

# Church of Christ

## Rocketdyne Road

*“Every member a minister...through service”*

DECEMBER 9, 2012

There was also a prophetess,  
Anna . . . she never left the  
temple but worshipped  
night and day, fasting and  
praying.      Luke 2:36-37





Evelyn Martin has returned to Gran Villa and is doing much better. Marlene Ehrhart is at Seneca House. Rodney Whorton is having a lot of pain and will see his doctor this week. Pray for our homebound, our widows and live-alones, those on our sick list and for all our brothers & sisters.



The Junior and Senior Youth Groups are working together again this year to bless several families with food baskets for the holiday season. All donations of food and money need to be in today so they can go shopping. Holiday baskets will be assembled Wednesday evening.

### Baby Dedication

Beginning this year, we will have an annual Baby Dedication Ceremony for all babies born during the year. This will be held in January of each year. If your baby was born in 2012, we need you to supply the following; parents' names, baby's name & date of birth, a quote from you stating something special about your baby (cute actions or things he/she does or says, etc.). Also we need several pictures of your baby from birth to present age. Pictures can be emailed to Bob at bob@cableone.net or you can give him a photo to scan. Because this is our first year, if your baby was born before January 2012 and you would like to participate in this baby dedication, please feel free to do so.



Our annual holiday dinner is today immediately after morning services. Everyone is invited to stay for some good food and fellowship.

### New Address

Julia Lewis' new address is P.O. Box 88, Salem, MO 65560 and her phone number is 573-729-6640. Julia is in a nursing home and the phone rings at the desk. Julia asks that we continue to pray for her.



### Ornament Exchange

All ladies of the congregation are invited to our annual Christmas Ornament Exchange on Friday, December 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. Bring a wrapped Christmas ornament (under \$10) to exchange and a finger food to share. We will have an evening full of fun, laughs, and fellowship. If you have any questions, call Shawna Whorton at 479-721-5094.



- Curtis Cullen**
- Haylie Culp**
- Nathan Culp**
- Dustin Elder**
- Eric Feldman**
- Shane Pogue**
- Travis Taylor**

Neosho Public Schools  
 Character Trait For December  
**CARING**  
 Being supportive and responding to the needs  
 of others with kindness and compassion

# Breakfast with Santa!



Children, come have breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 15, from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. There will be games, breakfast, stories, and of course, Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus will be here!

Adults and teens – help is needed. If you can help in anyway - reading stories, playing games, handing out crayons, or cooking breakfast – we need you! Please see Carol Kruse or Shawna Whorton.



## Sunday

December 16  
5 PM

Everyone is invited to join us as we go caroling.

No singing practice next Sunday.

## Imagination Station Needs

We are in need of shoe boxes, any size, in Imagination Station. Please give them to Mi Mi Lu or put them in the Imagination Station room. Thank you.

## Food Basket Brigade

We have been asked to help with the Food Basket Brigade again this year. Help is needed at the old Auto Tech building at 629 N. College on Saturday, December 15, from 6:30 am til 2:30 pm to distribute the baskets.

**2013 Pocket Calendars are in the family room.**



**No Leaf Raking Today**

**Teen Christmas Party** - December 16 - 7 to 11 pm  
Progressive Dinner and white elephant gift exchange. Need hosts for dinner. See Tye.

## Thank You

Thanks so much for the many prayers sent my way and the beautiful flower. In Christian Love, Betty Watson

# Imagination Station

**GOD IS MOVING AMONG  
HIS CHILDREN!**

Last Sunday we had a total of **38** children.

Thank you Auntie Ren and Aunt Laura for a puppet skit on Jonah. Everyone was very excited.

Join us this week. Auntie Tee, Aunt Sheri, and Aunt Marla will have our lessons.

See you in worship  
Mi Mi Lu and Pa Pa H

Always remember  
**JESUS LOVES THE LITTLE CHILDREN**  
and we are His children.  
We love you too!

*Workers for next week:*  
*Security - Randy Bass*  
*Teachers - Pete & Shelba Ramon*  
*Helpers - Karen Pyron, Logan Stark,*  
*Coda Lumpkins, Hailey Ellis, Peri Reagan,*  
*Dale Naden, Bryceton Martin, Andrew Jones*

**Assignments**  
**Sunday, December 9, 2012**

**Morning Worship**

Prayer .....Warren Cagle  
 Shepherd's Prayer .....Jack Stafford

**Lord's Table**

**Prayers:** Jeff Denefrio

Cletus Green, Al Beaver  
 Don Johnston, Ryan Denefrio  
 Jim Pollick, Jerry Cox  
 Coda Lumpkins, Mike Smith

**Next Sunday**

Prayer .....Gary Cohu  
 Table Prayers ....David Carriger  
 Shepherd's Prayer .....Ray Stipp

**Lord's Table For Next Sunday**

Doug DeVoe, Myron Lessman  
 Taylor Hendrick, Clark Francisco  
 Bryce Beeson, David Wells  
 Lonnie Swaffar, Andrew Jones

**Wednesday, December 12**

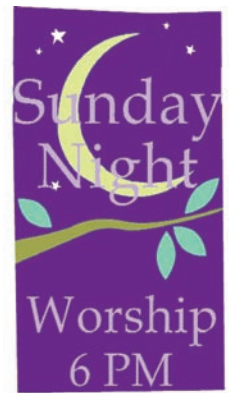
Song Leader...Jimmie Douglass  
 Prayer .....Jim Murray



**Singing Practice**  
**Tonight At 5:30**

with  
**Jimmie Douglass**  
**Matt Engels**  
 and  
**Wade Williams**

**Join Us For**



**Our Elders**

Kenneth Cope  
 Jerry Davis  
 Clyde Hopper  
 David Hutchings  
 Ben Lane  
 Earl Reynolds  
 Jack Stafford  
 Ray Stipp

**Our Deacons**

Randy Bass  
 Jonathan Davis  
 Myron Lessman  
 Brian Lewis  
 Brent Marion  
 Kael Powers  
 Pete Ramon  
 Jon Reagan  
 Rod Whorton  
 Rick Wolfe  
 Alan Woodward

**Our Ministers**

Denny Kruse  
 Ralph Madill  
 Tye Zola

**GREETERS**  **SCHEDULE**

*December 16*  
 Team 3


**Fair Haven**

**Pantry Needs**  
 Hot Chocolate Mix



*December 9*  
 Gwen Hopper, Theresa Widener

*December 16*  
 Renee` & Breanna Lewis



**FAMILY GATHERINGS**

**Sunday Morning Bible Study .....9:30**  
**Sunday Morning Worship .....10:30**  
**Sunday Evening Singing Practice .....5:30**  
**Sunday Evening Worship .....6:00**  
**Wednesday Evening Bible Study .....7:00**

**Our Purpose**

**To praise and glorify God**  
**To spread the gospel of Jesus Christ**  
**To show our love by serving each other**  
**and the world**