

## Hopewell Baptist Church

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### Announcements

**Christmas Families:** The Christmas tree “ornaments” are up for you to choose the Christmas gift(s) you would like to purchase to help families in need this year. Purchases (unwrapped) to be collected by Dec. 16. See Stacy S. with questions.

**Christmas Flowers:** Poinsettia orders taken until Dec. 19. See flyer.

**Lottie Moon:** Collected all month. Please give generously to this important mission. Our Goal: \$1,100. To date: \$265

**Discipleship Training:** Class tonight at 7 p.m. We are studying Job chapters 22-24, and chapter 8 in our book, Be Patient. This covers Eliphaz’s third speech and Job’s reply.

**Women’s Bible Study:** Wonderful women’s fellowship and class on Genesis has ended. We will resume classes early in 2019.

**Wednesday:** Dinner (5:30 p.m. , see flyer), Bible Study (6:30 p.m.), Choir Practice (7:30 p.m.).

**Soldier Cards:** Please send a Christmas card to an injured soldier at: A Recovering American Soldier, c/o Walter Reed Army Med. Center, 6900 Georgia Ave, NW Washington, DC 20307-5001. Stella S. will have cards available in the Sunday School hall for those who cannot get out to get one. She will mail them once a week.

**Christmas Cards:** The boxes are up in the Sunday School hall for Christmas cards to our fellow church friends.

**Party:** Children & Youth Dec. 16 during SS.

**Open House:** Pastor and Audra would like to invite you to an Open House at their home on Saturday, Dec. 29. Just drop in anytime between 2 p.m.- 4 p.m. and share a cookie, cup of hot cocoa and some sweet fellowship.

## Sunday Morning Worship Service Dec. 9, 2018

*We are pleased you chose to worship with us this morning!*

### † **Gathering for Worship & Praise:**

Music Prelude.....Rhonda Boggs  
Welcome and Announcements.....CW Waldrop  
Advent Reading.....Mike and Lena York  
Call to Worship...*Angels From the Realms of Glory*  
*With Angels We Have Heard on High*.....Congregation

### † **Worshipping Him:**

Reading of Scripture.....Matthew Chapter 2.....Pastor Jeremy  
Prayer.....Pastor Jeremy  
\* Worship in Song.....*Mary, Did You Know*..... Congregation

All children are invited to participate in children’s church at this time.

Theme: “The Hope of Christmas”

Teacher: Marie W. Nursery: Amy B.

Please let your teacher know of any food allergies.

### † **Returning His Gifts:**

Prayer of Thanksgiving.....Timmy Douglas  
Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings  
\* Choral Response.....*Doxology*..... Congregation

### † **Hearing His Message for Us:**

In Song.....*Sing a Song of Christmas*.....Choir  
In Word.....”When Your Dream Becomes a Nightmare”  
.....Pastor Jeremy

### † **Responding to His Word:**

\* Invitation Song.....*The First Noel*.....Congregation  
(You are loved by Jesus and by the Hopewell Family. Answer His call upon your heart.)  
\* Closing.....Pastor Jeremy  
\* Music Postlude.....Rhonda Boggs