

# COMMUNITY OF FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## Scriptures for Sunday, December 27

Isaiah 61:10—62:3  
Psalm 148  
Galatians 4:4–7  
Luke 2:22–40

## In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Nancy Ziegler  
Betty Murphy  
Ruth Roeber  
The McDermott family  
Johanna Willis  
Nita Kleier  
Jean Jennings' family  
Emille Walden  
Kelly Montana  
Lynda Jaeger  
Sandi Brown  
Kittie Dupps  
Skip Dixon & Family

### Upcoming Worship Services:

We are continuing to worship from home. You can livestream the Sunday worship services at 10:30am through the COF Facebook page or by joining the conference call. If you have any questions about how to join our services remotely, please feel free to contact us.

### Advent Bible Study:

Join Rev. Sharon for an Advent Zoom Study on Wednesdays at 7:00pm. Use this link to join the meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4182893102>

### Christmas Eve Service:

Mark your calendars for this year's Christmas Eve Service. We will worship together via Zoom, Facebook Live, and Conference call on December 24 at 7:00pm.

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4182893102>

### Advent Giving Opportunities:

As they are every year, our Advent giving opportunities are important in the life of the church, and in the lives of those in need. These include the PCUSA Joy Gift offering, Buckhorn, the Giving Tree, and Be Concerned (In addition to Nicaragua, mentioned below). Your Mission team suggests that we concentrate our giving on these known causes and non-profit organizations, with which we have had strong ties for many years. We invite you to contribute to one, two, three, or all of these causes. They are: Joy Gift offering (one of the 4 "special" annual offerings to the PCUSA); Buckhorn, the children's home with locations in Kentucky and Ohio; the Giving Tree, which provided gifts to disadvantaged children in the Ludlow community; and BeConcerned, a food bank, serving Covington and Kenton County. We also hope that you won't forget Nicaragua, helping our mission partner, CEPAD, to provide emergency relief to rural communities, ravaged by the twin hurricanes. Donate by sending your checks, with the selected cause(s) on the memo line to the church. Or, give online by Control-clicking on the GIVE NOW button, on the COF web page or Facebook page. Choose the "Other" giving category, online, and indicate which of the cause(s) you've selected, or all of them, in a note.