



# Grace Baptist Church

December 11, 2011

## Third Sunday in Advent

The theme of this Advent season is "The Faces of Advent"  
Please take a seat before the welcome and quietly prepare for worship.

### The Worship of God

The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude

Eli Yacinthe

The Choral Call to Worship

"Hark the Herald Angels Sing"

The Lighting of the Advent Candle and Call to Worship

Shepherd: The angel brought news of great joy.

*People: We will not be afraid.*

Shepherd: God is pleased with us.

*People: God is with us - we are not alone.*

Shepherd: We will go forth with joy.

*People: We will hold on tight.*

Shepherd: We will not be afraid.

*All: We are not alone..*

\*The Carol Medley

Advent Songbook

The People at Prayer

The Choral Reflection

"The Jesus Gift"

Katelyn McMillan, Kakki Barnard, Melissa Hendrix

The Moment for Mission

The Offertory

The Gospel Lesson

Luke 2:8-20

The Choral Meditation

"Night Song"

The Sermon

"Shepherds, the Faces of Joy"

\*The Hymn of Dedication

"The First Noel"

Advent Songbook

\*The Benediction

\*The Choral Benediction

"Rejoice"

\*Please stand

## CALENDAR

<b>TODAY</b>	<b>Deacons</b>	<b>9am</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>8pm</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Choir Rehearsal</b>	<b>7am</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>8pm</b>
<b>NEXT SUNDAY</b>	<b>Stewardship, Mission Grace Family Potluck</b>	<b>9am 6pm</b>

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Ruby Jordan, the Goodman family, the Grose family, Nicholas Bennett, Opal Campbell, Gary Stinchcomb, Deb Cashdollar, Jean Warren, Mary Svites, John Martin, Jack Dunlap, the Tsumas family, Will Coleman, Ken Wilkerson, Lori Bechner, Scott Collins, Anita Johnson, Jean Hagy, Edna Elliott, Dan King, Evelyn Stein, Jo Quinn Murphy, Brad Sherrill, Jim Forbes, Kathy Agnew and family, Ric Comer, Gray Comer, Mary Alice Wood, Hope Bennett, Barbara Robinson, Mary Jean Grose, Dr. and Mrs. Hanna Kutteh, End of the Road NA Group, Penney Kummer, Megan Marlowe, Lisa McKinna, Logan Olson, Aaron Torres, Abby Winthrop, Kelly Marcey, Mike, Katelyn and Landon Johns, Nancy Milstead, Sharon Whisnant, children who are a part of the Guardian ad Litem program, local law enforcement officers and fire fighters, those who are mentally ill, those affected by violence, those who are incarcerated, International disaster relief

*Those in the military: Greg West, John Hendrix, Josh Wingfield, William Eckliff, Phil Thompson, David Jones, James Pulliam, Jake Dickinson, JJ Golden, Mark Staley, Adam Ivey, Warren Dilger, Austin Frutig, Zach Spoor, Mary Jane Johnson, Travis Clower, James Mallory, Logan Frutig*

## ASSIGNMENTS

### **Church Maintenance**

Before <b>December 18</b>	<b>Barber</b>
<b>December 25</b>	<b>Adams/Wiberg</b>
<b>January 1</b>	

### **Second Hour Helpers**

	<i>Infants</i>	<i>Toddlers</i>
<b>TODAY</b>	<b>Susie Wiberg</b>	<b>Sharon McDougall</b>
<b>December 18</b>	<b>Carole Hendrix</b>	<b>Andora McMillan</b>
<b>December 25</b>		

BUDGET NEEDS THROUGH 12/4/11	\$83,323.52
AMOUNT RECEIVED THROUGH 12/4/11	\$81,482.60
YTD <b>UNDER</b> BUDGET	\$1,840.92
MONTH <b>OVER</b> BUDGET	\$131.52
WEEKLY REQUIREMENTS	\$1700.48

We are still \$1840.92 under budget for this year. We will only have next Sunday and the Christmas Eve service as opportunities for you to make your offering.

### **SHOPPING FOR THE SHELTER**

Hats, gloves, scarves, thermal underwear, socks

### **FLOWERS FOR DECEMBER**

Worship Board

**LOOKING AHEAD IN WORSHIP**—Isaiah 7:10-16; Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; Romans 1:1-7; Matthew 1:18-25

### **MARK YOUR CALENDAR:**

Sunday, December 18 - Grace Family Dinner  
 Saturday, December 24, 6:30pm - Christmas Eve Worship  
 No worship on Christmas morning