



# The Voice

## Connecticut Valley Church of Christ

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### December 27, 2009 Worship Today

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| <b>Sermon</b>            | Unto Us a Child is Born<br>Frank Buck |
| <b>Coordinator</b>       | Garrett Cogswell                      |
| <b>Scripture</b>         | Luke 2:1-21<br>Dennis Brown           |
| <b>Communion</b>         | Mike Gilliland                        |
| <b>Prayer</b>            | Garrett Cogswell                      |
| <b>Wintonbury</b>        | Cari Merrick                          |
| <b>Nursery</b>           | Sue Buck                              |
| <b>Building Clean Up</b> | Julie Georges, Gillilands             |

### Sunday Sermon

#### Unto Us a Child is Born

Small Groups ...

Information regarding the Small Groups will be presented today. Please be in prayer about this important aspect of our body life.

Thank you !

Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind, and love your neighbor as yourself. Matthew 22:37-39

Jesus is Lord Authority of Scripture Importance of Baptism Spirit of Unity

### Pantry Needs

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| Tuna  | Canned Meats     | Cooking Oil     |
| Cookies                                     | Crackers         | Cake/Cookie Mix |
| Laundry Detergent                           | Granulated Sugar |                 |
| Grocery cards can be given to Linda Kiebish |                  |                 |

*Prayer Request:* Please be praying for Ruth's healing and rehab process—we want her to be able to be with us on January 10th for the Golden Girls of Faith celebration!!

#### What's New on the CVCC Website?

Several new items have been added to the website including streaming audio of Tom Robinson's class and sermon on Women's Roles, as well as a new page highlighting our various Missions involvement.

#### The Golden Girls of Faith Celebration January 10

Time is running out .... Give you reflections or words of encouragement for these ladies to Cari Merrick by December 30th!

Remember to turn in items for the Voice and necessary Sunday announcements to the office before NOON Thursday each week.

Contribution for December 20, 2009: -  
 Weekly Budget for 2009: \$2,381.20

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| <b>Our Shepherds</b>   | <b>Minister</b>  | <b>Ministry Leaders</b>   |
| Frank Buck   | Sam Garner<br>samjgarner@gmail.com<br>Cell: 860.992.8050                     | Adult Education - Katherine Trumbull<br>Benevolence - Jeri Erman<br>Body Life - Paula Brown<br>Children & Youth - Sam Garner<br>Facilities - Henry Karas<br>Missions - Mike & Pennie Gilliland<br>Outreach - Julie Georges<br>Small Groups - Mike Gilliland<br>Worship - Sam Garner |
| Gary Burke   | <b>Church Administrator</b>  |   |
| Ken Erman  | Jeri Erman   |   |
| Steve Schneider  | office@ctvalleychurch.org  |   |
| Steve Webb   | Office No: 860.683.0591  |   |
| Sunday Morning:<br>9:30 am - Bible Classes for all ages<br>10:45 am- Worship | Wednesday Evening:<br>6:00 pm – Meal<br>7:00 pm - Bible Classes for all ages |   |

# What's Happening

- December 30th: Meal 6 pm, Devotional 7 pm (no kids classes)
- January 3rd: LTC Student & Hotel Registration deadline
- January 10th: LTC Class 1-3 pm (after meal) - All Art work due
- January 10th: Golden Girls of Faith Celebration
- January 17th: LTC Class 1-3 pm
- January 24th: LTC Class 1-3 pm
- January 29th: Kids Game Night—6:30 pm
- January 31st: LTC Class 1-3 pm
- January 31st: Singing at Avon Health Center 2 pm

## *Save the Date:*

- February 6th: Men's Breakfast
- February 7th: Super Bowl Party @ the Schneider's
- March 6th: Guess Who's Coming to Dinner Party
- March 6th: Leading Small Groups Seminar 9 am—2 pm
- March 13th: New England Church Growth Conference
- March 20th: Women's Breakfast

## Wednesday Meal—December 30

**Linda Sallstrom**—looking for volunteers to bring salad or dessert. Please let Linda know if you are able to help.

## *Upcoming Ministry Group Meetings*

- December 30th: Outreach Ministry Prayer Meeting 6:20 pm
- January 6th: Benevolence Group Prayer Meeting 6:00 pm
- January 10th: Adult Education Ministry Group Meeting
- January 10th: Outreach Ministry Prayer Meeting 8:45 am
- January 17th: Small Group Leaders Meeting 12:30—1:00 pm
- January 24th: Body Life Ministry Group Meeting
- January 31st: Outreach Ministry Prayer Meeting 1:00 pm
- February 7th: Youth and Children Ministry Meeting
- February 20th: Outreach Ministry Prayer Meeting 6:20 pm
- February 21st: Small Group Leaders Meeting 12:30—1:00 pm
- March 7th: Ministry Group Leader's Meeting
- March 21st: Small Group Leaders Meeting 12:30—1:00 pm

## Window Replacement Building Project

Plans are underway for replacing windows in the building, starting with the offices, library and kitchen area. This may impact certain room usages at different times. We will be communicating regularly on how this may affect our time together as we go.

Additionally, we will be calling on you to help as needed for boxing up books in the library, moving items and painting after construction is completed.

If you have boxes that could be used for boxing books in the library, please bring them to the library.

Also, if anyone is willing to help with the process of putting the library back together, after the construction and painting is finished, please let the office know.

## *Singing at Avon Health Center*

We would like to get together a group to sing at Avon Health Center on JoEllen's birthday—Sunday afternoon, January 31st. Please make plans to be a part of this encouragement for JoEllen.

Let Linda Kiebish, Jeri Erman or Katherine know if you can participate.

Thank You!

## **New LTC Fundraiser!**

Bring your Bottles & Cans for Cash to help LTC trip expenses. A designated box will be in the kitchen area in the corner. See Ben Gilliland with any questions. Thank you for your help!

## **Postponed for now!**

The congregational breakfast that was scheduled for Saturday, January 2nd is being postponed to February.

New date and information coming soon!!