

## Contemporary Worship

*Praise Song	<i>Go, Tell It on the Mountain</i>	Praise Band
Scripture Reading		Isaiah 60:1-6
*Praise Song	<i>How Many Kings</i>	
Welcome and Announcements		
Prayer Concerns and Morning Prayer		
Offering		
Musical Offering	<i>Welcome to Our World</i>	
Scripture Reading		Matthew 2:1-12
Sermon		Rev. Nance
*Closing Song	<i>Beautiful Star of Bethlehem</i>	
*Dismissal with Blessing		
	<b>*the people standing as able</b>	

## Worship Leaders

<b>Minister</b> — Catherine Clark Nance
<b>Praise Team Leader/Pianist</b> — Cynthia Brian
<b>Choir Director</b> — Jean Osborne
<b>9:00 Ushers</b> — Judy Graham, Connie Dagley, Mark Graham
<b>11:00 Ushers</b> — Jim Cox, Jim Lewis, Kelly Kelly, Dave & Kasey Kahm
<b>Acolyte</b> — Tracey Martin
<b>Audio-Visual Team</b> — Chris Little, Charlie Hill, Gene Rayburn

## Prayer Requests

**Those who are Grieving**—Wilma Peterson in death of husband, *George Peterson*; Norine Pickel & family in death of nephew; Gail Watson in death of grandmother, *Lucy Nell Williams*

**Church Family**—Margaret Barnett, Charlie Green, David Harris, Thomas Lifford, Elise Myers, Sherry Scott

**Family**—Perry Burnette (Shirley Ashe's son), Britton Butler (Josie Butler's grandson), Al Cobb (Cynthia Brian's brother), Lorie Danovich (Carol Koretko's daughter/Lorraine Wilson's granddaughter), Don Ehlers (Karen Billingsly's father), Pat Finley (Judy Graham's sister-in-law), Shelia Hudson (Ann Scarbrough's niece), Joyce Jones (Keith Jones' mother), Ivan McRoy (Vera Edens' son), Joy Padgett (Norine Pickel's sister-in-law), Jeral Porter (Ethan Porter's father), Charles Robinson (Ann Shugart's father), George Ruple (Kristin Stanley's father), Ned Turner (Loring Porter's father), Anna Faye Worley (Patsy Jourdan's daughter/Glenda Brown's sister)

**Friends**—Wesley Alig, Lora Brown, Tim Butler, Tonya Langley, Anna Martin, Sherry Peace, Barry Sanders, Christina Stewart, Joyce Underwood, Laura Van Epps, Zachary

**Military**—Joel Bomgaars-Air Force (Eleanor Bomgaars' grandson), Denim Beeler (Naval Base, Japan), 1st Lt. Jesse Campbell, Lee Holt, Philip Jordan, Curt Osvold, Tommy Powers—Army (Eleanor Bomgaars' grandson), Ronald Sandifer, Chuck Stewart, Zachary Stewart—USMC

## Traditional Worship

Prelude		Cynthia Brian, Piano
Lighting of the Candles		
Welcome and Announcements		
*Call to Worship	<i>Go, Tell It on the Mountain</i>	#251, Verse 3
Old Testament Reading		Isaiah 60:1-6
Psalm 72:1-17		#795
*Hymn	<i>We Three Kings</i>	#254, Verses 2-5
Prayer Concerns and Morning Prayer		
The Lord's Prayer		
Offering		
Offertory	<i>Born In the Night, Mary's Child</i> G. Ainger/harmony, R. D. Wetzell	Phyllis Martinelli, Soloist
*Doxology	<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise God all creatures here below. Praise Him, above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Noel! Noel! Noel! Noel! Born is the king of Israel.</i>	
Gospel Reading		Matthew 2:1-12
Sermon		Rev. Nance
*Closing Hymn	<i>Arise, Shine Out, Your Light Has Come</i>	#725
*Benediction		
	<b>*the people standing as able</b>	

## Today's Altar Flowers

Compliments of *Powell Florist*

A rosebud has been placed on the altar to celebrate the adoption of **Joshua Michael Harris** on December 20, 2011 by David & Beth Harris. Josh is the big brother of Hunter, Samuel, Joseph and Elkana. Grandmother is Laura Miller.

