmas ornament to add to our tree in the fellowship hall. These ornaments will be kept and put on each Christmas season! Our tree will be going up this week.

Our annual **Christmas puzzle**, that we put together as a church family, is now available in the fellowship hall. Come work on it at your leisure.

Join us for our **Christmas Eve Service** on Tuesday, December 24th at 6:30pm.

Prayer

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS—If you have a prayer/praise request to share or an announcement to be made this morning, **please leave it at the sound booth.** We welcome the opportunity to pray for others. *Please keep us updated on the requests you submit so others may know how to pray.*

PRAY for:

Barb Hanks-severe back pain; pray for relief
Evela Elrod-burning in stomach; blood in stools
Mary Thorell-on hospice care at Hickory Grove
Marilyn Nelson-recovering at home from sepsis
Emmet Youngmeyer-in hospital; trouble breathing & eating
Deni McCombs-waiting for liver biopsy results
Bud Hobbs-in Elms nursing home in Macomb for rehabilitation
Rick Biondolino-colon cancer; issues with prostate & hip
Michelle Berry-mass on her frontal lobe of her brain
Jan Scanlan-recovery from fall; physical therapy in Quincy
Roger DeSchepper-mass on left lung; lesions in other places
Rose Scheetz-has cancer & is receiving chemo treatment
Sara Guymon-Acute Myeloid Leukemia; extensive treatment



Germon Notes



12/15-Jr. Church Christmas Program 6pm @ BCC
No MYM or Sunday Night Bible Study
12/16-January Beacon Deadline
12/17-Ladies Bible Study 9:30am
12/19-Chrismas Movie Night @ BCC 6-8pm
12/24-Chrismtas Eve Service 6:30pm
12/25-Merry Christmas!
1/19-MYM to attend Peoria Rivermen hockey game



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"We loved you so much that we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well, because you had become so dear to us." I Thessalonians 2:8

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December 15, 2024

Welcome to our time of Worship through. . . . Song. . . . Prayer. . . . Communion Message (*Please partake of communion as you are served*)

Please silence your cell phones

Sunday School for all ages 9:00 a.m. Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Children's Programming 10:00 a.m.