

Christ Central

An ABC Fellowship

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December 24, 2017 4th Sunday of Advent, Christmas Eve

*The Savior—yes, the Messiah, the Lord—has been born today
in Bethlehem, the city of David!”-Luke 2:11*

Welcome & Greeting

***Singing:** #145 *O Come, All Ye Faithful*

*Invocation

***Singing:** #147 *Silent Night, Holy Night*

Scripture Reading: *Luke 2:1-11*

Lighting of the “Love Candle”

Morning Community Prayer

***Lyric Video: “Oh What a Glorious Night”**-Sidewalk Prophets

Giving of Tithes & Offerings— Michelle Witt offertory

**followed by the Doxology and Prayer of Dedication for the Offering*

***Singing:** #157 *Away In a Manger*

Message: - *“Angel”* - Pastor Chris Thompson

***Singing:** #141 *O Little Town of Bethlehem*

Benediction

* Indicates to please stand if you are able.

Hearing assistance headphones are available. Please ask an usher.

Children’s Church and Nursery care is available during Worship Service downstairs.

Children will rejoin us in the gym after the service

Opportunities of the Week

Tuesday

9:30 am – Bible Study
4:30 pm- Worship Team Rehearsal
4:30 pm- Adult Bible Study- Ignite your Passion for God
6:30 pm - Youth Group

Wednesday

6:00 pm - Prayer Meeting

Sunday

8:55 am- Breakfast
9:30 am- Sunday School for all ages
11:00 am- Worship Service

Merry Christmas

Prayer Requests:

- **Debbie Powell:** Prayers for Dorothy and Michael Flynn and their apartment troubles, success for students as school winds down and they head into winter break, for Paula and Matt to find a good job.
- **Dusty and Linda Waite:** Dusty has a friend whose son is not doing well. Prayers for him and the father, for understanding and clarity on how to help.
- **Paula Mendez:** Prayers for conviction. Had three interviews and is confident in getting a job soon.
- **Herb Alvord:** Recovery from Lymphoma according to Lord’s will.
- **Rich Hovey:** Prayers for friend to find work, housing and get back on his feet. In addition, to become closer to God.
- **Joyce Jensen:** Prayers for daughter, who has been in a car accident. She has undergone surgery and is recovering.

Notice:

- Wifi password: JesusSaves! Network is ASUS
- New Hospitality chair, Carol Scott
- **OIKOS** – If you are interested in an OIKOS class in your neighborhood, please indicate so on your connection card, we will contact you.
- **New Directory Dec 31st**, any changes in address, phone # or email, please indicate on Connection Cards.

Worship Team: Bob Glaza, CJ Lockhart, Michelle Witt, Carol Scott, Freedom Thompson, Ashley Heister, Lydia Thompson, and Hannah Wack

Luke 2:1-11

Angels

- **Jesus is born IN history: 1-2**
 - Context
 - Setting
- **Jesus is born in the TOWN of David: 3-4**
 - 2 Samuel 7:15-16
- **Jesus is born in HUMILITY: 4-9**
- **Jesus' birth is PROCLAIMED: 10-11**
- **Christ/Messiah the LORD: 11**
 - Micah 5:2-4

How do you see the Nativity?

Is Christ the LORD of your life? If not what is stopping you from proclaiming Him?

Verses to consider: Matthew 21:1-17



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