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Main Ideas/Important Words

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Summary



December 14, 2025

Worship Schedule:

Sunday: **8:45am Prayer (Fireside Room)**
 9:30am Worship
 Followed by Coffee Fellowship and Discipleship Classes

Sunday Evening:
 5:00-6:30pm AWANA STORE Night
 6:30-8:00pm YOUTH Group

WELCOME TO GRACE

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

We are glad you are here! If you are joining us for the first time, please stop by the Connection Center in the lobby for a small gift from us to you! We look forward to seeing you again!

This Week's Schedule:

Mon, Dec 15	8:30am Staff Meeting
Tue, Dec 16	9:30am Women's Study 6:30pm Prayer Gathering 6:30pm Deacons Meeting
Wed, Dec 17	6:00am Men's Prayer Meeting 11:00am FDL Pastors Prayers
Thu, Dec 18	8:00am Men's Study
Sat, Dec 20	7:30am Men's No Regrets Group No Women's WE-PRAY Gathering in Dec.

Weekday "Prayer & Encouragement" Times on ZOOM:

Wednesday at Noon, Friday morning at 7:00am

>>See the weekly e-blast or contact the Grace Office for login information<<

Giving Tree deadline is today, Dec. 14! You can still use the QR code to support the YFC Teen Moms and their children this year. Jamie and her team will be packing up all the goodies this afternoon, and doing whatever shopping is left. Contact Jamie Trewin if you have any questions.



As we heard last week, this year's **Christmas Eve Offering** is going to support the work of the **Downtown Homeless Warming Shelter**. Beginning next Sunday, envelopes will be available at the Connections Center, or find one in your box of offering envelopes. There will also be a QR code for online giving.

Birthday and Anniversary Celebrations!

Dec 15 Adeline Baumgart	Dec 19 Edward Murphy
Dec 16 Titus & Kiara Baumgart	

Holiday Schedule for the upcoming weeks:

Today:	Giving Tree Deadline
Sunday 12/21	Youth Christmas Party @ 5:30pm (No AWANA tonight)
Wed. 12/24	Office closes at noon Candlelight Service at 6:00pm
Sunday 12/28	Worship at 9:30am (No Nursery, Children's Church, or Discipleship Classes) No AWANA or YOUTH
Wed. 12/31	Office closes at noon
Sunday 1/4	Worship with Communion Regular Schedule and Programs resume

2025 OFFERING DEADLINE is Sunday, Dec. 28. If you would like credit for your gift in this calendar year, it must be received by that date. Mailed in gifts must arrive by Dec. 26, 2025. Offering statements will be ready by the end of January 2026.

SPEAKING OF OFFERING... Offering envelope boxes are now available for pick up in the narthex. The boxes are arranged alphabetically by last name.

Christmas Shopping? Our **AWANA Store** is looking for items that the kids can "purchase" with the points they have earned this Fall. As you are out and about, look for deals on goodies like small gifts and toys, large candy bars, craft kits, 2l bottles of soda, nerf guns, or other bargains our kiddos might enjoy. The donation box is in the Narthex. Contact Jean Titel if you need more information!

Hey Kiddos (and parents)! We are looking for "Pardners" aged 4K and up, who were part of our *Wonder Junction VBC* to **sing in during the Church Service NEXT Sunday, Dec. 21st**. Even if you didn't make it to VBC, you can still participate! Practice will be today, immediately following the service from 10:45-11:00am in the Sanctuary. We will be singing one of the songs from VBC! Please see Dorothy Erickson, Sharon Wunsch, or Pastor Grant for details!

This is a great time of year to **Invite a Friend to Worship!** During ADVENT the Sunday messages will be focusing on the themes of HOPE, PEACE, JOY & LOVE. Our **CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE at 6:00pm** on Wednesday, Dec. 24th will include the lighting of candles and sharing songs and carols, as well celebrating the best gift of all, Emmanuel, God with Us—Jesus Christ. **Who will you invite??**

Thank you to everyone who expressed sympathy to me and my family with cards, helping set-up for the funeral, donating and serving food, and just being there for us. It was so appreciated!

~Doris Vande Streek and Family