## ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

If you can't acolyte the day you are scheduled, please ask one of the other acolytes to switch dates.

## Acolytes:

**December 31** – Sophia Hiltgen

Deavon Ohlde, Annalise Orona, Cash Stunkel, Emitt Tiemeyer, Kingston Voelker, Samuel Bott, Cade Hiltgen, Piper Hiltgen, Sophia Hiltgen, and Lucious Petesch.

August 20 - Deavon Ohlde	January 7 - Lucious Petesch
August 27 - Annalise Orona	January 14 - Deavon Ohlde
September 3 - Cash Stunkel	January 21 - Annalise Orona
September 10 - Emitt Tiemeyer	January 28 - Cash Stunkel
September 17 - Mission Festival	February 4 - Emitt Tiemeyer
September 24 - Kingston Voelker	February 11 - Kingston Voelker
October 1 - Samuel Bott	February 18 - Samuel Bott
October 8 - Cade Hiltgen	February 25 - Cade Hiltgen
October 15 - Piper Hiltgen	March 3 - Piper Hiltgen
October 22 - Sophia Hiltgen	March 10 – Sophia Hiltgen
October 29 - Lucious Petesch	March 17 - Lucious Petesch
November 5 - Deavon Ohlde	March 24 (Palm Sunday) - Samuel Bott
November 12 - Annalise Orona	March 31 (Easter) - Cade Hiltgen
November 19 - Cash Stunkel	April 7 - Piper Hiltgen
November 26 - Emitt Tiemeyer	April 14 - Sophia Hiltgen
December 3 - Kingston Voelker	April 21 - Lucious Petesch
December 10 - Samuel Bott	April 28 - Samuel Bott
December 17 - Cade Hiltgen	May 5 - Cade Hiltgen
December 24 - Piper Hiltgen	May 12 - Piper Hiltgen
December 25 - Cash Stunkel	May 19 - Sophia Hiltgen

May 26 - Lucious Petesch

## **ACOLYTE RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Acolyte should arrive by 9:15 a.m.
- Acolyte should take their lighter and walk to the narthex where the usher and Elders are located.
- Acolytes stand in the back and greet members as they walk in.
- At 9:20, an Elder will walk to the back with the acolyte to ignite the lighter.
- The acolyte will light the Christ candle (when instructed to do so on that Sunday by Pastor or an elder), which is located near the pulpit and crucifix cross and then light the candles on the altar, starting with the communion candles and working his/her way from the top of the candles down to the bottom.
- Acolyte will bow before entering and when exiting the chancel (the area where the altar is located).
- Acolyte may sit with family during the service.
- Acolyte will extinguish the candles on the altar after announcements, starting with the bottom candle and working up, ending with the two communion candles. Light the lighter with the Christ candle's flame, extinguish the Christ candle, recess to the narthex, and extinguish the lighter upon exiting the sanctuary.
- Finally, return lighters back to the appropriate place.