

Sunday, January 4, 2026



1. **ACTIVE SHOOTER TRAINING** — The Franklin County Sheriff's Department will conduct Active Shooter Training at Tabernacle on **January 17, 2026, from 1:00–3:30 p.m.** This training is especially encouraged for those in leadership roles, including the **Security Ministry, Trustees, Deacons, Ushers, Health and Wellness Ministry, and Sunday School staff**, but it is **open to all who wish to attend**. Please **call the church office to register**, so we can provide an accurate attendance count as requested.
2. The Tabernacle Laymen invite both men and women to join us **Saturday, January 10, 2026**, for a **virtual Zoom session from 8:00–9:00 a.m.** The morning will feature presentations on **Financial Resolutions for 2026, Civic and Community Resolutions for 2026, Health Resolutions for 2026**, and a brief sermonette titled **"Who's Going To Tell Them."** We look forward to your participation and encourage you to share this invitation with family and friends.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87311014382>
Meeting ID: 873 1101 4382 Passcode: 785547
3. **COURAGEOUS CONVERSATION ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE** — **Saturday, January 10, 2026 | 10:00 AM–12:00 PM | Second Baptist Church, 186 N. 17th Street** — You are invited to attend a *Courageous Conversation* focused on informing, educating, and equipping the community to reduce domestic violence and support those impacted. This event is presented by the EUMBA Laymen Auxiliary in partnership with ODRC and the City of Columbus Office of Violence Prevention.
4. **SAVE THE DATE** — The EUMBA Women's Auxiliary Administrative Kickoff is January 31, 2026.
5. **SISTERHOOD MORNING CUP** is Saturday, January 10, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.
6. **DEDICATION SUNDAY** (formerly Auxiliary Day)} is January 18, 2026.
7. The **GOLDEN AGERS' ANNUAL HOLIDAY LUNCH** will be held in **January 2026** due to the fullness of this season. Additional details will be shared very soon.
8. **TABERNACLE IS TURNING 100!** - In commemoration of Tabernacle's upcoming 100th Anniversary in 2026, the Anniversary Committee is creating a scrapbook of memories and are in need of pictures of members past and present. If you want to submit photos, the committee will be in the gallery on **Sunday, December 7 and 21 following the 11:00 a.m.** service to upload pictures. If you want to email your photos or have any questions, please send them to Sis Amanda Griffin-Fikes at amandagriffin5@gmail.com or 614-352-0971.
9. The Church would like to set up a **BLESSING BOX** on the property as a free pantry. If you have an armoire you would like to donate to this effort, please contact Sis. Mara Flood at 614-370-1984.
10. **Thanks** to all who participated in our Sunday Worship Christmas Service on December 21. The singers, narrators, mimes, dancer and The Word from the Pastor made this a wonderful, blessed event.
11. Remember our sick and shut-in members with prayers, cards, calls, and visits (when appropriate). Please report updated information about our sick and shut-in members to the church office. The deacons deliver communion to the sick and shut-in on the third Saturday of each month. If you would like the deacons to visit you or a loved one, please call the church office and leave a message.
12. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to all who will celebrate a birthday this week.