

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

If you wish to provide a poinsettia for our Christmas Eve Services ... please fill out the form below and place it in the offering plate or mail to the church office (PO Box 226), **along with your check.** We are purchasing the poinsettias from London Florist. **DEADLINE for placing your order is Tuesday, November 7, 2023.** We will order a variety of colors for the Christmas season. Or, you can make a memorial gift to the Generation to Generation Fund.

6" Potted POINSETTIA ORDERS

Given in Honor Of:

Given in Memory Of:

to be picked up after 7:30 service: _____ # to be donated: _____

TOTAL # _____ poinsettias ordered X \$14.00 each for a total of \$_____

Given By:

_____ Phone: _____

SPECIAL GIFT FOR GENERATION TO GENERATION FUND

Given in Honor Of:

Given in Memory Of:

Amount Enclosed: \$_____

Given By:

_____ Phone _____

ANNOUNCEMENTS



**November 5, 2023
First Presbyterian Church
London, Ohio**

IMPORTANT DATES

Nov. 5: Deacons meeting following the worship service
Nov. 8: Stewardship Commission meeting
Nov. 9: Mission Committee meeting / Nominating Committee meeting
Nov. 12: Dedication Sunday. Please have your pledge cards and Time & Talent sheets in by the 12th. Thank you.
Nov. 10 & 13: Church office closed

SISTERS IN THE LORD

The next gathering will be on Saturday, November 11, from 1-3:00 pm. It will be held at St. Paul AME, 11 W. Center Street, London.

This is an ecumenical gathering of women who come together to share the love of God through scripture, prayer, witnessing, music, and sharing a meal provided by the host.

For more information, contact Joyce Lloyd at 740-852-4229.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING & POTLUCK

There will be a congregational meeting on **Sunday, November 19**. Following this meeting, there will be a potluck in Fellowship Hall. Drinks and table service will be provided. Please bring your favorite dish to share.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

This is the last opportunity to order your Christmas poinsettias. Your order needs to be in by **this Tuesday, November 7**. The order form can be found on the back of the announcements.

HELP NEEDED TO DECORATE THE CHURCH

Advent begins on Sunday, December 3.

Following the worship service on Sunday, November 26, the church will be decorated in preparation for Advent. If you have an hour or so to spare, please join us and help decorate the church. The more hands we have, the faster it will go.

Thank you!

PRAYER LINE

All requests to be submitted to Shelley Jones at shelley.j.jones8@gmail.com or 614-425-7570.

Due to privacy issues, please make sure any prayer request is with consent of the person concerned. Let the pastor know when her presence is needed. If you wish to have prayer concerns lifted during the worship service, please email the church office.

HELP HOUSE MEAL ON NOVEMBER 20

The church is hosting the Loving Kindness meal for 150 on November 20, 2023.

The following donations and volunteers are needed:

11 boxes Little Debbie Oatmeal Cookies (regular size)

17 pounds of penne pasta,

6 institutional size cans green beans

3-4 SERVERS 2:00-4:30 (in church Narthex).

Notify Debbie Blaho if you want to help (email dblaho@columbus.rr.com or call (614) 736-5126). Please have donations to the church by November 12. Thank you.

WELCOME TABLE MEAL

The next Welcome Table meal will be on Thursday, December 7. Currently, about 100 meals are being served. The following is needed for this meal:

Marzetti casserole (see enclosed recipe)

Salad

Garlic Bread

Any dessert.

It is best to use a disposable pan. The food will need to be delivered to the St. Paul AME Church, located at 11 W. Center St., London, between 4:30-5:00 PM. Thank you for your continued support. ~Dolly McDonley

RAIDERS' RACK, SUFFICIENT GRACE, US TOGETHER

As the hustle and bustle of the upcoming holidays start to take your focus, don't forget about our missions during the holidays. The needs for each of these can be found by the tubs set up in the Narthex.

If you are able, please consider adding an item from the lists to your holiday shopping list. Thank you for your continuing support.