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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|   |   |  |  |  |  **1** **5:30 Lottie Moon Christmas Dinner/Auction**  **at Maple Knoll!****6 Caring Hands**  |  **2**  **10:30 Springfield Twp.**  **Winterfest Parade** **and Booths! Local**  **Missions Opportunity** **Fellowship Hall Reserved** **for Dalton Family Event** |
|  39:15 Bible Study (CHURCH  BUDGET VOTE)10:30 Worship10:45 Kids’ Own Worship12 Deacon Meeting |  **4****6:30 Manday Monday****7 Ridgewood Bible Study** **PARTY!**  |  **5** **2:30 Baldwin Grove Study****6:30 Ladies’ Study at Lisa’s****6:30 Finance Team****6:30 Affinity Bible Study**  **PARTY!** |  **6****9:30 Ridgewood Shopping****4:30 Reserve Bible Study****6:30 PRAYER****7 Choir Cantata at Maple**  **Knoll Chapel** |  **7** **7 Nominating Team** | **8****6 Caring Hands PARTY!** | **9** |
| 9:15 Bible Study 1010:30 Worship10:45 Kids’ Own Worship 12 Deacon Meeting12:30 God’s Blessings Class  Party at Golden Corral!5 Church Council |  **11** **1 Sweetheart Café Lunch** **6:30 Manday Monday****7 Ridgewood Bible Study** |  **12** **11:15 Robinson Family**  **Kentucky Jamboree** **6:30 Ladies’ Study at Lisa’s****6:30 Finance Team** |  **13****9:30 Ridgewood Shopping****4:30 Reserve Bible Study****6:30 PRAYER****7:30 Choir at Mt. Healthy** **Village** |  **14** |  **15** **6 Caring Hands** |  **16****10-12 FOOD PANTRY**  |
|  17 9:15 Bible Study10:30 Worship/Christmas  Cantata NO Kids’ Own Worship5:00 Christmas Party |  **18****6:30 Manday Monday****7 Ridgewood Bible Study** |  **19****2:30 Baldwin Grove Study****6:30 Ladies’ Study at Lisa’s** |  **20** **9:30 Ridgewood Shopping****11-2 Fellowship Hall**  **Reserved****4:30 Reserve Bible Study****6:30 PRAYER** |  **21** |  **22****6 Caring Hands** |  **23** |
|  24 9:15 Bible Study10:30 Christmas AMCandlelight Service10:45 Kids’ Own Worship31 |  **25****MERRY CHRISTMAS!** |  **26****2:30 Baldwin Grove Study** |  **27**  |  **28**  |  **29** **6 Caring Hands**  |  **30**  |

 **DECEMBER 2017**

**Happy December Birthdays! 1st Betty Jean Roeder; 7th Marbeth Carmack; 8th Heather Lingen, Ron Myers;**  **9th Janie Davis; 14th Oliver McFarland, Harry Sanford; 15th Naomi Kabbes, Osa**

 **Obasogie; 17th Pam Rearigh; 18th Dwayne Towles; 22nd Jennifer Carpenter; 30th Mika Rearigh**

**Sunday, December 3** \*We vote on our 2018 church budget this morning prior to worship.

**Sunday, December 10** \*Church Council meets tonight in fellowship hall. Please let Daryl Davis (379-7521) know by Friday, December 8, of any agenda items you would like to have

 included.We’ll also have an informal party during our meeting. Please bring any snack item you’d like to share.

\*God’s Blessings Sunday School Class will have a Christmas party at Golden Corral today following worship.

**Sunday, December 17** \*Our choir performs its Christmas cantata this morning during worship.

**Sunday, December 24** \*We will have a candlelight service this morning during our regular worship service time. (There will be no church services on Christmas Day.)

**Mondays**  \*Men of all ages meet weekly at church for Bible study, accountability and brotherhood in fellowship hall. It’s never too late to jump in!

**Monday, December 4** \* Jim Sowder’s Bible study group at Ridgewood celebrates Christmas with a party this evening.

**Monday, December 11** \*Our Better Half folks (age 50 plus) meet for lunch on the second Monday of each month at the Sweetheart Café.

**Tuesdays** \*Lisa Warmack (315-6875) hosts a weekly Bible study in her Finneytown home (8505 Mockingbird Lane) for ladies of any age.

**Tuesday, December 5** \*Sandy Sowder’s Bible study group at Affinity Place celebrates Christmas with a party this evening.

**Tuesday, December 12** \*Our Better Half folks enjoy the popular Robinson Family Kentucky Jamboree Christmas luncheon show in Erlanger today.

 \*The Finance Team meets this evening in the library.

**Wednesdays** \*Ron Robbins’ Wednesday night “*Story Through the Bible”* class will not meet in December, but will conclude on Wednesday, January 6.

**Wednesday, December 6** \*Our choir presents its Christmas cantata tonight at Maple Knoll Retirement Community in Springdale. All are welcome to come and listen!

 **\*We now have a dedicated time to meet for PRAYER each Wednesday night at 6:30 in the sanctuary. If we are faithful to pray, God is faithful to answer. We need**

 **Him. Please join us!**

**Thursday, December 7** \*The Nominating Team meets this evening in the library.

**Fridays** \*Here’s something for our crafters! Caring Hands meets weekly to knit, crochet or do other crafts to help those in need (nursing home residents,

 pregnancy care centers, cancer patients, shut-ins, etc. All items will be personally delivered with a handmade card, a Bible, church information, and a prayer. Can’t

 crochet or knit? They can teach you! They meet in fellowship hall. Questions? Contact Jackie Goss (570-3956).

**Friday, December 1** \*Tonight we have our annual Christmas dinner and (hilarious!) auctionto raise dollars for the SBC International Mission Board’s Lottie Moon offering. We

 meet at 5:30 for a wonderful seafood buffet ($23.04 per person) and the event in a private room. Reservations are required, and are as simple as contacting Betty

 Jean Roeder(522-1957).

**Friday, December 8** \*The Caring Hands group celebrates Christmas with a party tonight.

**Saturday, December 2** \*Springfield Township has invited our church to participate in its annual Winterfest with a parade (our bus will be involved) during which we can distribute tracts

 and Bibles (you read that right!), and with a fun booth. Please contact Jackie Goss (570-3956) for more information.

**Saturday, December 16** \*We need help with our Food Pantry this month. It is before Christmas, so we will be especially busy! If you can help any time between 9 AM and noon, it would be

 appreciated.