ANNOUNCEMENTS

1) Advent Books:

The 2021 Advent Devotional Books are available in the Narthex. Please pick up your families copy. We extend a warm thank you to all those who wrote a devotion this year....Advent Book Committee

2) Called Business Meeting:

There will be a called Business Meeting on Wednesday, December 15, 2021 at 6:30pm for the 2022 Budget Considerations. Nominating Committee recommendations will also be presented.

3) Parents of Children's Choir Members/Advent Bible School:

Children will be singing at the morning service NEXT **Sunday**, **December 19**, **2021**. If your children will be singing, please have them present at **6:00pm** for the Wednesday night rehearsals. **Advent Bible School will be at 6:30 pm (after practice)**. If anyone would like to see some of the crafts and activities the children have done in Advent Bible School they are located on the bulletin board next to the church library.

4) Birthday Cards for Katherine Hall:

We are invited to participate in celebrating Katherine Hall's birthday. On January 4, 2022 she will be **105 years young!!** One way we can celebrate is to give her 105 birthday cards! We are asking **each individual church member** (adults, youth and children) to give Katherine a birthday card. If you would like to celebrate this wonderful blessing, please bring your card by **December 26**. There is a box in the **Narthex** for you to deposit your card in. **Postage is not needed.** Pastor Bud will deliver the cards to Katherine for her birthday.

7) Congratulations:

Congratulations to Pastor Bud and Donna Goude on the birth of their granddaughter, Aria Claire Goude, born December 7, 2021 at 3:40pm. Aria weighed in at 7.04lbs.

Dear Church Family,

Tom and I have truly been blessed to be a part of the fellowship here at Gloucester Point Baptist. You've been with us every step of the way through Tom's illness and my own health challenges. Thank you for loving us with dinners, cards, phone calls, texts, flowers, and especially prayers. I am overwhelmed, my dear friends.

Best church ever!

With gratitude and love,

Sandy McElfresh