

JOIN US FOR THE ADVENT SEASON

MEDITATIONS AT THE NATIVITY

Sunday, December 21 | 8:30am & 11:00am in the Sanctuary

A morning of meditation and joy as our Chancel Choir and guest musicians ring in the arrival of the Christ child.

JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM

Monday, December 22 | 1:00pm in the Sanctuary

All are invited to see the children perform what they learned on their journey!

BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Monday, December 22 | 5:30pm in the Chapel

All are invited to this brief service of grief and lament

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

Wednesday, December 24 | In the Sanctuary

4:00pm | Family-friendly service

Children help tell the Nativity story (no signup or preparation needed!). Candle lighting will include flameless candles.

7:00pm* & 11:00pm | Traditional candlelight service **Also live streamed on YouTube*

FIRST SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

Sunday, December 28 | 10:00am in the Sanctuary

JOIN OUR MUSIC MINISTRY

Contact cdixon@newnanfumc.org for more information.

Youth Ensemble and Choir: Ages 6th-12th Grade

Resumes Sunday, January 4 | 4:30pm and 5:00pm in the Choir Room

Joybells Adult Bell Choir

Resumes Monday, January 5 | 4:30-5:00pm in the Bell Room

Inspirations

Resumes Monday, January 5 | 5:45-6:45pm in the Choir Room

Chancel Choir

Resumes Wednesday, January 7 | 6:45-8:15pm in the Choir Room

Celebration Singers

Resumes Tuesday, January 13 | 9:30-10:30am in the Choir Room

Bellissimo Children Bell Choir

Resumes Wednesday, January 14 | 4:30pm in the Bell Room

Cherub Choir: Ages 4-1st Grade

Resumes Wednesday, January 14 | 5:00pm in Main Building Room 202

Carol Choir: Ages 2nd-5th Grade

Resumes Wednesday, January 14 | 5:00pm in the Choir Room

NEST

NEWNAN EMERGENCY SHELTER TEAM

SPECIAL OFFERING

NEST exists to provide shelter during inclement weather conditions, opening in the winter when the temperature is 32 degrees or below and offering a warm place to sleep, meals, laundry and showers.

NEST is operated by ReStart Coweta, an initiative aimed at ending homelessness in Coweta County through a coordinated, collaborative, and person-centered approach. Homelessness can affect anyone of any age and can be temporary or long term. Every person is unique. So is every journey. Homelessness is a complex, long-standing issue for which there are no easy fixes or one-size-fits-all solutions. That's why they're taking a different approach, with individualized 1-1 support to help clients achieve lifelong stability. We work closely with community agencies, nonprofit organizations, healthcare services and the community to extend support, trust, and practical solutions to those who need it most.

If you or someone you know is experiencing homelessness, reach out to admin@restartcoweta.org or call 678-203-5956.



You can give by placing cash or checks made out to ReStart Coweta (memo: NEST) in the offering plate as it's passed. You can also give directly to ReStart Coweta with a credit/debit card using the QR code.

Gentle reminder: People experiencing homelessness deserve to experience the type of love that goes to battle alongside them, not against them.

— Love Beyond Walls



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CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Andrew Chappell, Senior Pastor
Rev. Lisa Dempsey, Interim Pastor

Seth Crile, Facilities Manager
Dr. Caitlyn Dixon, Minister of Music
Janet Marie Gunnels, Communications Director
Patty Hall, Kitchen Hostess
Tiffany Hanson, Church Sexton
Carol Hartenbower, Administrative Assistant
Jodi Horne, Nursery Coordinator
Carrie Horsley, Church Sexton

Rev. Connor Bell, Associate Pastor

Bonnie Krider, Asst. Director of Music
Owen Lambert, Finance & Business Director
Dr. Dawn McCord, Organist
Susan Mitchell, Preschool Director
Paul Mosley, Youth Minister
Julie Perkins, Accompanist
Kim Stokes, Finance Secretary
Andrea Stuart, Director of Children's Ministries



