

Elders



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Please Pray For Our Family

Please pray for God's healing hand to be on those with cancer:

Les Brooks (malignant leukemia)

Please continue to pray for:

Keith Cornell, Phil & Linda Weimer, Paul & Donna Johnson, Jean Woods, Linda Holland, Charlotte Bibb, Les & Joyce Brooks, Glenn Hallas & his family, Gregg Strawn, Renee Gunselman's parents, Deanna Patton, Connor Murphy's mom (Linda Murphy), Tim Eastridge (recovery and physical therapy)

Pray Also For These Health Requests:

Please continue praying for Tim Eastridge. He has been fitted for a prosthesis and is making progress!

Please pray for James and Misty Freeman as they recover from COVID.

Thomas Pruett's cardiologist is pleased with his recovery so far. He said it will take a long time for healing, but the doctor believes Thomas will make a complete recovery.

Pray for Carolyn Reece as she recovers from a kidney removal surgery.

Please pray for Les Brooks as he recovers from a kidney stone removal.

Pray for Susan's friend, Elisa, who just had a heart attack, and for her friend Ashley who is dealing with multiple health issues.

Physical:

Renee's sister, Rhonda and her continued recovery.

Please pray for the Marooni family in Albany, who lost their mother unexpectedly in a hit-and-run accident.

Please pray for Susan's brother, Steven, who lost his grandmother.

Spiritual:

Pray for everyone who is doubting their faith. Pray they will feed their faith and doubt their doubts.

Military: Justin & Briar Rogers in Oregon National guard

Expecting Mothers: Marisol Uzochukwu, Moncia Allen

Engaged Couple: Gregg Strawn and Jennifer Rowland

Widows, Widowers, and Orphans: Pam Briggs, Ed Calcote, Bobbie Cooke, Anna Dyk, Sarah Giboney, Lorelea Glenn, Linda Holland, Susan Melero, Virgil Oakes, Florence Purvis, Jean Schreiber, Luci Spencer, Gregg Strawn, Jean Woods, Geri York; Christian Relief Fund, Mountain States Children's Home, Orphans' Lifeline of Hope

Praise:

Praise God that Gabby (Bill and Gail's granddaughter) returned safely from her studying abroad this past semester. She is now flying to CT soon to see Caleb, Taylor and Axel.

Praise God for the baptism of Tom Powell!

Susan praises God that she is continuing to meet her weight loss goals!

Deacons: Eric Bracht, Eric Jensen, Jose Reyes

Outreach Programs: Bay Area Rescue Mission, Christian Relief Fund, Clothing Drive, East Asian Missions, Food Boxes, Mountain States Children's Home, Orphan Sunday, Quilts for CASA, Special Situations, University Christian Center

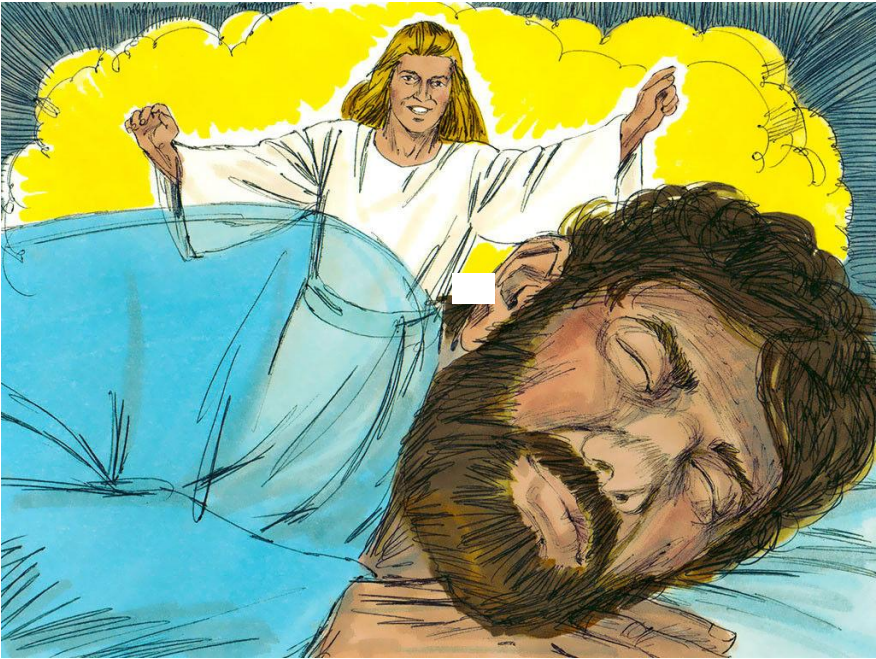


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December 18, 2022

2020 Circle Family Times
Sunday: 9:30AM Bible Classes for all ages
10:30AM Worship
Wednesday: Various Life Groups
Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8-5

Family Newsletter



"But after he had considered [quietly divorcing Mary], an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said 'Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit.'"

