

December 3, 2023

Morning Worship

10:45 am

“The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon Me, because the LORD has anointed Me to preach good tidings to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and the opening of the prison to those who are bound.”

-Isaiah 61:1*“Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus”* (244)

“For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.”

-Luke 2:11*“The First Noel”* (265)

“Sing, O heavens! Be joyful, O earth! And break out in singing, O mountains! For the LORD has comforted His people, and will have mercy on His afflicted.”

-Isaiah 49:13.....*“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You”* (271)

“Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a Son, and shall call His name Immanuel.”

-Isaiah 7:14*“O Come, O Come Emmanuel”* (245)

Message— Brother Luke Liechty



Evening Worship Service today

5:00 pm

“O Little Town of Bethlehem” (250)

“While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks” (272)

“Infant Holy, Infant Lowly” (279)

“Away in a Manger” (261)

Message— Brother Luke Liechty



ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

We **welcome** you to our fellowship this morning! We’re glad you’ve chosen to be here today to praise and worship our great God!

Visitors, so that we might know who you are, please fill in the tear-off section of this bulletin and place it in the offering plate.

Visitors and members, the tear-off section can be used to communicate prayer requests, messages, or e-mail/phone information you’d like us to know.

We appreciate **all** phones being muted during worship.

There is a **nursery available** and is provided for your littles from birth through 3 years old.

Children’s Church is for children 4 years old through 5th grade. The pastor usually dismisses them with the teacher after the song service.

DECEMBER CHURCH ACTIVITIES:

- **December 3rd:** all ages (churchwide): 3:00 pm **Caroling and Cookies** at Calcasieu Community Care Center. Kids and Youth needing transportation meet at the church at 2:15 pm. There WILL be church and cooking class this evening at 5:00 p.m. following the afternoon of caroling.
- **December 10th: Women of Westside (WOW)** will celebrate their **Christmas Party at 2:00-4:00 pm** in Fellowship Hall - Country theme is Scandinavia Christmas (Refreshments). Service Project— Men & Women Socks for Homeless ministry. Bring a kitchen towel or potholder for gift exchange.
- **December 10th: Master’s Four Music Presentation** at 5:00 pm during the evening service. There will be NO COOKING CLASS this day.
- **December 17th: Kids Christmas Party (ages 4-8th Grade):** 4-6 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a \$5 wrapped non gender specific gift. There WILL be the **regular evening Service for adults**. The WILL NOT be a cooking class that day.
- **December 22nd: Parents Night Out—Kids Night In.** 5:00-9:00 pm (ages 4-8th grade; high schoolers to help) in the Fellowship Hall & Gym.
- **December 24th: Christmas Eve Service** TBA, Churchwide. NO COOKING CLASS.
- **December 29th: Youth Lock-In (6-12th grade):** 6:00 pm—7:00 am December 30th. (All activities this year—no beds will be provided!)
- **December 31st: New Year’s Eve Fellowship and Activities** TBA (Churchwide): NO COOKING CLASS.

The **Lottie Moon Week of Prayer** is December 3, 2023 - December 9, 2023. There are pamphlets and offering envelopes in the foyer on the welcome table. If you are giving to this mission, please put “Lottie Moon” in the memo of your check and mark it on your donation envelope.

Decision—Information

(Please complete contact information on reverse side and check all that apply.)

- ◇ I’m making a first-time commitment to Christ.
- ◇ I am renewing my commitment to Christ.
- ◇ I want to find out about baptism.
- ◇ I want to become a member of the church.
- ◇ I want to join a Bible Study.
- ◇ I want to commit my life to full-time Christian service.
- ◇ I want to commit my life to full-time missions.
- ◇ I want to serve where needed.

I would like information on:

- ◇ How to become a Christian.
- ◇ How to join the church.
- ◇ Family activities.
- ◇ Adult ministries.
- ◇ Single Adult ministries.
- ◇ Student ministries.
- ◇ Preschool/Children ministries.
- ◇ Music and worship ministries.
- ◇ Other: _____

Requests:

- ◇ I would like to speak with a minister.
- ◇ I would like more information on the church.
- ◇ Prayer requests and other needs:

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

COMMENTS: _____

WELCOME

Date: _____

Tell us more about you!

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____

Alt. Phone _____

Email _____

Please contact me by:

U.S. Mail Phone email

First visit to our church? yes no

Member of a church? yes no

Church Name _____

City, State _____

Guest of _____

Circle all ages or grades visiting:

Preschool: 0 1 2 3 4 5

Children: K 1 2 3 4 5

Students: 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Adults: 18-24 25-34 35-44

45-54 55-64 65-74 75+

How did you learn about our church?

Friend mailing newspaper

internet other _____

New to the community? yes no

Volunteers:	Nursery:	Children's Church:
	(Ages 0-4)	(Ages 4 years -5th Grade)

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Robbie Yerkey: Parable of the Lost Sheep

December 10, 2023

Tammie & Janet: Parable Unforgiving servant

December 17, 2023

Allie & Bubba: Parable of Good Samaritan

December 24, 2023

Sheila Liechty: Parable of Persistent Friend

December 31, 2023

Robbie Yerkey: Parable of the Rich Fool

January 7, 2024

Robbie Yerkey: Creation

January 14, 2024

Tammie & Janet: Sin Enters the World

January 21, 2024

Angela Liechty: Noah's Ark

January 28, 2024

Sheila Liechty: Job

February 4, 2024

Robbie Yerkey: Abraham & God's Promise

February 11, 2024

Allie & Bubba: Isaac & his sons

(If you can't be here for your nursery time, please call Sheila, 274-2492, by 9 a.m., Sunday)

(If you can't be here for your Children's Church time, please call Sheila, 274-2492 ASAP)

ON THE RECORD

General Budget Offerings for 11/26/2023 \$1,620.00

Total General Budget Offerings for November..... \$13,041.00

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Evening Worship tonight.....5:00 p.m.

Sunday Evening KIDs Cooking Class5:00-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday Quilting Angels.....9:00-11:00 a.m.

Wednesday Choir Practice7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Study.....6:00 p.m.

Wednesday TeamKids.....6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening Youth Bible Study6:00-6:45 p.m.

Men's Meeting: 2nd Tuesday of each month6:00 p.m.

Church Office: 855-9422; 9 to 1 Monday-Thursday; www.westsidebch.org CCLI# 314898

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