

Advent Series: Week Two
Love & Obedience
 Luke 1:26-56; Jn.15:9-13

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We Proclaim Christ through generous worship and grace-filled relationships

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Love & Obedience

For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments.

1 John 5:3



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Pastor Tom Hocking

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Worship Service [Songs & Scripture Intertwined]

Opening Song	Angels we have heard on high
	Build my life
	Noel
	Way Maker
Sermon	Love & Obedience
Closing Song	Go tell it on the mountain

We are here to proclaim Christ to the world until He comes, through our worship and our relationships.

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Introduction:

Angst (Lk. 1:26-29; cf. Eph. 1:3,6)

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Assurance (Lk. 1:30-37)

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Affirmation (Lk. 1:42-45)

- Repeats . . .
- Reinforces . . .
- Reassures . . .

Our response:



Mark Your Calendar

Date/Time	Event	Location
Today 9:00 AM	Worship	Sanctuary
4:00-6:00 PM	AWANA	All Over The Place!

Attendance	Last Week	Last Year
Morning Worship	127	191
Sunday School	92	70

Adult Bible Fellowships

Class:	Tethered in Faith	Couples	Family Focus	Lost & Found	Truth Trekkers
Room #:	206	200	Office	201	110
Topic:	1 Timothy	Romans	What If Jesus Was Serious About Prayer?	1st & 2nd Corinthians	The Minor Prophets
Teacher:	Steve Cohen	Bob Clarke	Al Siebert	Paul Woodward	Jerry Bollinger

	General Fund	Mission Salaries	Mission Projects
Opening Balance 1/1/22	\$34,683	\$6,781	\$2,463
Budgeted Income	\$340,480	\$73,211	\$6,462
Actual Income	\$372,811	\$68,805	\$19,357
Budgeted Expense	\$340,480	\$73,211	\$6,462
Actual Expense	\$354,480	\$73,918	\$15,883
Closing Balance 11/30/22	\$53,014	\$1,668	\$5,936

International Day of Prayer

Every year Voice of the Martyrs sponsors a day of prayer for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are being persecuted throughout the world. We will share a VOM video at the end of the service and encourage you to check out the VOM map in the lobby and pick up a prayer guide from the communications table by the map. Please use the enclosed bookmark as a prayer reminder throughout the year.

Christmas Gifts

This year we want to bless the kids from the border ministry in Tijuana, Mexico. If you want to buy a gift for a child (about \$20), please see Maria Martinez in the patio today. She has a list of kids.

Ramsey Financial Peace



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Men's Breakfast



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Come one, come all...if you're a man.
Saturday, December 10th 8-10:30AM
Food, fellowship, and Jesus.

We Need your help

Starting in January, we need a helper in the 1st-3rd grade Sunday School class during the second hour (10:30-12:00.) it is for the third and fourth Sundays each month. If you can only help one of those Sundays, we can still use you! Please call Linda Farris at (562) 506-8788 if you are willing to volunteer. Thank you.

Water for Good Vision Trip Report

During the Sunday School hour next Sunday, Bob Crizer and Pastor Tom will share a verbal and visual report about their recent trip to the Central African Republic—which by the way is listed as one of the most hostile nations to the gospel by of the Martyrs [see the map displayed in the lobby]. Bob and Tom plan to give their report in room 110 unless the audience exceeds that room size. Please use a registration card to indicate your interest in coming [or text "yes" to 310-502-3232].

“All is Well” Advent Season -2022



Advent is the celebration of Jesus' coming, and despite the challenging year that we have experienced in 2022, let's rejoice in the fact that because of His coming, "all is well" indeed! This year Christmas falls on a Sunday so our worship schedule will be unique for several Sundays in a row. To help you prepare here is a preview of our advent themes and service times:

- 12/04 Advent week 2: *Love & Obedience*
- 12/11 Advent week 3: *Strength & Courage*
- 12/18 Advent week 4: *Light & Life* [10:30 AM Bilingual Service]
- 12/24 5PM Christmas Eve Service
- 12/25 Christmas: *Joy & Peace* [10:30-11:30 Special Service]
- 1/1/23 Communion & Potluck [10:30 AM Bilingual Service]