

# Christmas Eve Service

December 24, 2023

## Songs for Worship

*The First Noel*

*O Little Town Of Bethlehem*

*Hark The Herald Angels Sing*

*O Holy Night* - Sonja Ownbey

Congregational Teaching

Pastor Stan

*"All the Families of the Earth Blessed"*

Genesis 12:1-3 & 22:15-18



## Today's Activities

9:15 am Christmas Eve Service

## Financials

<u>12/17 - Attendance</u>		<u>Given in November</u>	\$84,881.05
Small Groups	275	<u>November Expenses</u>	\$73,894.97
Worship	343	<u>2023 Given</u>	\$762,395.54
Lottie Moon Offering		<u>2023 Expenses</u>	\$821,052.55
	\$9,328.58		

## Deacons On Call this Week - Dec. 24-30

Freddie Bryson 715-1031  
David Gluckner 718-6102

## Candies Creek Kid's Ministry

**Merry Christmas!** Thank you for joining us for this special Christmas Eve service. Childcare for babies up to PreK 5 is available in the children's building today.

**2024 Nursery schedule** is available for pick up for all volunteers! Thank you so much for serving our families and guests.

**Children's Church** resumes **January 7th** at 8 & 10:30 am in the Treehouse for kids K-4th grades. We are excited to start a new theme and season in God's Word

### Week 5/7 - Today's Nursery Shepherds:

**8:00 a.m.** David & Candra Gluckner

**10:30 a.m.**

Babies - Amanda Kyle, Kathy Flowers

Ones/Twos - Wendy & Anna Torchick

Threes/Fours - Jeff & Jackie Smith



## Student Ministry

- ◆ Wednesday, December 27th-No Life122 Gathering
- ◆ Jan 3-5-Cross Conference for College Students



**A Big Thank You! From the Caring Place...**  
1 load picked up & the 2nd box is continuing to fill in their  
**Annual Coat Drive**  
accepting *New or Gently Used coats*

**Praise the Lord! Keep 'em coming through Dec. 31**

**The collection box is located in the Fellowship Hall**

*Thank you Candies Creek Family,*

*We would to express our gratitude for all your prayers, concerns, visits, food, texts & phone calls during Mike's illness over the last three years and his passing .*

*Love, Ferri Bull & Family*

Learn *God's ways*  
of handling money.



If you've ever felt like you just can't get in control of your money, you're not alone. You'd be surprised how many people you know are struggling just like you.

But it's time for your struggle to end—starting today. Join the *Financial Peace University* class starting on **Sunday, January 7, 2024**, and learn how you can pay off debt, save more money, and build wealth.

Visit <https://www.fpu.com/16E68A> to sign up!

## John Part 1 - The Word Became Flesh

*Ladies' Winter Bible Study begins*

*Thursday, January 11 at 9:00 am*

*Childcare provided.*

*Contact Marsa Garner*

*(423) 605-5705*



**Public Church** will be having a Joint Prayer Gathering with Candies Creek as they celebrate 10 Years! ... & you are invited!

Saturday, January 13th at 10 am/Public Church Campus  
Public Church Update 11 am - Lunch & Annex Tours 11:30 am

If you have any questions about the **2024 Budget** process the **Stewart Team Members** are: Co-Chairs - Josh Shoemaker (901-335-8161) Scotty Smith (991-5221)

Robin Elmer  
Jeff Smith  
Jenny Steinle

Sabel Hooper  
Jeff Sprayberry

**2024 Budget: \$986,898**  
Copies available for pick-up

**Year End Contributions...** must be in the church office by 4 pm Friday, Dec. 29, or postmarked by Dec. 31, to receive credit for this year; all other contributions received on or after January 1, will be credited to 2024.

**E-Giving...** is also available at our church website, [candiescreek.com](http://candiescreek.com). You can set up automatically recurring contributions; you can also contribute to the budget, or to any designated offering that is currently available by traditional means.

**MONDAY**    **Merry Christmas!**

**TUESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

No Activities

**THURSDAY**

6:30 am    Men's Prayer Mtg./Library,

6:30 pm    Praise Team Practice/WC

**FRIDAY**

**SATURDAY**

**Looking Ahead**

Sun 31	Normal Sunday schedule
Mon Jan 1	<b>Happy New Year!</b> (Office Closed)
Wed 3	AWANA/6 pm, Prayer Mtg./6 pm, Life 122/6:15 pm
Wed-Fri 3-5	<b>Cross Conference</b>
Thurs 4	Men's Prayer Mtg./6:30 am, Praise Team Practice/6:30 pm
Sun 7	<b>C4 Children's Church Returns!</b> Adult Choir/6:00 pm
Tues 9	<b>Cleveland Emergency Shelter Meal/5:30 pm/4B</b>
Wed 10	AWANA/6 pm, Prayer Mtg./6 pm, Life 122/6:15 pm
Thurs 11	Men's Prayer Mtg./6:30 am, <b>Ladies Bible Study Returns!/9:00 am</b> Praise Team Practice/6:30 pm
Sat 13	<b>Public Church 10 Yr. Joint Prayer Celebration/10 am</b>
Sun 14	<b>VBS Planning Mtg./12 pm/Treehouse</b> <b>Deacons Mtg./4:30 pm</b> <b>Student's Connect Night/6 pm/Delmotte's</b>
Wed.	AWANA/6 pm, Prayer Mtg./6 pm, Life 122 StuB/6:15 pm

## O Holy Night

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1. O ho-ly night! the stars are bright-ly shin-ing, It is the  
2. Led by the light of faith se-re-ne-ly beam-ing, With glow-ing

1. night of the dear Sav-iour's birth. Long lay the world in sin and sor-row  
2. hearts by His cra-dle we stand. So led by light of star so sweet-ly

1. pin-ing, Till He ap-pear'd, and the soul felt its worth. A thrill of hope the  
2. gleam-ing, Then came the wise-men from th'Ori-ent land. To see the King who

1. wea-ry world re-joices, For yon-der breaks a new and glorious morn.  
2. made earth's low-liest choic-es, Yea, chose His throne a manger all for-lorn.

Fall on your knees! O hear the an-gel voic-es! O night di-vine! O

night when Christ was born! O night di-vine! O night, O night di-vine!

*a river of hope in a thirsty land*



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