SERMON NOTES

"Connecting the unconnected to Jesus Christ and together becoming fully devoted to Him"



LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

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10 AM Sunday, December 4, 2022

Welcome!



Opening Prayer

Worship Songs

Scripture Reading

Announcements

Offering Children will be dismissed.

Communion

Message

Pastor Matt Dressler

The Longest Night

Our Consolation and Hope



"Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, 'Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favour rests.""

Luke 2:13-14

NEWS AND NOTICES

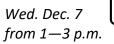
TEA & COFFEE

Tea and Coffee are available before and after the service each Sunday—Please stay and enjoy a time of fellowship!

LADIES' BIBLE

Mon., 8-9:30 p.m.
We meet via Zoom and are continuing in the book of Revelation. See Sandra Clow for more information.

WHITE CROSS



We will be meeting once a month to roll bandages, in the Board Room, beginning this Wednesday, December 7. Please see Terri for details.

No experience needed Everyone is Welcome! In addition, if you can sew, let Terri know!

CHRISTMAS FOOD HAMPERS

Bernard Elementary School has identified 20 families (in addition to the Afternoon Adventures families) in need of Christmas Food Hampers Midtown Church has adopted the goal of raising \$4,000 to cover the cost. Please consider what you can contribute towards meeting this goal, and indicate the designation on your offering envelope.



We now have all the volunteers we need for the **Bernard Christmas Banquet**this Tuesday, December 6. Thank you to all for your willingness to help!

MTC ADULT CHRISTMAS BANQUET

1:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 20
Dinner by Sherry's Carpathian Kitchen!
Sign up today as we need to know
who is coming by Dec. 9. We will
have raffle tickets with proceeds
going to the Bernard Christmas
Food Hamper Fund. Cost is
\$30 (assistance available).

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Sat., Dec. 24 (No service Sun., Dec. 25)

Our Christmas Eve service will take place Saturday at 6:30 p.m. Please note that we will not meet that Sunday, Christmas Day.



PRAYER AND PRAISE

MTC FAMILY OF THE WEEK

Elizabeth Fursdon and Mark Fursdon



BCBA CHURCH OF THE WEEK

Ebenezer Baptist Church in *Vancouver, BC*Grant Gwynn (Director of Music)

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Calvin and Susanne Hohn

Calvin is the former NAB Cameroon field director and head of Cooperating Missions for the Cameroon



Baptist Convention. After 23 years, they stepped down, though they won't officially end their time as NAB missionaries until June '23. This allows them time to visit many of their supporters and figure out their next steps. Pray for this transition from international ministry to what God has next.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Approved Budget for 2022 General Offering to November 30

Thank You!

\$ 286,211

\$ 181,241