

SERMON NOTES

All Shall See

Luke 3:1-6

I.

God at Work

II.

We Need Saving

III.

Seeing...And Believing

IV.

God's Road Improvement Project

V.

The Voice

VI.

The Message

VII.

The Meaning

VIII.

What Will Be Your Response?

MINISTRY LEADERS

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Steve Branch

Pastor: Missions, Nurture &
Youth

Melanie Walk

Pastor: Music & Worship

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Pastor: Children & Families

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TO OUR GUESTS

Thank you for coming! We are glad that you have joined us for worship. You are encouraged to fill out a Connection Card found in the pew in front of you. Please place the card in the offering plate as it passes or bring to the Welcome Center following worship. If you are unable to stay after worship today, you may place your card in the Connection Box in the church foyer as you exit.

Please accept this service as a gift to you from the LaFayette family. The giving of tithes and offerings as a part of this worship experience is an opportunity to support the ministry and mission of LaFayette in response to God's faithfulness to us.

For our youngest guests, infants through kindergarten, Extended Teaching Care (ETC) is provided. Any of our ushers would be happy to assist you in locating the Preschool Area.

Following worship, we have a time of Bible Study for all age-groups. Preschool, children, and youth are in age-graded classes. Our adults have a variety of options depending on your preference. Our Welcome Center staff will be glad to assist you in finding your place. In the hallway behind the sanctuary, follow the crowd and you will see the "Welcome Center" on the left.

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Today in Worship

December 9, 2018

Announcements

Welcome and Prayer

LBC Choirs

Born is the King

Advent Wreath Lighting

Carolyn Shook and Friends

Old Testament and Gospel Readings:

Malachi 3:1-4 and Luke 1:68-79

Pew Bible Pages 676 and 724

Angels from the Realms of Glory

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Epistle Reading

Philippians 1:3-11

Pew Bible Page 830

O Little Town of Bethlehem

Worship Through Giving

LBC Choirs

I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day

Message

Dr. Ron Hinson

“All Shall See”

Luke 3:1-6

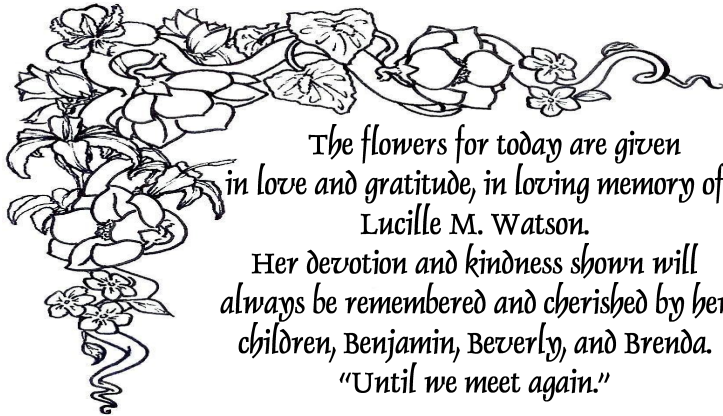
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Time of Commitment

God with Us

Closing Song

God with Us



*The flowers for today are given
in love and gratitude, in loving memory of
Lucille M. Watson.*

*Her devotion and kindness shown will
always be remembered and cherished by her
children, Benjamin, Beverly, and Brenda.
“Until we meet again.”*

- ❖ **Special thanks to Kelly Lewis, The Chapman Family, William Danforth, Steve Branch, Alton McEachern, John Kinstrey, Johnny Mabry, Charles Webster, and all who bought poinsettias or gave in any other way to make the Worship Center beautiful for this season.**
- ❖ **The Preschool Christmas Choir will continue their Christmas music rehearsals today at the end of Sunday School. They sing next Sunday in worship and need to report to B132 at 9:00am.**
- ❖ **The Children's Christmas Choir needs to meet upstairs at 4:30pm this afternoon to prepare for *Christ is Born*.**
- ❖ **Special Advent and Christmas Worship Opportunities: TODAY at 5:30pm LBC Choirs present *Christ is Born* followed by Soup and Sandwich Potluck; December 24th, 6:00 pm Christmas Eve Worship.**
- ❖ **Our Family Connections Class will meet this Wednesday from 6:30pm-7:30pm in the Multi-Purpose Room.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Minister on Call

