



Military Personnel

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Nursing Home

Julia White, Ola Mae Chandler

**Week of Prayer for International Missions
December 4 – 11**



First Sunday of Advent –
November 27

Hope

Mark 13:24-37 – The Hope of His Return

Second Sunday of Advent –
December 4

Peace

Mark 1:1-8 - John the Baptist, Pt 1
Children’s Choirs Share in the Morning Service
Evening – Week of Prayer Material

Third Sunday of Advent –
December 11

Joy

John 1:6-8; 19-28 - John the Baptist, Part 2
Community Christmas Program in the Evening

Fourth Sunday of Advent –
December 18

Love

Luke 1:26-38 Mary and Elizabeth
Caroling in the Evening at 5

Christmas Day – Sunday,

December 25

Lighting of the Christ Candle
No Sunday School or Evening Service

Morning Worship at **10 A.M.**

We Will Dismiss Before 11

Join Us – Bring Your Family and Friends

New Year’s Day – Sunday,

January 1

The Fullness of Time

Galatians 4:4-7

Sunday School and Morning

Worship at Regular Times

No Evening Service

Sunday, January 8

We Will Observe Epiphany
Quarterly Ministry Meeting and Covered Dish Dinner
Evening Cold Coffee and Bible Study Resumes

Upcoming Dates

Nursing Home Christmas Store
Thursday, December 8

Collinsville Christmas Parade
Saturday, December 10 at 2:00

Community Christmas Service
Sunday, December 11 at 6:00
First Methodist Church

There is an Open House at the Friendship House on Sunday, December 4 from 1-3.
This is a ministry of Alabama Baptist Children’s Homes.
1931 Donna Drive
Oxford, Alabama,

DeKalb County Schools
Christmas Break for Students
Wednesday, December 21 –
Monday, January 2

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
January 22

Men’s Day
February 5,
Super Bowl Sunday



Operation Christmas Child Report

We Gave 23 Boxes This Year
Thank You for Your Generosity
And special thanks to Leah Perkins for her work.

Words cannot express our deepest gratitude and love for all your prayers and gifts over the last months.

David and Tracy and the boys are settled into a new home and adjusting to new surroundings.

Daniel and Michelle are adjusting to life with Juvenile Diabetes. They all thank you for your prayers.

God Bless You ALL.

The Borntragers

I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day

I heard the bells on Christmas day
Their old familiar carols play,
And wild and sweet the words repeat
Of peace on earth, good will to men.

I thought how, as the day had come,
The belfries of all Christendom
Had rolled along th'unbroken song
Of peace on earth, good will to men.

And in despair I bowed my head:
'There is no peace on earth, ' I said
'For hate is strong, and mocks the song
Of peace on earth, good will to men.'

Then pealed the bells more loud and deep:

'God is not dead, nor doth He sleep;
The wrong shall fail, the right prevail,
With peace on earth, good will to men.'

Till, ringing, singing on its way,
The world revolved from night to day
A voice, a chime, a chant sublime,
Of peace on earth, good will to men.

~Henry Wadsworth Longfellow