## This Week:

Dec 13 7:00pm Barrington Band Christmas Concert in

Memory of Elizabeth Teter Griffith

Dec 14 10am-12pm A MOPS Christmas

6:30pm Awana, Youth Group & Adult Bible studies

>> Youth Group White Elephant Christmas Party!

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Coming Up:

**Dec 18** 10:00am Breakfast & Fellowship (Rm. 209) 11:00am *Christmas Mosaic: A Festival of Carols* 

No Evening Bible Study

**Dec 21** 6:00pm Ugly Sweater Christmas Party

**Dec 23** -- Office Closed

**Dec 24** 4:00pm Christmas Eve Service

**Dec 25** 11:00am Christmas Day Service (No Bible Fellowship Groups

or Evening Bible study)

**Dec 26-30** -- Office Closed

**Dec 28** -- No Wednesday Night Groups

#### **Announcements:**

**December 18th** - Please take note of our schedule for next Sunday. Instead of our normal Bible Fellowship Groups, we will meet together in Room 209 at 10am for breakfast and fellowship. Following that, we will head to the auditorium at 11am for *Christmas Mosaic: A Festival of Carols*, presented by our choir and orchestra. Invite your friends and family! Extra invitations are available in the foyer and on the table by the Sunday School entrance.

**Ugly Sweater Christmas Party** - Join us for our Christmas party on Wednesday, December 21st! If you don't have an ugly sweater to wear, that's okay! Please come anyway. We will be having meatball sandwiches and celebrating the Christmas season together. We hope you can make it! Please sign up in the foyer.

**Keswick Hymn Sing** - Keswick's next hymn sing, *Spirituals*, is on January 5th. Tickets are \$12. Please see Marilyn Wenstrom or call her at 856-287-9195 to reserve your seat.

# Stewardship Report as of 12/7/22:

Weekly Budget: \$7,823 YTD Budget: \$179,929 Offerings Last Week: \$11,087 YTD Actual: \$160,942

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# Today's Service

December 11, 2022

Special bulletins for children are available in the foyer! Let us know if you would like one.

**Prelude** Brass Ensemble

Welcome, Announcements, & Prayer Rufus Morgan

Scripture Reading Galatians 4:1-7

Song #258 "Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

**Song #251** "It Came upon the Midnight Clear"

**Prayer** Stephen Mortimer

**Offering/Offertory** Brass Ensemble

Special Music "Earth Was Waiting"

**Sermon** Stephen Mortimer

**Closing Prayer** 

Song Leader: Chuck Stigelman

**Vocals:** Brenda Lenox **Piano:** Linda Wright **Trumpet:** Tim Kolody

French Horn: Becky Oehlers

**Tuba:** John Oehlers **Clarinet:** Sara Parker

# Tonight:

4:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Rm. 208)

**6:00pm** Care Zone Night

Dear Church Family,

Good morning! I trust you are well and looking forward to the time of worship today. If you are visiting with us, we want to welcome you and are so glad you can join us. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to let us know how we can be of service to you.

This morning, I am traveling with Steph to visit family. My son, Jonathan, is graduating from college, so we will be attending his graduation ceremony. Thanks for your prayers as we are out and about. I will be praying for you. Steve Mortimer will be sharing from the Word this morning, so be in prayer for him.

What a wonderful time of year this is as we celebrate the birth of Christ! I love Christmas and know you do as well. God sent His son to this earth to pay for our sins at the cross. What a message of grace, love, and hope. As we take time to gather with friends and family throughout this month, let's remember to thank the Lord for the greatest gift humanity has ever received: Jesus Christ!

Don't forget to look through the upcoming schedule. We have some great events coming up that you won't want to miss out on. Get your 'ugly sweater' ready! What a great time of fun and fellowship this will be. Also, remember to be in prayer for the choir as they share the message of Christmas with us this upcoming Sunday (the 18th). I look forward every year to the songs of Christmas and love hearing our choir present Christ through song! Pray they have health and great joy as they share with us.

The Lord bless you and your family. Thank you for your love for Stephanie and me. We are grateful to all of you for your prayers and love for the Lord and one another. Keep praying and trusting the Lord as He is at work in many ways. Have a wonderful day in Christ. We are praying for you and appreciate your prayers.

In Christ's love,

Pastor Erik