BETHEL FRIENDS CHURCH

December 25, 2016

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. **Worship at 10:30 a.m.**

1491 W 600 S, Jonesboro, IN 46938
Website: www.bethelfriends.net Facebook: "Bethel Friends Church"

Merry Christmas

WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude		Janelle Keith
Welcome		Dave Steinke
Announcements		Mike Brown
Christmas Story according to the Gospel of Luke		Dave & Jill Steinke
Worship with Tithes and Offerings		
Prayer		Greg Thompson
Offertory		Janelle Keith
Special Music		John Carter
Video	*The Little Drummer Boy*	
Christmas Message		Dave Steinke Interim Pastor
Closing Hymn	*O Come All Ye Faithful*	Jill Steinke
Benediction		David Steinke

WELCOME GUESTS! Your presence is a blessing for us. We hope you feel at home as we celebrate the Lord's love together. Please sign our guest book at the foot of the stairs before you leave. Thank you!

PRAYER & PRAISE

- Please pray for the Thornburg Family as they seek what God has in store for them.
- Prayers for Cordy Dennis. He is recovering at home from a major heart attack.
- Please pray for M&O & the whole congregation as we transition into new pastoral responsibilities. Pray that all will continue to seek the Lord's leading as we move forward.
- Prayers for Billy and Alberta Wimmer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monthly Meeting Rescheduled – The monthly meeting will be held Dec 28, Wednesday, at 6:30 pm.

Food Drive - The Missions Committee Food Drive for December will benefit the Grant County Rescue Mission. A large blue barrel is in the foyer to receive your non-perishable contributions.

Prayer, Support and Needs - During Randy's Sabbatical, contact Greg Thompson, (765) 860-1569, for all prayer needs, concerns and prayer chain requests. Greg's e-mail is greglisathompson@att.net.

Exercise Group - meeting on Monday and Thursday at **5:00 pm**. Using walking exercise videos Leslie Sansone. Contact Mary Ellen Smith or Karen Brown for more info.

Bethel Weekly Newsletter - Art & Janice Hanes will be publishing the Weekly Newsletter during Randy's sabbatical. Please e-mail any items you want in the newsletter to them by Tuesday evening. Their email is artjan1961@gmail.com.

Calendars for 2017 (wall and pocket) are now available. See display in the hallway for pricing. Proceeds are for the Mission Committee.

Bulletin Information - Please send items for the bulletin to Duane Church, dacin53@aol.com. You can also text info to 765-674-5301.

LOOKING AHEAD

- ***Dec 28 – Monthly Meeting 6:30 pm***
- *Jan 1 – Sunday school 9:30am, Worship Service 10:30am*
- *Jan 1 - after service, Un-decorate the Church*
- *Jan 8 – Donut Sunday, before Sunday school*
- *Jan 8 - Sunday school 9:30am, Worship Service 10:30am*
- *Jan 15 - Sunday school 9:30am, Worship Service 10:30am*
- *Jan 15 – Loose Change offering*
- *Jan 15 – after service, Carry In Meal*
- *Jan 15 – Monthly Meeting after Carry In Meal*

For to us a child is born,
to us a Son is given,
and the government will be
on His shoulders.

And He will be called
Wonderful Counselor,
Mighty God,
Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace.
Isaiah 9:6 NIV

Bethel Friends Church… Sharing God's Love
Thru Worship, Encouragement, and Service!