

## Announcements

We will be making **Peanut Butter Bonbons** tomorrow, Monday, **December 2** at 9:00 am. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex if you would like to help make them or donate supplies. There will also be a sign-up sheet to order bonbons for Christmas. You will be able to pick them up here at the church, or you can buy them at Loretta McClarigan's shop. We will have milk chocolate, dark chocolate, or mixed at a cost of \$8.00 per container.



### **Christmas Bazaar Saturday, December 7 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

We hope to see you this coming Saturday at our Christmas Bazaar! There will be Christmas ornaments, decorations, baked goods, peanut butter bonbons, barbeque, homemade soups, hot dogs, hot chocolate, coffee, and much more.

### **Needed: Cookie Bakers**

Food items will be needed for the Holiday Café, and we will be selling plated cookies. Please plan your Christmas baking accordingly. We also would love to have home-baked breads, artisan, yeast, or fruit – sign-up sheets are in the Narthex. Café food items should be brought to the kitchen by Friday, December 6. Mark your food containers so we can return them to you. Questions? See Angela Killian or contact her at 301-452-2215.

The **Toys for Tots** box is in the Narthex. Pickup will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in December. The need is same as last year. Gifts for boys and girls in the ages of 9 to 12 years old can be jewelry, games, watches, personal care items.

Our next **Community Meal** is **Thursday Dec. 12th** from 5:30-6:30 in our handicapped accessible Smith Fellowship Hall. The menu will be Baked Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Cranberry sauce, Dinner Rolls, Applesauce, and Desserts from Weis Markets. The sign-up sheets for cooks, servers, helpers to clean up, and for donations of food needed are in the narthex. This will be our last meal for this year! Next meal is Thursday, Jan. 23rd.

The month of December is our **Christmas Joy Offering**--from Sunday Dec.1 through Sunday Dec.29. The envelopes are in the pews for your use or feel free to use a plain white envelope and mark it "Christmas Joy" and just place it in the offering plate. This offering helps retired and present church workers and also Christian students attending Presbyterian Colleges. (See Newsletter article for more information). Please remember these people and maybe include them in your Christmas giving.

If you would like to order **Sanctuary Flowers** in memory or in honor of someone or a special occasion, **Sunday, December 15 and Sunday, December 29** are available.