# ANNUAL CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR OUR LMC PASTOR & STAFF



It's that time of the year again when we have the opportunity to express our love and appreciation to our Lillian Methodist Church pastor and staff at Christmas. As you prayerfully consider your support, please read and consider the two options for giving according to IRS guidelines.

## Option #1 - Giving Directly to Pastor & Staff

In compliance with the IRS, you may give directly to the pastor and each staff member, and they will receive the gift 100% tax free. This would not be through the church, and you would give or mail the gift directly to each of them on your own. You will not receive tax credit on your private gift to them, but they will receive 100% of the gift.

# Option #2 - Giving Through the Church

In compliance with the IRS, all funds received through the church by cash or check and then distributed to the pastor and staff must have taxes deducted before distributing to them, roughly 25%. The money received through the church will distributed between the pastor and staff with taxes taken out. This gift will be a part of your 2024 charitable contributions statement for your tax filings.

If you choose to give through the church, please use the pew envelopes for cash or indicate on your check "Staff Christmas Gift", and place it in the offering plate by December 15, so we can distribute it by December 19.

Regardless of what you are able to do, please be in prayer for our pastor and staff as they faithfully serve our congregation and community.

#### Sincerly,

John Stewart - SPRC Chair & Hammond Green - Finance Chair

#### YOUR CURRENT LILLIAN METHODIST CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Daniel Randall, Pastor
Blake Riley, Choir Director/Pianist
Tay Randall, Secretary

Edi Langlois, Treasurer
Joyce Ellison, Children's Ministry

Thank you for your love and support of our pastor and staff!

# LILLIAN ALABAMA CHRISTMAS EVENTS



# CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK DECEMBER 7

3:00 PM Games & Activities
4:00 PM Santa Arrives by Helicopter
5:30 PM "Launching the Lights"
Followed by Fireworks!
Come see the beautiful lights
throughout the month of December.

# LILLIAN COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA DECEMBER 8 3:00 PM LILLIAN COMMUNITY CLUB

Come hear Church Choirs and individuals as we sing in the season. Contact Jim Miller at 251-284-3793 for more information.





### LILLIAN CHRISTMAS PARADE DECEMBER 14 1:00 PM

Sponsored by the Optimist Club of Perdido Bay (See Lillian Paper for Parade Route.)

# BREAKFAST WITH SANTA DECEMBER 21 9:00 AM Lillian Community Club

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