

Everett King in hospital  
Luke at Falconer School (Becky Sprague)  
Jill Chase's Aunt Rosie  
Unspoken Request  
Peg Naetzker  
Everett Bensink  
Jim and Rose Hunt  
Doug Hay  
Kelly Mersch (Kathy Foulk's friend's husband)  
Sophia Gravel and her family  
Brian VanDewark (Pastor Warren's brother)  
Gary & Lynn Freedmon (Thea's friends)  
Kathy Peck  
Wilma Taylor  
Jean Vanderkooi  
Iona Burkholder  
Bob Rauh (Sherry Joslyn)  
Brenton Stienbar (born 2/3/15-friend of Jeff I)  
Sean Ferry (Lisa Waller's bro-in-law)  
Mike Moran (Cindy C's cousin)  
Brian Rounds (co-worker of Karen Morton)  
Grant Damon (home now, but still needs prayer)  
David Dole  
Jean Becker  
Matt Harp  
Jonah Gruber  
Steve Hook  
Rick Hinger  
Adam Kester

Donna & George Peterson  
Ricky Eggleston  
Sara W.  
Fred Briggs (Brother of Terry Badgley)  
Mary Ann Raber

**District Focus:** The Centerville United Methodist Church. Pastor Bob Schooley, his wife Karen and their family.

Prayers for troubled marriages  
Church Growth and Vision Team  
Tender Loving Care Small Groups/Leaders

Tanglewood Manor – Kathy Smith, 235  
Corry Manor – Jean Trisket, C44



NEW MEMBER  
*Celebration!*

*Ministry Team Staff*

Rev. Steven Taylor - Lead Pastor  
Pastor Daniel Landin - Associate Pastor of Youth and Family Ministries  
Debbie Johnson - Ministry Coordinator/  
Administrative Assistant  
Julie Nagel - Music Director/Accompanist  
Krista Odell - Accompanist  
Jody Marsh - Parish Nurse  
Robert Burkholder - Custodian  
Pastor Steve's Office Hours  
Monday - Wednesday 9:00 am - noon  
Pastor Dan's Office Hours  
Mon & Fri 9 am - noon, Wed 9 am - 11 am

*Mark Your Calendars . . .*

**Dec 13** Christmas Party at the Parsonage 5-7p  
**Dec 20** Christmas Musical @ 10:15a & 4:00p  
**Dec 24** Christmas Eve Celebrations @ 4p & 11p  
**Dec 25** Merry Christmas!  
**Jan 1** Happy New Year!

Visit our online calendar at:  
[www.panamaumc.org](http://www.panamaumc.org)

# Welcome!

## MISSION STATEMENT OF THE PANAMA UMC

*"We seek to love the Lord God by introducing people to His Son Jesus Christ and helping these relationships to grow."*

## PRIMARY GOALS OF THE PANAMA UMC

1. Helping people turn away from a life of self-rule and becoming fully-devoted followers of Jesus Christ.
2. Equipping devoted Christ-followers to be effective at sharing their faith so they can lead others into a life-giving relationship with God.

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*Growing people in Christ.*

*Love*  
REVEALED

**...To Give Life**

**John 1:1-18**

December 6, 2015

## This Morning's Worship

- \*Gathering and Greeting  
(Please sign the Fellowship Book in your row)
  - \*Opening Praise Songs with Advent Candle Lighting Praise Team
  - Children's Moment Pastor Steve
  - Giving our Tithes and Offerings
  - Message Pastor Steve  
Love Revealed  
...to Give Life  
John 1:1-18
  - Invitation to the Water Come to the Water  
Celebration Choir/Congregation
  - Baptism and New Members
  - Holy Communion
  - Announcements
  - \*Closing Song Everlasting God
  - Sending Us Out
- \*Stand as you are able

### Reflection Questions:

1. Which do you find most challenging—Regarding, Recognizing, or Receiving the Word?
2. How can the discipline of waiting help you grasp who Jesus is and the life He offers?
3. Which do you most need to do right now—Submit, Stay Close, or Speak about Jesus?



### Advent Season Community Blessing

via our White Gift Fund  
From now through December 20th,  
all gifts to the White Gift Fund will be used to help those in need in our community. Please be in prayer for this special ministry.

## Worship-Related Announcements



### Welcome Visitors!

Make sure you receive a gift from the greeter and fill out an information card

### Serving in Our Nursery

Thank you for caring for children during worship!

#### This week:

**Birth-2** Julia Nelson & Betsy Eggleston  
**3-4 year olds:** Stacy Taylor & Kelly Osborne

#### Next week:

**Birth-2:** Buck & Kristine Seekings  
**3-4 year olds:** Adam & Tory Irgang

### Sunday Flowers

Congratulations and Welcome New Members & Newly Baptized Brother & Sister From Barb Tordella

Please sign up on the 2015 flower calendar if you would like flowers to honor a loved one or celebrate a special occasion.

### Wireless Internet

Network: pumc  
Password: 7824031abc

### Stewardship Corner

Thank you!  
Offering last week:  
\$4071.

Needed for 2015 ministry spending:  
\$5,826 per week

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## This Week in Ministry December 6 - 13, 2015

<b>TODAY</b>	<b>9:00</b>	<b>Blood Pressures &amp; Fasting Blood Sugars in Jody's office</b>	
	9:00 a 10:15 a	Sunday School Worship! <b>Welcome New Members &amp; Newly Baptized Brother &amp; Sister!</b> <b>Lunch after Worship</b> Grief Share in the Library	
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>11:30 p</b> 4:00 p	God's Groceries Food Pantry Cub Scouts with Marge Vollmer God's Groceries Food Pantry Prayer & Praise Meeting	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>3:30 p</b> 6:00 p 7:00 p 7:00 p 7:30 p	<b>Adult Bible Study at Jean Edwards</b> Praise Team Practice Celebration Choir Rehearsal Youth Group Christmas Musical Rehearsal	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>4:00 p</b>	<b>Connections Family Dinner</b>	
<b>SUNDAY</b>	9:00 a 10:15 a 4:00 p <b>5:00 p</b>	Sunday School Worship! Grief Share in the Library <b>through 7:00 p Christmas Party at the Parsonage "Pizzas Around the World!"</b>	

**Please order your Christmas Poinsettias.**

**Today's the last day to sign up!**



### *Missions and Outreach Announcements...* **God's Groceries Food Pantry**

Questions, contact Tabby Butler or call the office at 782-4031. Tina & Craig Swineford & Paige Weise will serve on Monday.

### Our Church Library!

Please return any items you've had out for some time!

