

Beyond our Imagining

Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany 2018-2019 at Oakhurst Baptist Church

Advent 1, Sunday, December 2, 10:50 a.m. – Repentance

Hanging of the Greens

Morning Music: Ashley Robinson
(Luke 1: 1-25)

Youth Christmas Party, Sunday, December 2, 12:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Raging Burrito, Ice Skating at Ponce City Market, White Elephant Gifts and Dessert at the Lonsburys' Home

Children's Advent Festival, Saturday, December 8, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

in the Oakhurst Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

Advent 2, Sunday, December 9, 10:50 a.m. – Hope

Morning Music: Aiden Lonsbury, Benjamin Tarragó, Calliope Snook, Josie Joyner, and Sam Vellines
(Luke 1: 26-38)

Moravian Love Feast, Sunday, December 9, 6:00 p.m.

An Oakhurst tradition since 1979, the Moravian Love Feast will be held in the sanctuary. This simple service includes carols, music by the Sanctuary Choir, candle lighting, and shared coffee, hot cider, and the traditional love buns.

The service is designed to include children. Childcare is provided for infants and toddlers.

A reception with Friendship Baptist Church will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Please bring finger foods to share!

Advent 3, Sunday, December 16, 10:50 a.m. – Love

Morning Music: Laura Johnson, David Fluker, and Friends
(Matthew 1: 18-25)

Blue Christmas Service, Sunday, December 16, 6:00 p.m.

For some, this is a season that brings grief, loneliness, and darkness that cannot find light. Blue Christmas is a service of comfort and those seeking comfort as well as those wanting to be a supportive presence are welcome. Childcare is provided.

Caroling in the Oakhurst Neighborhood, Friday, December 21, 6:30 p.m.

Join us as we carol around the Oakhurst neighborhood and enjoy some hot chocolate and snacks together.

Meet in the Oakhurst Baptist Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m.

Advent 4, Sunday, December 23, 10:50 a.m. – Peace

Lessons and Carols

Morning Music: Adult Choirs
(Luke 2: 8-15)

Candlelight Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24, 6:00 p.m. – Joy

(Luke 2: 1-20)

A quiet service of scripture, carols, and communion, concluding with a circle of candlelight.

Designed to include children. Childcare will be provided for infants and toddlers.

Christmas Dinner with friends, December 25, 2:00 p.m.

Jim and JoEllen Holmes invite you, your family and friends to join together for an eclectic potluck meal in their home at 2:00 p.m. on Christmas Day. Jim and JoEllen will provide turkey, ham, and dessert. You are welcome to add to the feast with whatever food and beverages you like.

The Holmes' house is located at 3984 Foxglove Road Tucker GA, a street just off Brockett Road and across the street from Brockett Elementary. Please RSVP to JoEllen Holmes at jholmeslcsw@gmail.com or 404-558-6283, just so that we can get a good head count. But please don't stay away just because you didn't respond! All are invited and welcome!

Christmas 1, Sunday, December 30, 10:50 a.m.

Morning Music: Tom Underwood
(John 1:1-14)

Epiphany, Sunday, January 6, 10:50 a.m.

Breaking up Christmas

Morning Music: Marjorie Hall Snook