O Holy Night

December 14, 2025

3:00pm & 6:00pm

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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 O HOLY NIGHT PROGRAM 			O HOLY NIGHT CHOIRS <i>in order of appearance</i>			O HOLY NIGHT CHOIRS <i>in order of appearance</i>		
GATHERING MUSIC								
WELCOME & INVOCATION								
“O Come, Little Children”	Bellissimo	arr. Michael Burkhardt	<i>Houston Burg</i> <i>Edward Kelly</i> <i>Abigail Murphy</i>	<i>Laney Cranford</i> <i>Walter Kelly</i> <i>Samuel Reese</i> <i>Esther Tomlinson</i>	<i>Allison Harlan</i> <i>Finley Moore</i> <i>Hensley Sherman</i>	<i>Sophia Bell</i> <i>Eliza Hagler</i> <i>Lucy Katherine Moore</i> <i>Hazel North</i> <i>Jones Sherman</i> <i>Walker Tondee</i> <i>Linden Wright</i>	<i>Natalie Brown</i> <i>Howie Hagler</i> <i>Sam Moore</i> <i>William North</i> <i>Amelia Thompson</i> <i>Griggs Wood</i> <i>Mollie Yarbrough</i> <i>Dorothy Yorgey</i>	<i>Charley Budd</i> <i>John Hammond</i> <i>Sena Murazumi</i> <i>Whittaker Sherer</i> <i>Harrison Tondee</i> <i>Ives Wood</i> <i>Parker Yarbrough</i>
“This Peaceful Night”	Celebration Singers Ken Ashley, flute	Don Besig						
“Navidad Noel”	Carol Choir	Jennifer Klein		Celebration Singers Caitlyn Dixon, director Julie Perkins, accompanist				
“Silent Night” “Can You Hear the Angels?”	Inspirations	arr. Ruth Elain Schram Greg Gilpin	<i>Marie Bryant</i> <i>Wilma Crabtree</i> <i>Mike McCurdy</i> <i>Joe Moore</i> <i>Hope Thamert</i>	<i>Jeri Burnette</i> <i>Carol Hartenbower</i> <i>Lynn McKibbin</i> <i>Dee Nixon</i> <i>Ezequiel Vargas</i>	<i>Nancy Capponi</i> <i>Sue Livingston</i> <i>Shirley Mitchell</i> <i>Henry Roberts</i>		Joybells Kathy Roberts, director	
“O Come, All Ye Faithful”	Cherub Choir	ADESTE FIDELES				<i>Jeri Burnette</i> <i>Bill Jones</i> <i>Lynn McKibbin</i> <i>Henry Roberts</i>	<i>Caityn Dixon</i> <i>Laura Jones</i> <i>Karen Oothoudt</i> <i>Joanna Sherer</i>	<i>Laurie Fambro</i> <i>Bonnie Krider</i> <i>Julie Perkins</i>
“Christmastime”	Cherub Choir, Carol Choir, and Celebration Singers	arr. Lloyd Larson		Carol Choir Caitlyn Dixon, director Dee Nixon, accompanist				
SPECIAL OFFERING & PRAYER OF DEDICATION	Newnan Emergency Shelter Team (NEST)		<i>Houston Burg</i> <i>Will Miller</i> <i>Caroline Murphy</i> <i>Hensley Sherman</i>	<i>Allison Harlan</i> <i>Finley Moore</i> <i>Ella Reese</i> <i>Esther Tomlinson</i>	<i>Edward Kelly</i> <i>Abigail Murphy</i> <i>Samuel Reese</i> <i>Charlotte Yorgey</i>		Youth Choir Bonnie Krider, director Dawn McCord, accompanist	
OFFERTORY	“Gentle Mary Laid Her Child” Dr. Dawn McCord, organ	Stephen Otis						
“The Wexford Carol” “Joy to the World”	Joybells	arr. Cathay Moglebust arr. Valerie W. Stephenson		Inspirations Bonnie Krider, director Julie Perkins, accompanist		<i>Elli Barber</i> <i>Dacey Belcher</i> <i>Macie Bohannon</i> <i>Brewer Burg</i> <i>Frances Gardner*</i> <i>Luke Goembel</i> <i>Carly Over</i> <i>Connor Porras*</i> <i>Alexis Steed</i> <i>Addy Welden*</i>	<i>MacKenzie Barron</i> <i>Drake Belcher</i> <i>Luke Brightman*</i> <i>Reagan Cranford</i> <i>Becca Garrett*</i> <i>Ann Marie Harlan*</i> <i>Colin Over</i> <i>Benjamin Reese</i> <i>Caitlyn Steed*</i> <i>Sanders Welden*</i>	<i>Katie Behm</i> <i>Maddison Bohannon</i> <i>Annie Burg</i> <i>Charlotte Gardner*</i> <i>Cordia Garrett*</i> <i>Lydia Murphy</i> <i>Cara Payson</i> <i>Jillian Rossey</i> <i>Corinne Terrell*</i> <i>Anna Wicker</i>
“Welcome to Our World” “Go Tell it on the Mountain”	Youth Ensemble	arr. Bruce Cokerof arr. Mary E. Caldwell	<i>Jeri Burnette</i> <i>Kelly Hines</i> <i>Carol Markham</i> <i>Dee Nixon</i> <i>Terri Sprayberry</i> <i>Charlotte Whitlock</i>	<i>Carol Crook</i> <i>Charlotte Leake</i> <i>Lynn McKibbin</i> <i>Karen Oothoudt</i> <i>Elizabeth Terrell</i> <i>Beth Williams</i>	<i>Caitlyn Dixon</i> <i>Michele Long</i> <i>Karen Moseley</i> <i>Kathy Roberts</i> <i>Brenda Welden</i>			
“God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen” “Carol of the Bells”	Youth Choir	arr. Dennis Allen arr. Peter J. Wilhousky						
†HYMN	“Joy to the World” <i>(All Youth Choir alumni are invited to come forward at this time)</i>	No. 246						
“O Holy Night”	Combined Choirs	arr. Roy Ringwald						
BENEDICTION								
POSTLUDE	“Canticle of the Turning”	Irish/Rory Cooney						
						†Please stand as you are able. <div></div> All music used with permission: CCLI# 1494932 Please silence all cell phones during worship. No food/drinks in the Sanctuary.		