



# JOYFUL AND TRIUMPHANT



## FIRST THINGS FIRST

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

FROM THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF OIL CITY, PA

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**WORSHIP FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2016**

*Please join us for worship and fellowship!*

9:30 A.M. – Sunday School  
11:00 A.M. – Morning Worship  
Worship Assistant: Tom Huston  
Greeter/Usher Team: Chuck Long, Kim Braun



### DECEMBER ASSIGNMENTS

**COUNTING TEAM** - Dave Anderton, Captain; Mary Joyce Anderton, and Stan Coulter  
**FLOWER DELIVERY** - Lea Jolley  
**C.D. MINISTRY** – Michael Haney  
**TAXI** – *If you need a ride to church, just call Deacons Allan and Toni Sallade (676-3459)-- any time before 9:00 p.m. on Saturday.*  
**COMMUNION SET-UP** –Charlene Huber and Dawn Kerna  
**COMMUNION CLEAN-UP** – Sharon Haney and Douglas Crawford

### DECEMBER FLOWERS

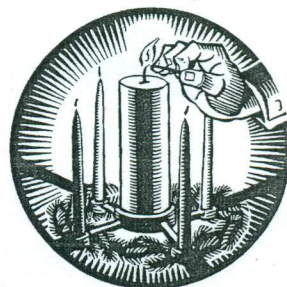
4 – In loving memory of **parents and friends** by Jim, Deanna, and Matt Caldwell  
11- In celebration of the birthdays this month of **Patty Feroz** and **Charlene Huber**  
17 and 24 - POINSETTIAS



Pastor Ronee's  
309 West 1<sup>st</sup> Street  
Sunday, December 18  
2-5 P.M.  
Everyone is  
cordially invited!!

## The Christmas Joy Offering

Throughout the Season of Advent, we will again be receiving contributions for the Christmas Joy Offering. This annual offering is a meaningful way to put the promise of the season into action by supporting two vital promises: to church workers through assistance in their time of need and to racial ethnic education and leadership development. Special envelopes may be found in the pew racks.



Christmas Eve  
5:30 P.M.  
Sacrament of  
Communion

### CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

## Stewardship Update

It is with grateful hearts that we thank you all for your continuous prayerful and financial support of Oil City First Church. At this writing, 56 pledge cards have been received totaling \$94,874.

If you are among those who have not yet returned your signed card, please take the time to complete it and return it to the church at your earliest convenience. With a commitment from each family, our budgeted goal can be reached.

Your Budget & Stewardship Committee

*"Freely you have received; freely give." (Matthew 10:8)*

