

12.7.2025

A MESSAGE FROM HEAVEN

HARK



TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

8:45 am

WELCOME

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Prepare Him Room

SCRIPTURE CALL TO WORSHIP

Isaiah 7:14

Christmas Worship Medley

Angels From the Realms of Glory with Gloria

SCRIPTURE, AND SONG OF RESPONSE

Isaiah 9:2

Here I am To Worship

Worthy of Worship

SCRIPTURE, PRAYER, OFFERING, AND SONG OF RESPONSE

Isaiah 9:6-7

Noel

ADVENT READING

Matthew 1.18-21

SERMON

The Reason

Matthew 1.18-25 | Dr Todd Pylant

SONG OF RESPONSE

Angels We Have Heard on High

BENEDICTION

Isaiah 9:2

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CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE

11:15 am

SONGS AND SCRIPTURE

Psalm 148:1-6

Angels From the Realms of Glory/Emmanuel

Hold Him High

Prepare Him Room

Behold Him

ADVENT READING

Matthew 1.18-21

SERMON

The Reason

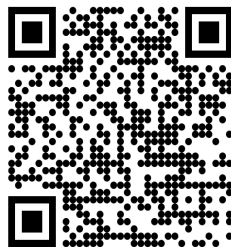
Matthew 1.18-25 | Dr. Todd Pylant

Immediately after both worship services, the pastor and staff will be in the lobby to meet with those who want to confess Jesus as their Lord and Savior, to be baptized, to join the church, or who would like to have a minister pray with them.

DISCOVERING CHURCH MEMBERSHIP CLASS

JANUARY 18 @ 10AM

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This Week's Scripture Memory Verse

⁵¹Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,
⁵²in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will
sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed.

1 Corinthians 15:51-52 (ESV)

This Week's 5-Day Bible Reading Plan

²Thessalonians 1 | ²Thessalonians 2 | ²Thessalonians 3 | Proverbs 23 | Proverbs 24

A MESSAGE

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FROM HEAVEN

Matthew 1:18-25 (ESV)

¹⁸Now the birth of Jesus Christ took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit.

¹⁹And her husband Joseph, being a just man and unwilling to put her to shame, resolved to divorce her quietly. ²⁰But as he considered these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, "Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary as your wife, for that which is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins." ²²All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet:

²³"Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son,
and they shall call his name Immanuel"

(which means, God with us). ²⁴When Joseph woke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him: he took his wife, ²⁵but knew her not until she had given birth to a son. And he called his name Jesus.

1. We _____ to be _____ from our

a. _____ is a problem

b. We can't _____ it

2. Sin is a problem for _____

a. Sin is _____ against the rule of God

b. Sin is stealing God's _____

3. Sin is a problem for _____

53 So Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you." John 6:53 (ESV)

a. Sin is an _____ problem

b. Sin is a _____ now

4. Jesus came to _____ us from our _____

a. Through His _____ death on the cross

b. For the _____ of sin

c. For the _____ from sin

God is holy.

We have all rebelled against God and this corrupted us.

Our corruption has cut us off from God.

God loves you so much that He gave His only Son to save you.

Jesus will forgive you of your corruption if you will:

Admit to Jesus Christ you are corrupt.

Believe He is the Son of God who died on the cross to save you.

Confess Jesus Christ as Lord (King) of your life.

Lottie Moon Kick-Off Banquet

Sunday Night, December 7th at 5:00 p.m

Join us for a special evening of worship, fellowship, and celebration as we begin the Advent and Christmas season together. We'll begin our evening together in the Sanctuary and then gather in the Fellowship Hall for a Christmas Banquet—a potluck meal with all the trimmings. Mark your calendar and plan to be part of this joyful, church-wide evening of music, message, and community. Please bring your potluck dish to the Church foyer before the program begins.

Please do not bring serving utensils.

The Church will provide turkey and ham, rolls, butter, and drinks.

Potluck recommendations (by family name):

A-F: Salad or fruit

G-L: Dessert

M-Z: Side dish

December Ladies Night

Join us Monday, December 8th for our December Ladies Night and Christmas gift exchange. Please note that unlike our usual gatherings we will be in the Children's Big Room and will start at 6:00 p.m. We will be serving finger foods and finger desserts. Bring a wrapped \$20-\$25 gift and wear your Christmas pajamas! See our website to sign up to bring food or RSVP on our Women's Facebook group.

Christmas Season Worship Schedule

Christmas Eve Candle Light Service - Dec 24th at 4p.m.

United Worship Service - Dec 28th at 10a.m. (no Sunday School)

Christmas Gift Bags for Night Shelter

Every year our church family provides 60 Christmas gift bags for residents of the Presbyterian Night Shelter. Prayerfully consider supporting this Christmas Mission Project. Donate by giving to FBC Benbrook and designating: PNS Christmas #845. Financial Donations are needed by December 14th.

November 30th in Review

Attendance:

Sunday Bible Study	259
Adults	145
Preschool/Children	77
Youth	37
Traditional Worship	188
Contemporary Worship	146

Financial Report: Nov 23

Budget Offering:	\$20,951.51
Designated Offering:	\$1,388
Budget Need:	\$20,549.60

Financial Report: Nov 30

Budget Offering:	\$16,398.15
Designated Offering:	\$720
Budget Need:	\$20,549.60

YTD Budget Income:	\$996,051.37
YTD Budget Need:	\$965,831.20

This Week At A Glance

Sunday, December 7

8:45 AM	Traditional Worship
10:00 AM	Sunday School
11:15 AM	Contemporary Worship
5:00 PM	Lottie Moon Kick-Off

Monday, December 8

6:00 PM	Ladies Night
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Tuesday, December 9

10:00 AM	Sunshiner's games
6:30 PM	GriefShare

Wednesday, December 10

8:40 AM	Ladies Core & More
9:15 AM	Senior Fit Class
5:45 PM	Children's Choir
6:30 PM	Student Ministry
6:30 PM	Awana
6:30 PM	Preteen Bible Study
6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal

Friday, December 12

9:30 AM	Ladies Core and More
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Church Library

OPEN Sundays, 8:30-12:30 PM

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Mission Tree 2025

The Mission Tree is the way our church blesses and supports the missionaries who have come out of our church to take the gospel to the ends of the earth.

Rick and Mia Bullock – SE Asia

Suzanne Perry – Vancouver

Nick and Amber Sroka – Brazil

Sam and Brittany Hurley – Wales

Steven and Ruth Hale – Congo

The idea is simple. On the Mission Tree in the lobby, you will find round, wooden ornaments with the flag of the nation they serve on one side and the name of the missionary on the other side. Each of our partners have given us “gift” ideas, ways we can both bless them and support their ministry. Gifts range in price from \$10 to \$100. Please choose the missionary and gift you want to give, take the ornament from the tree, and then submit your financial gift either through an offering envelope or online giving.

Note: we are sending each missionary our financial gifts and letting them purchase the items locally.

When you give, please note in the comment section the missionary’s name and gift item, whether online or through an envelope. You can keep the ornament on your Christmas tree at home to remind you to pray for this missionary family.

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