## December 14, 2014 Message: The Thrill Of Hope

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All I Want For Christmas Is To Know Jesus

We will be having Christmas Play Practice today during Children's Church and continuing until 1:30. We are also scheduled to have dress rehearsal this Saturday from 10am-12pm. Our Christmas Play will be next Sunday during church. Please invite all your friends and family to this special occaion. Thank you in advance!

## Lunch Bunch

The next Lunch Bunch will be today at The Cornerstone Café in Mount Gilead right after church. All are invited to attend.



Young at Heart will be meeting this Tuesday, the  $16^{th}$  at noon, here at the church.



Wacky Worship Wednesday's Theme this week will be "Happy Birthday Jesus Party" Come celebrate the real meaning for the season, the birth of our Savior! Our meal will be chili, baked potatoes and peanut butter sandwiches. Meal starts at 5:30 and worship is at 6:30. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

## **Prayer Requests:**

Thessalonians 5:16-18 Rejoice always; pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

- Please pray for Becky Kunze's brother, Rick King. He is in very bad shape and is in the hospital in Texas.
- Please pray for Duane Leonhard's grandma, Mary Wagner. She is in the ICU in Bucyrus with pneumonia.
- Please pray for Lisa Hildreth's Aunt Carol. She had bypass surgery on Tuesday. Also pray for Lisa's youngest son, Cory who got hit in the head at work and has a concussion.
- Please pray for Ken at OSU, who had lung surgery on Thursday.
- Please pray for Hope Miracle. She has been sick nearly two weeks now.
- Asking for prayer for Colby's best buds dad, Scott. He has a mass by his liver, doing tests to determine what it is.

Jennifer Riggs, a missionary from Ecuador, will be here on December 28<sup>th</sup> during Sunday School from 9-9:45am to give us some insight on her mission.



We would like to thank everyone that helped tear down Journey Thru Bethlehem and who also helped decorate for Christmas. Without all of you, we would not be able to do everything!

Health Concerns: Carissa Plough, Diane Fulk, Ann Cass, John Love, Marian Peterson, Clyde Perkins, Rick King, Vera Polk, Raney Giles, Mike Young, Sheila Beck, Trish Roush, Penny Etue **Prayer Requests:** 

\_\_\_\_for Pastor and Elders only \_\_\_\_for bulletin \_\_\_\_for prayer chain

I am a: \_\_\_\_regular visitor \_\_\_\_first time visitor \_\_\_\_\_new to the area

I would be interested in: \_\_\_Lunch with the leaders \_\_\_A call or visit from the pastor \_\_\_More information about Open Arms Christian Church

