## Giving Tree 10<sup>th</sup> year

This year more than ever, help is needed for the residents of our community. We are working with the Burgettstown Food Pantry (BFP) to obtain information for each child (age and gender). We have a signup sheet in the back of the Sanctuary. Please indicate Age and Gender you wish to purchase for. You can call or email me (Diane Ferris @ 412.620.8702 or <a href="mailto:dianegg56@gmail.com">dianegg56@gmail.com</a>) with any questions or concerns. I will keep a log with all information to ensure all age groups have been accounted for.

## How this is going to work:

- \*You can purchase anything you feel is appropriate for the age & gender.
- \*Please do not wrap your gifts.
- \*Bring your gifts to Church during Sunday worship or during Office hours.
- \*Please do not spend more than you can afford!!! We all want to make sure the child has a gift for Christmas, but we do not want to cause hardship for ourselves in the process.
- \*Gift cards are NOT recommended.
- \* Food pantry distribution is December 13<sup>th</sup>. Clients will come to the Church after receiving their food and choose gifts for their child.
- \*If you would like to participate and do not want to shop, you can put your offering for the Giving Tree in the offering plate, noted for Giving Tree.
- \*Below is the age, gender, and number of children for each group.

Age	Boy	Girl	
0-5	8	5	
6-11	12	8	
12-16	5	7	

Previous year total number children we provided gifts:

2014-53	2015-58	2016-67	2017-72	2018-74	2019-75	2020-59
2021-41	2022-56					

Blessings to all,

Diane Ferris for the Church & Community Committee