

22 DECEMBER SUNDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

Welcome to our worship service!! There is a baby nursery up the stairs, first door on the left. Children (toddlers through fifth grade) will be dismissed for children's church after opening worship.

TODAY

Christmas Service -- Plan on joining us after service for Christmas snacks and a hot cocoa bar in the fellowship hall. There are no Sunday School classes today or next Sunday. *Merry Christmas to you and yours!*

COMING UP

MINNET meeting -- MINNET teams will meet Sunday, January 5 after worship service.

WAYS TO HELP

There is a new sign up sheet in the lobby for meals for **Celebrate Recovery** meetings on Thursdays. Please sign up if you can help.

Greeters -- If you can help with greeting in 2020, please see the sign up sheet in the lobby.

THANK YOU

Viking Care Center -- Thank you to all who donated items for the kids of Bronson Schools. They are deeply appreciated!

Christmas decorations -- Thank you to all who decorated for Christmas and who purchased a poinsettia for the *Christmas Memory Garden*. Please feel free to take your poinsettia home after service today.



Ways to Give -- Donations can be made online by going to bethelgilead.org (Donate tab), or by scanning the QR code to the left. You can also choose electronic giving by completing the Giving Authorization Form and attaching a voided check. Forms are available in the lobby.

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Bethel Gilead Community Church

876 Block Rd. Bronson MI. 49028

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9:30

WORSHIP

10:10

JR. CHURCH

"We honor God through regularly assembling together to worship Him as Lord, study and obey His word, and attend to the needs of His people. When we leave, we go out commissioned as Christ's representatives to a needy world."

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Serving Today

Greeters.....Ron and Kathy Will

Nursery Linda Penn and Kristi Long

Order of Worship Service

Call to Worship Go Tell It on the Mountain

Announcements and Opening Prayer..... David Minard

Opening Worship..... Praise Team

Joy to the World/Unspeakable Joy..... Chorus

Hope Was Born This Night..... Chorus

Little Drummer Boy Chorus

Mary Did You Know..... Chorus

Offering..... What a Glorious Night

Advent Wreath Jim Erwin

Message..... Jim Erwin

Silent Night..... Hymn 147

Worship service volunteers for December 29:

Nursery Patty Leggett and Sally Davis

Offering Prayer Paul Alger

Something to Think About

(Luke 2:19)

I. But Mary treasured all these things

-- All these things? (Luke 1:26-2:18)

-- Recent experiences

-- Treasures = Values

Where your treasure is there will be your heart be also (Matthew 6:21)

II. And pondered them in her heart

-- Pondering = to meditate, to think deeply

*Whatever is true, noble, right....think about these things.
(Philippians 4:8)

*As a man thinks in his heart, so is he. (Proverbs 23:7)

*Prepare your mind for action. (1 Peter 1:13)

Application

This Christmas take a "Time Out"

1. What do I treasure most? (people, places, experiences, things)

My Top 5 Values

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2. What have I given deep thought to lately?

A. Past: life experiences

B. Present: blessings and opportunities, needs and concerns

C. Future: direction and decisions, changes and challenges

3. What mid-course adjustments does God want you to make in 2020?

The noble man makes noble plans and by noble deeds he stands.
(Isaiah 32:8)

*Spiritual Disciplines: December 30 - January 3

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Recent additions

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Keith McGuire -- aortic aneurysm
Keith Jackson -- Crohn's disease
Melissa Houtz's cousin, Holly Haynes Lamb -- colon cancer
Rick Brown -- Dale Davis' nephew; stage 4 cancer
Dan Minard -- Dave's brother; pancreatic cancer
Diane Dudley's brother, Doug, -- lung cancer
Paul Lane -- heart blockage

Continue to Remember Those in Need

Steve Hiltry -- Jim and Anna Mae Wickey's son-in-law, injuries from a fall
Sarah Jane Fair - back and hip pain
Don Rubley -- gallstones; fatigue
Jim Wickey -- several health issues
Neil Hannah -- heart and lung issues
Kristi Long's dad -- prostate cancer
Ashley Howe - salvation and healing
Arwen Mallay -- twelve-year-old being treated for stage 4 neuroblastoma
Russ Heckathorn -- recurrence of lung cancer
Jeff Craft, Sue Craft's son, soft palate cancer
Danielle Howe's father-in-law, Tom -- stage 4 liver cancer; responding to meds

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