

***WE WELCOME YOU** to worship this morning! We are glad you are here, and we invite you to worship with us regularly! If you are a visitor, or if you have a prayer or pastoral concern, please use the appropriate card in the pew rack.*

PRAYER CONCERNS – Janet Tuttle, Jake Ott, Wendy Kennedy, Judi Wood, Nancy T. Cook, Virginia Smiley, Judy Widener, Janet Wiseman, Rayburn Harris, Elaine Wyche, Theresa Moore, Ed Stone, Sylvia Coffee, Dick Miller, Mckenzie Woods, Dale Smith, Jesse Hogan, Debbie Dixon, Shara Shiflet, Nancy K. Cook, Nan Brown, Meredith Arneson, Audrey King, Sam Wall, Robert Christian, Monty Conner, Linden Heatwold, Laura Denton, Linda Brown, Michael Moore, Patty LaCour, Lois Parker, Marie Wood, Nancy Cline, Robin Moyer, Mildred Brown, Meade Loomis, Helen Breeden, Jean Goshorn, Patsy Shull, Kate Houff, Ruth Rathburn.

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF January 7, 2018:

TODAY	9:55 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Choir Practice
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship
TUESDAY	1:30 p.m.	Circles 1& 2 meet
FRIDAY	10:00 a.m.	<i>No Bible Study</i>
NEXT SUNDAY	9:55 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Choir Practice
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship;

Ordination/Installation of Officers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LAST FIVE WEEKS' OFFERINGS:

<u>December 31</u>	<u>December 24</u>	<u>December 17</u>	<u>December 10</u>	<u>December 3</u>
\$4,487	\$1,817	\$3,306	\$841	\$4,149

WELCOME -- Today we welcome back Ramona Bosserman as our speaker during Pastor Frank's absence. She is always an inspiration and a delight and we are thankful that she is available. Please welcome her after the service

JANUARY NEWSLETTERS -- Copies of the January edition of the church newsletter, "Hebron Herald", are ready for pickup today in the vestibules.

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING -- Hebron will host the annual Souper bowl of Caring on Sunday, Jan. 28 in the Fellowship Hall immediately following morning worship. The cost of admission is a freewill cash donation. Proceeds will go to the Verona Food Pantry. No canned goods, please.

2018 OFFERING ENVELOPES are now available for pick-up on the table in the Session room. Please pick up yours today, and thank you for continuing to support Hebron.

PASTOR TO BE OUT – Pastor Frank will still be away through Jan. 10. If you have a pastoral emergency while Pastor Frank is away, please contact the church office or a member of Session, and they will secure pastoral assistance for you.

ANNUAL REPORT – The Annual Meeting of the Congregation of Hebron Presbyterian Church will be held Sunday, Feb. 4, immediately following morning worship. The 2018 Budget and the Annual Report to the congregation will be presented, and the congregation will act on the pastor's terms of call. All committee chairs are reminded that information for the Annual Report must be submitted to the church office (myhebronpc@gmail.com) no later than Sunday, Jan. 21. Earlier is better.

JANUARY 14 WORSHIP – New elders will be installed as members of the class of 2020 of the Session. Incoming elders are Charles Buchanan, Lorrie Dean, Theresa Moore, and Doug Trimble. Special thanks go to outgoing elders Mike Fallin, Scott Martin, David Obenschain, Martha Sieck, and Anita Tuttle for their years of service.

YESTERDAY, JANUARY 6, was the Day of Epiphany. Epiphany is a Greek word that means "to appear" or "to manifest," because it is the day the Christian Church commemorates the appearance or manifestation of Jesus to the Gentiles when the infant was visited by the Magi (the Wise Men or Astrologers). The Christmas season on the Church Calendar ends on Jan. 5, which is the 12th day of Christmas, so the day of Epiphany marks the turn into the season of Ordinary Time, which lasts until Ash Wednesday and the beginning of Lent. This year Ash Wednesday is Feb 14, and Easter is April 1.

CHRISTMAS JOY OFFERING – We will continue to receive the Christmas Joy Offering throughout the Christmas season, which lasts through Jan. 5 (the Twelve Days of Christmas). The Christmas Joy offering (formerly the Joy Gift) supports retired ministers, missionaries and other church workers and their spouses, whose retirement funds are insufficient for their needs. The offering also supports racial/ethnic colleges affiliated with the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Joy Offering envelopes are in the vestibules.