## Announcements

### YOUTH NEWS

TONIGHT: No Youth Activities  
BREAKFAST & BIBLE STUDY: Meet at the church at 9:00 am this Wednesday to go to Cracker Barrel, Cedar Bluff. All youth are welcome!

### 2012 ALTAR FLOWER CALENDAR

You may use the altar flower calendar located on the bulletin board across from the church library to sign up to provide flowers for the Sunday worship services. Beaver Ridge has a standing order with Powell Florist. Cost is \$25.

### DEADLINE FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER

Please turn in all articles/calendar dates to the church office by **9:00 am tomorrow morning**. E-mail information to: [blloyd@beaverridgeumc.com](mailto:blloyd@beaverridgeumc.com).

### VOLUNTEER!

Thousands of volunteers, skilled and unskilled, are needed for the Extreme Makeover: Home Edition show that is coming to Knoxville January 10th to start their latest build! It will take the whole community rallying together to bless the family chosen. (The name of the family will not be announced until 1/10/2012.) If you want to get involved, go to this link: <http://www.joinextreme.com/tnvolunteer>.

### DIVORCE-CARE GROUP

*You don't have to go through it alone...*  
Most people will tell you that separation and divorce are the most painful and stressful experiences they've ever faced. It's a confusing time when you feel isolated and have a lot of questions about issues you've never faced before. A DivorceCare group will begin meeting on Wednesday, January 18th at 6:30 pm for a 9-week series at BRUMC to help you face these challenges and move toward rebuilding your life. For more information, contact Caren Fails at 335-1794.

### CIRCLE MEETING

Members of Sarah Circle will meet at the home of Vera Harvey (6764 W. Emory Road) on Monday, January 2nd at 7:00 pm.

### OKLAHOMA MISSION TRIP

Looking for energetic, hard-working people to travel to Tahina, Oklahoma, to do roofing on a parsonage March 17 - 24, 2012. Rev. David Warden, a Holston Conf. Missionary, is pastoring two Choctaw Indian congregations in Oklahoma. We would be roofing his parsonage and possibly building a small children's playground at one of his churches. Cost would be roughly \$500 per person with \$105 per person needed to secure your place by January 15. Sign up sheet on bulletin board. Any questions, contact Charlotte DeLozier, 680-7032 or [cdeLozier@cbww.com](mailto:cdeLozier@cbww.com).

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT FOOD & FELLOWSHIP

Our Wednesday Night Dinners and Classes will resume on January 11th. Be watching for the reservation form in next week's bulletin!

### On This Week's Calendar

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2012

**New Year's Day**  
1-2:30 pm—Girls' Basketball Practice (Gym)

#### MONDAY, JANUARY 2:

**Church Office Closed**  
3:30-5 pm—GYM RENTAL  
6-7 pm—Beginner's Yoga (Upstairs FLC)  
6-7:30 pm—Daisy Scouts (Ed. Bldg.)  
6-8 pm—Line Dancing (Gym)  
7 pm—Sarah Circle (Vera Harvey's)

#### TUESDAY, JANUARY 3:

10 am—Craft Group (Library)  
4-5 pm—Zumba (Gym)  
7 pm—Administrative Team Meeting  
8 pm—Young Men's Basketball Night

#### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4:

9 am—Youth Bible Breakfast (Meet at church to go to Cracker Barrel, Cedar Bluff)  
6:30 pm—Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 pm—Praise Band Rehearsal  
8 pm—MS Boys' Basketball Practice (Gym)

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 5:

4 pm—Zumba (Gym)  
6:30 pm—ROOM 209 RENTAL  
8 pm—Sr. High Boys' Basketball Practice

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 6:

6 pm—GYM RENTAL  
6:30-8:30 pm—Girl Scouts (Ed. Bldg.)

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 7:

8 am-1 pm—Church League Basketball Games (FLC)

Boy Scouts Lock-In (FLC)

#### NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 8:

10 am—Parents Meeting for Confirmation Class (Chapel)  
4:30-6 pm—Youth Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)  
6-8 pm—Youth Snack Supper/Covenant Group Meetings

# BEAVER RIDGE

## UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

January 1, 2012  
*Epiphany Sunday*

### Epiphany

O God,  
you made of one blood all nations,  
and, by a star in the East,  
revealed to all peoples him whose name is Emmanuel.  
Enable us who know your presence with us  
so to proclaim his unsearchable riches  
that all may come to his light  
and bow before the brightness of his rising,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
now and for ever. **Amen.**