December 9: April Coleman

December 14-16: Steve Branch

- ❖ **Extended Teaching Care** is for babies-Kindergarteners during the worship hour. Our volunteers for today are Babies-Younger Toddlers: Cathy White and Jan Hinson, Older Toddlers - Younger 4's: Suzanne Cox and Nicole Beamon, Pre-K/K: Matt Coleman, Elizabeth Hile, and Joseph Hile. This schedule is subject to change, and we are incredibly grateful for your service.
- ❖ **Sunday, December 16 at Noon there will be a brief meeting of all 2019 Teams (Personnel, Finance, and Maintenance) and Councils (Worship, Evangelism, Equipping, Missions, and Nurture) in the Worship Center.**
- ❖ **Cookie Swap: Sunday, December 16, at 5:00pm just before the Blanket Extravaganza.** Bake your best cookies and bring them to share with friends. Some of your cookies will be placed on a table to eat and share during the event and others will go on our packaging table to be wrapped and shared with someone you don't know. Please feel free to invite a friend to this event, sponsored by the Evangelism Council!
- ❖ **BLANKET EXTRAVAGANZA! Sunday, December 16, at 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall** - Our annual fellowship to make “no-sew” blankets for the Child Advocacy Center is set! The church will be purchasing some fleece but we ask that you bring your own as well so that we may have more blankets to donate. Remember that you need two pieces of fleece that are 1 & 1/4 yards. One should be a print and the other a solid coordinating color. You are welcome to bring goodies to share. There will be hot apple cider provided.
- ❖ **There will be a Called Church Conference on Sunday, December 16, at the close of worship for the purpose of affirming Deacon Candidates.**
- ❖ **All 2018 Contributions must be received by or post marked by 12-31-18.**
- ❖ **We are looking for our GriefShare curriculum. It was loaned out, and we are hoping to retrieve it. If you have it, or if you know who does, please let April know or return it to the church office. Thanks.**

Weekly General Fund Budget Needed: \$10,659.57
General Fund Received December 2, 2018: \$8,745.00

THIS WEEK AT LBC

TODAY-Sunday, December 9

- 8:45am Church-Wide Prayer Time, A121
- 9:30am Worship/Second Sunday of Advent
- 10:45am Bible Study for all Ages
Adults: In search of your group?
Come by the Welcome Center
Youth (7th-12th), Room U212
Children (1st-6th Grades), Classrooms
Preschoolers (Babies-Kindergarten) B Hallway Classrooms
- 5:30pm *Christ is Born!* followed with Soup and Sandwich Potluck; Worship Center, Fellowship Hall

Monday, December 10

- 7:00pm Evangelism Council Meeting, Multi-Purpose Room

Tuesday, December 11

- 6:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast, K&W Carolina Kitchen (Bordeaux Center)

Wednesday, December 12

- 10:30am Intercessory Prayer, Prayer Room
- 6:30pm Prayer and Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
Celebration Choir, Music Suite
Youth Mid-Week Workout, U210-U212
Connections for Children and Families, Multi-Purpose Room

Sunday, December 16

- 8:45am Church-Wide Prayer Time, A121
- 9:30am Worship/Third Sunday of Advent/Called Conference at Close of Worship for the Purpose of Affirming Deacon Candidates
- 10:45am Bible Study for all Ages
Adults: In search of your group?
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Youth (7th-12th), Room U212
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- 12noon 2019 Team/Council Organizational Day Meeting, Worship Center
- 5:00pm Cookie Swap, Fellowship Hall
- 5:30pm Blanket Extravaganza, Fellowship Hall

WC - Worship Center, MS - Music Suite, FH - Fellowship Hall PR - Prayer Room,
MP - Multi-Purpose Room, U - Upstairs
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