

Worship services and messages are recorded each week. If you would like a copy please contact Neil Reazin. They can be emailed to you. The full service can be viewed on Facebook and on our YouTube channel.

#### THE LORD'S DAY

8:45 a.m.	Adult Life Group Study—Luke
9:50 a.m.	Worship Service
	No Nursery, Preschool, or Children's Church today
	Youth Group
11:15 p.m.	Special Business Meeting to approve 2026 budget
	Adult Life Group Study—Romans

**Children's Ministry:** Little Blessings class (infant-24mos) is upstairs, Sprouts (preschool) and children in K—5th grade - Children's Church meet downstairs in their classrooms during the worship hour. Parents pick up their children there after the service.  
Every third Sunday is Family Day; no children's classes.

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#### John 3:16 (ESV)

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

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#### PRAYER REQUESTS:

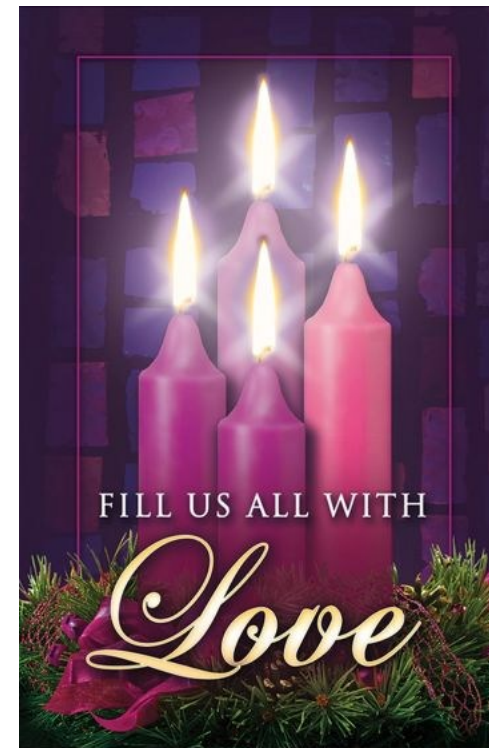
If you have a prayer request today, pick up a Prayer Card when you come into the sanctuary, fill it out and place it in the offering plate at the back of the sanctuary. Please note if it can be shared or if it is just for the Pastor.

If you have a prayer need at any time throughout the week, please text Donna Gregory at 240-575-4076 or send her an email: [dgregory826@gmail.com](mailto:dgregory826@gmail.com).

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# PLEASANT VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



December 21, 2025

Loving - Connecting - Serving

## WELCOME TO PVBC

If you are a guest, it is our privilege to have you here today! We trust your worship experience will be a blessing to you and your family. We are very thankful you chose to join us for worship at PVBC. Please fill out a Connect Card telling us a little bit about you, and return it to our Welcome Center today.

### WORSHIP SERVICE—FAMILY DAY

Prelude ~ Noel

Welcome & Prayer

Advent ~ LOVE

Bob & Leslie Miller

Congregational Reading ~ Genesis 22.1-17 (Pew Bible p.16)

Jerry DeWolf

Lottie Moon Video ~ Send Relief in Armenia

Announcements

A Children's Christmas

Away in a Manger

Silent Night

Congregational Songs ~ Christmas Day

Emmanuel God With Us

Holy Forever (Christmas)

Message ~ Love—Luke 17.24-26 (Pew Bible p.857)

Bro. Clayton Clark

Hymn of Invitation ~ Whiter Than Snow

325

Benediction

Toby Kline

Closing Song ~ Tell Me the Story of Jesus

122

The children are part of today's Christmas service

Activity sheets are available to pick up before the service begins.

Remember to take home your Christmas cards today and poinsettias if you won't be here Christmas eve.

