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WEEKLY EVENTS

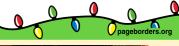
Tuesday, Dec. 3: Happy Birthday, Aunt
Margaret! Join us at Faith House, 6 pm, for a
special birthday dinner for a special Hosanna
volunteer, (who also happens to be having a
REALLY special birthday!)

<u>Thursday, Dec. 5:</u> Hosanna Board of Directors Christmas Potluck Dinner, 6 p.m., Hope House. All are invited to join in.

<u>Friday, Dec. 6:</u> Hart Gallery, 10 a.m. Leave Hosanna at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, Dec. 6: Advent Tea, 3:00 p.m., at Hope House basement. Get in the holiday spirit, as we gather to enjoy an afternoon snack and tea or hot cocoa.

Saturday, Dec. 7: "All I Want for Christmas," at the Red Bank Baptist Church, 3 to 4:30 p.m. A 200-member cast, choir & crew in a hilarious musical journey to discover what the excitement of Christmas is all about. Leave Hosanna at 2:15 p.m. Please sign up to go!

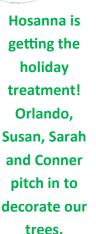














Connor's Corner

A Christmas Rhyme

The love shared at Christmas should never go away.

We should celebrate His birth, each and every day.

Admittedly, we are thankful for His time on earth,

All made possible because of Virgin Mary giving birth.

He was born very humbly in a small rustic manger,

Living to help define God's wishes — for sure.

His mission focused on always heavenly giving,
Rather than celebrate what we receive while living.

No, Christmas shouldn't question how nice
gifts may be,

But rather a time of thanks for chance of eternity.

Therefore, a day of love shared should not be ignored.

Neither, then, should eternal life because of the Son of our Lord.

So, understand in appreciation of baby Jesus' day of birth,

Christmas involves gift-giving joy over the entire earth!

A \$5 gift exchange will be part of the CABIA
Christmas dinner, Tuesday, Dec. 17. Please buy a
gift or gift card before the event f you want to
participate in the exchange!