SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2016

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 AM

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 AM

Advent Wreath

Welcome and Announcements

We worship through song

"Jesus, Thank You"

"Hope Was Born This Night"

"What Child Is This"

We worship in prayer We worship by giving

Offering response and prayer "Emmanuel"

We worship in response to the Word

Scripture Matthew 1

Message "Christ-mus(t) Reign in Me!" We worship through our response to the Lord

Closing Special "Lord Reign in Me"

Closing Prayer

Soup/chili fellowship provided by Sunday's small group
Pastor Jim's Nigeria presentation
6:00 pm
7:00 pm

PRAYER MINISTRY

NAB Missions: Mark Zubert, Create Church, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Our Missions: Alan and Judy Steier, Barnabas International Region: Baptist Health Care Center, Bismarck, ND

August & Judy Pepple; Merle & Dianne Hoots

Wellman Lake Bible Camp Duck Mt. Provincial Park, MB

Sunday School: FunDay Sunday

Awana/Youth: Paige – Awana Commander

Others: David Eby (Lynn's brother-in-law) – terminal brain-

stem tumor, at Our Lady of Peace Hospice Center, St. Paul; Sue Munzliner (Marshall's sister-in-law); Robin (Wanda & Louie's daughter); Carol Jorissen;

Mike Wagar (chemo treatments)

Our mission is to follow Jesus Christ by worshiping God, loving people, and making disciples, all for the glory of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

6:30 - Awana

7:00 - Youth Group

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

9:00 - Sunday School

9:00-12:30 - Youth Silent Auction

10:30 - Morning Worship (Annual Christmas Program)

Potluck Dinner (Group B in charge)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24

5:00 - Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25

No Sunday School

10:00 - Fellowship

10:30 - Morning Worship

December cleaning:

Van Bruggen, Munzlinger, Kawasaki

Nursery: Today: Tracie; next week: Heather

The Women's Sunday School class is studying "Trusting God for a Better Tomorrow" – A Study of Psalms. All women are welcome

IMPACT

[The Small Group Ministry of First Baptist Church]

Wednesday, Dec 14-2:00 pm Bible Study at Legacy Place Thursday, Dec 15-4:00 pm Prayer gathering at Jacque's

Sunday, Dec 18 – 7:00 pm "Thriving in Babylon" at Liz's

Saturday, Jan 7 – 8:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, Jan 14 – 2:00 pm Dorcas Circle

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING – Week of December 4

AM - 62 SS - 30

General Fund 3,389.00 Income this year 92,135.99 Weekly Budget 2,100.00 Budget to date 102,900.00

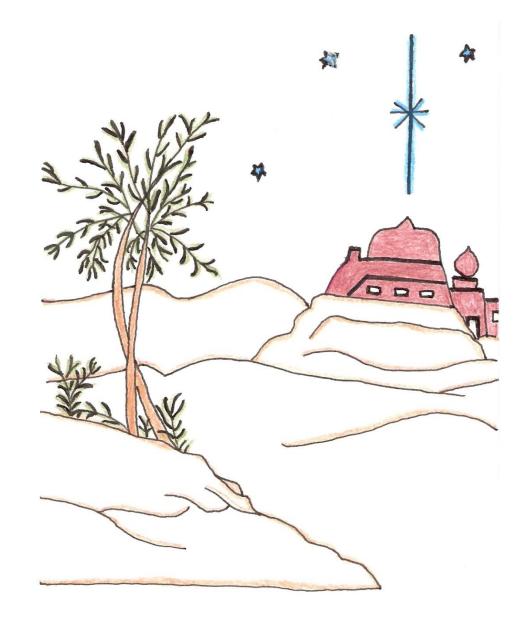
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Usually when we think of the Christmas story, we think of Luke chapter 2. But according to Matthew, the story of Christmas begins with Joseph. Matthew was so impacted by the life and example of Joseph's willingness to break with the status quo and not do what was "expected of him," that this is where Matthew begins. Let's look at what impressed him so much about Joseph's life and what we can learn from him.

☐ We Need to Break with the Power of the Past. 1-17

☐ We Need to Deal with our Frustrations & Fears. 18-25



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