Please join us today at 2pm at Somerford Place for singing Christmas carols with the residents

#### **Serving today:**

Greeters: Brenda Stokes / Kathy Bouw & Bailee

Sprouts: none

Children's Church: none

Youth: Michael DeFreitas / Amelia Reazin

AV: Neil Reazin / Betsy Operacz

Deacon this week: Toby Kline 240-215-7896

#### **Serving next Sunday, 12/28:**

Greeters: Ron Pitts / Kathy Bouw & Bailee

Sprouts: Sherrie-Lynn Hollomon\*

Children's Church: Sherrie Clark / Adrena Sheppard

Dana Bowman

Youth: Michael DeFreitas / Amelia Reazin

AV: Neil Reazin / Betsy Operacz

Deacon next week: Michael DeFreitas

\*on call  
if needed

The beautiful Christmas Poinsettias  
in the sanctuary have been donated by:

Marlene Bowers, Tracy & Lori and Melissa & JR  
in memory of husband & father, Robert "Dope" Bowers

Chris & Julie Cook in memory of  
Julie's beloved father, John J. Moody and  
Chris's parents, Nellie & Arthur Cook

Stephen DeFreitas & Michael DeFreitas in memory of  
wife and mother, Emily Anne DeFreitas

The DeWolf Family in memory of  
Jerry's grandmother, Marian DeWolf and  
Chrystal's dad, Chuck Hoover

David & Tami Hetrick in memory of  
their son, Michael David Hetrick

Debbie Hinkle in memory of  
Tom & Sue King

Brian & Sherry Lapole in memory of  
Brian's parents, Martin & Rosalie Lapole and Sherry's  
parents, Lloyd & Virginia Metz and sister Debra Turner

Willa McGaha in memory of son Kenny McGaha  
and in honor of son Frank McGaha

Bob & Leslie Miller in memory of  
Jackie Miller, Claudia Smith and Les Smith

Pam & Charlie Weidner and family in memory of  
Pastor Wendell & Christine McClellan

Dec.	21	Leslie Miller
		Hailey Teller
	26	Kevin Riley
	29	Katrina Kline
Jan.	1	Bob & Leslie Miller
	2	Tresa Weir



Monday	10:00 a.m.	Women's Life Group study—John
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Christmas Eve Service
Thursday		Happy Birthday Jesus

Weekly Budget Needs	3,174
Average Giving in November	6,226
Tithes and Offerings for Sunday, 12/14	10,700

You are Deeply Loved

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**Willa McGaha**  
301-788-1162  
Tranquility  
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Frederick, MD 21703

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**Frances Fravel** (thru December)

304-725-5053

c/o Ashly Nunamaker

11714 Robinwood Dr.

Hagerstown, MD 21742

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**Deloris & Steve Pearson** (as of 12/30)

301-788-2285

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Deland, FL 32724

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## Emma Norman

c/o R.I.C.A.

15000 Broschart Rd.

Rockville, MD 20850

If wintry weather should cause us to cancel a service or another church event, everyone regularly attending services will be notified. It will also be posted on our website as soon as the decision to close has been made.

Our Lottie Moon Christmas Offering  
for International Missions goal: \$1,000

Current giving: \$855

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TODAY immediately following the service,  
we will have a special business meeting  
to seek the approval of the proposed 2026 church budget

*We will also be seeking Deacon nominations soon to fill the vacancies coming in early 2026*

*Christmas Eve*  
CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

7:00pm

## Planning Team Meeting

**Sunday, January 4 at 4:00pm**

at the home of Neil & Cindy Reazin

to discuss and slate 2026 church events

*This meeting is typically two to three hours.*

A soup & sandwich dinner will be provided.

*Please let Bro. Clayton know you will be coming.*

Team members:

Bro. Clayton, Larry Best (trustee), Randy Norman (deacon), Heather Lohr (worship), Dana Bowman (children's coordinator), Cindy Reazin (women), Neil Reazin (finance), and Sherrie-Lynn Hollomon, Bobbie Bowers, Carolyn Best (at large members of Finance Team)