~Matthew 1:20

"The Main Thing"

1. To **love the Lord** our God with all our heart and with all our soul and with all our mind and with all our strength.
2. To **love our neighbors** as ourselves.
3. To **go and make disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything Christ has commanded us.

Upcoming Events

December 18th, 9:30am: Bible Class
December 18th, 10:30am: Livestream Worship on our website & YouTube; In person meeting at Circle Church of Christ
December 14th, 7pm: Peak of the Week Study: "The Truth Project"
December 24th 7pm-8pm Candlelight Service
December 25th 11am-12pm Christmas Service

From The Desk Of Jennifer House

Christmas is my favorite time of year! I love all of the busyness: the Christmas lights, the Hallmark movies, the “ugly” sweaters, and I’d be lying if I didn’t admit that I love the presents too. But more than anything, I love the **anticipation**!

Beginning in November, my family starts adding holiday activities to the calendar, and by the time December 1st comes around, our schedule is filled with sing-alongs, concerts, parties, visits with friends, festive food, and family traditions. With the approaching of each activity, excitement builds until finally the last door of the advent calendar is opened, and it's Christmas Eve! Finally, the day that we've been anticipating has arrived, and our excitement can hardly be contained!

Some people might cringe at this. They might think that celebrating the birth of our Lord should be solemn, quiet, and peaceful – Silent Night, Holy Night. However, the days and nights leading up to Jesus’ birth were anything but silent and peaceful for those who knew the significance of what was happening:

Luke 2:4-18 "In the same region, there were some shepherds staying out in the fields and keeping watch over their flock at night. And an angel of the Lord suddenly stood near them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terribly frightened. And so the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for **behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people;** for today in the city of David, there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger." **And suddenly there appeared with the angel a multitude of the heavenly army of angels praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among people with whom He is pleased."**"

Can you imagine the excitement the angels must have been feeling that night? This was the night they had been waiting for since the fall of man. To the people on earth, it was just another night, but they knew that the baby being born was the Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, and Prince of Peace. The Savior! It wasn't a time to be solemn and silent. It was a time to shout for joy and to celebrate the arrival of the Christ child! So, as we head into this final week before Christmas, let's find ways to share in the Joy of anticipating the coming of the Lord.

"My soul shall be joyful in the LORD: it shall rejoice in his salvation." Psalm 35:9

Thoughts, Questions, Notes

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Christmas Services

Saturday December 24th:
Christmas Eve Candlelight
Service, 7pm

Sunday December 25th:
NO Bible Class
Worship, 11am

Can you build a new donation box for clothing giveaway. It does need to be waterproof and have 2 openings. One for dropping clothes in and the other to remove donations and ability to keep it locked up. Please see Lorealea for more information.

Sunday Morning Attendance	90
Last Week's Contribution	\$3,225.73
Year to Date Weekly Average	\$4,253.19
Weekly Budget	\$5,284.00



We just got back from our Redwoods reward trip. This trip was for all our students who came every Tuesday night this week. The first day we saw the Spouting Horn, the Sea Lion Caves and the Oregon Dunes. We stayed the night with people from the North Bend Church of Christ and students paid for their own food to keep costs down. Then Saturday, we toured the Redwoods. I'm so proud of David, Sara, Jason, Sofea, Scarlett, Daniel, Ryoga, John and Elisha for making it every week this term. Great job everyone!



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Sunday Servants Dec 18

Elder of the Month: Rolland House
Deacon/Minister of the Month: Josh Stutzman
A/V: N Cloutier/F Cloutier; G House/J Gunselman

Song Leader: N Franklund
Opening Prayer: C Long
Communion: N Acidera
Closing/Pastoral Prayer: R House
Speaker: Mark Johnson

Sunday Servants Dec 25

A/V: J Baxter/B McCaughan
Song Leader: G House
Opening Prayer: N Acidera
Communion: E Bracht
Closing/Pastoral Prayer: E Gunselman
Speaker: Rolland House

Submit any prayer requests by email to 2020circle@gmail.com or by text to 541-908-7393.

Many Hands Make Light Work...Get Involved!

Circle Facilities Manager (Inside).....	Eric Bracht
UCC Facilities Manager.....	Nathan Lopez, Bob Parsons
Campus Ministry.....	Josh Stutzman, Eric & Chris Jensen
Education Ministry.....	(CR-8th Grade)
High School.....	Eric Bracht, Eric Jensen
Adult.....	Rolland House
Coordinator.....	Jann Bracht
Media/Web Ministry.....	Frank Cloutier, Bill McCaughan
Men of Iron.....	Rolland House
Clothing Drive Lead.....	Loralea Glenn
Food Boxes Lead.....	Charlene Franklund
Quilts for CASA.....	Cathy Brooks
Van Ministry.....	Bob Parsons, Chris Gollakner
Widows Ministry.....	L Munson
Women's Ministry.....	T Brown, M Freeman,
R Gunselman, N Johnson, J Parsons, M Zhang	
Youth Ministry.....	Eric & Jann Bracht and Eric & Chris Jensen