

Christmas Eve Service

Song of Worship	O Come All Ye Faithful
Welcome	Taylor Park, <i>Executive Pastor</i>
Children's Nativity	Luke 2:1–20 The Gospel Song
Song of Worship	Joy to the World
Scripture Reading	John 3:16–17
Song of Worship	What Child Is This
Solo	Once Upon
Message	Rev. Jim Fleming, <i>Interim Senior Pastor</i>
	“Jesus is the Light” Luke 2:25–32
Songs of Worship	O Little Town of Bethlehem Silent Night
Benediction	

Musicians: Amelia Boer, Ezra Bennett, Johnny Bennett, Levi Bennett, Felicity Hall, Jamie Scholik, Mae Sistrunk, Olivia Grace Sistrunk. Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

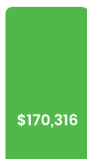
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Ministry Fund



Jul-Dec Budget

Missions Fund



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Jul-Dec 19 Giving



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Gifts must be placed in the offering chests at church or delivered to the finance office by December 31, 2022, in order to be considered as charitable gifts for the 2022 tax year. The church office will be closed December 25–26. The finance office will be open December 27–30 from 8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m. and Saturday, December 31 from 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. Gifts mailed to the church must be postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service by December 31, 2022, to be considered as charitable gifts for the 2022 tax year.

FAMILY MATTERS

Births

Ava Katherine Stevens, December 12, 2022
Parents: Jennifer and Seth Stevens
Thomas Stafford Bouck, December 13, 2022
Parents: Sarah and Sam Bouck
Grandparents: Kim and Art Bouck

Hospital

Gerald Jackson, Jackson, MS
Marcy Hackler, Baptist Memphis
Jack Luther, Baptist Memphis ICU
Pete Andersen, Methodist University

Hospice

Mike Hughes

Deaths

David Spell, December 15, 2022
Hugh Spell's father
Curtis Bicknell, December 15, 2022
Curt Bicknell's father
Roberta Scholik, December 19, 2022
Chris Scholik's mother

Merry
Christmas

Christmas Day Worship Service, Sunday, December 25
10:45 a.m., Fellowship Hall (No Sunday School or childcare)
We'll have a family-friendly service!

New Year's Day Worship Service, Sunday, January 1
10:45 a.m., Sanctuary (No Sunday School or childcare)



Sustain Ukraine, Sunday, January 8: lunch at 12:00 p.m. in E125/126 followed by packing at 1:00 p.m. in the Gym.
Please join us as we partner with David & Katya B. and Kids Around the World! We will be replenishing KATW's supplies of food packets that were previously sent to Ukraine for frontline people in need. Your contribution of time will make a difference in people's lives! Sign up at www.firstevan.org/sustainukraine.

fec Midweek
at First Evan

Midweek at First Evan, Wednesdays, January 11–April 26
There's something for everyone on Wednesday nights. It starts with dinner at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, then we have activities for all ages from 6:15–8:00 p.m. Pick up a brochure or visit www.firstevan.org/midweek for details. Attending or volunteering and need childcare? Visit www.firstevan.org/midweek-childcare (For ages 2 and under. Subject to availability.)

For more announcements, visit www.firstevan.org/loop.

NATIONAL PARTNER OF THE WEEK

In-Life, Czech Republic & Slovakia

Praise

- For fruit as a result of summer English camps. Some participants have been much more open to the gospel.
- That more unbelievers are coming to the In-Life evangelistic events, post-pandemic.
- That the Lord provides financial support for the IL staff, through the First Evan and others.

Pray

- For our personal walk with Jesus.
- For the IL winter retreat (Dec 28–Jan 1, 140 participants).
- For preparations of the IL English camps 2023, our main summer evangelistic event.

MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

STREETS Ministries

Praise

- That we were able to serve 750+ students from eight schools during the first semester.
- That 555 students have heard the gospel preached at least once!
- That 17 students accepted Jesus as their Lord and Savior, and seven students rededicated their lives to Christ!

Pray

- That the 40+ students who are engaged in bible studies weekly will be receptive to the gospel.
- For our community to heal from the senseless shooting at the Streets Vance location.
- That the Lord of the harvest would send forth workers to help STREETS fulfill our mission!