

## EUGENE CHURCH OF CHRIST

## Brothers & Sisters Together in Christ

### Sunday, December 25



#### Luke 2:13-15

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- <sup>13</sup> Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying,
- 14 "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests."
- <sup>15</sup> When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

Merry Christmas! If you have special needs, please let us know how members of this congregation can pray for you and/or serve you this week.

## Morning Worship

10:30 am Worship in the building & Car Worship, 100.1 FM.

Nursery— no nursery today
ASL— Amanda Coburn
Song Leader—Jim Pitt
Sound Board— Laura Duffield
Opening Prayer—Roy Gotzman
Communion—Carl McGlothin
Children's Hour—No Children's
Hour today
Sermon — Mike Duffield
Announcements &
Closing Prayer— Mike Duffield



\*\*Worship Servers\*\*
All worship servers (Elders, Deacons, song leader, prayer and communion leaders)
PLEASE meet up by the podium at 10:20 a.m.



#### Brothers & Sisters, how to get

# INVOLVED



## Daily Prayers

\*\*Be sure to pick up the full-sheet prayer list at the table in the foyer with long-term prayer needs and other prayer suggestions\*\*

Pray without Ceasing

5.17

1 Thessalonians

**Current Issues:** 

Mary Moore—Broken ankle, rehab & recovery

Thomas Pruett— back in the hospital

McGlothin family - Lois's brothers; one passed, one with cancer diagnosis

Travel mercies for those among us taking holiday trips

Brothers and sisters among us who are suffering in silence, esp. during the holidays

Unborn babies and mothers

Are you ready to accept the Lord's invitation?

A new life awaits!



If you or somebody you know would like to move into a closer relationship with Christ through baptism, please contact Calvin or one of the Elders through the Church Office for guidance and more information. Baptistery is always open!

Warm Clothing Donation Drive



Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the warm clothing bin! As we strive to be a beacon of hope within our community drawing people to Christ, we look to serve those in need. Winter is here —warm coats, scarfs, hats, gloves, long johns, socks, etc. are needed. So clean out your closets and

drawers! If You have gently used winter



items you no longer want/need, bring them to church and put them in the donation bins in the foyer. All sizes.

Loving Father, Help us remember the birth of Jesus, that we may share in the song of the angels, the gladness of the shepherds, and worship of the wise men. Close the door of hate and open the door of love all over the world. Let kindness come with every gift and good desires with every greeting. Deliver us from evil by the blessing which Christ brings, and teach us to be merry with clear hearts.

May the Christmas morning make us happy to be thy children, and Christmas evening bring us to our beds with grateful thoughts, forgiving and forgiven, for Jesus' sake. In Jesus name we pray, Amen.

(dailyprayer.us; Robert Louis Stevenson)

## Do you have Prayer needs?

In good times and bad times, one thing brothers and sisters in Christ can ALWAYS do for each other is pray for one another. Reach out person-to-person, post a message on Facebook, email or call the Church office.

Missions Support: \*Ashcrafts in Africa \*Spanish Literature Ministries

\*www.eem.org- Eastern European Missions \*Woods family-Southwest School of Bible Studies

#### This Week:

Mon. 12-26	Tues 12-27	Wed 12-28 NO	Thur. 12-29	Fri 12-30	Sat. 12/31	Sun 1/1/23 9:30—Bible
Church Office Closed Christmas	10:45 a.m. NO Ladies Bible Class	Wednesday night Bible study				Classes for all
Day Observed						10:30 a.m. Worship
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#### **Upcoming Events:**

1/1/2023— All things back on schedule—bible classes, nursery and children's hour TBD in 2023—Clothing Swap 1/2/2022—Church Office Closed, New Year's Day Observed



#### Welcome Friends & Visitors!

If this is your first time worshipping with us, please know that you are welcome here. If you are looking for a new church home or are not a member yet, please call the Church Office to be connected to an Elder or Deacon to learn more about what it means to become a member of the Eugene Church of Christ.

# Recyclable Can Drive

Thank you for bringing in your cans! Can you bring some more? The money will go toward the youth budget. The big box is in the foyer—let's fill it up!



If you have questions, ask Makenzie.

#### Save the Date!

Jan 12, 2023



You are invited to join in fellowship over pancakes at Ye Olde Pancake House, 2421 West 11th Ave., Eugene.

Meet at 9 a.m.

- 2nd Thurs. of every month -

# Clothing Swap coming in 2023!

A clothing swap is coming in the new year! Keep your extra garments and accessories to one side for a rollicking trade off. Me



for a rollicking trade off. More details as we get closer. See Karena for more info.



Learn about the Bible— amazinglove.worldbibleschool.org

Do you want to learn more about the Bible? Please check out the self-paced, Christian-led FREE Online Bible Study available right now!



### Eugene

# **Church of Christ**

Growing, Working, Sharing...Together

Birthdays & Anniversaries

12/27 Roy Gotzman
12/27 Jonathan Young

12/28 Oliver Sheelar

12/30 Gary Willhoft 12/30 Marshion Garey

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Office Hours (Call to confirm)

Monday

OFFICE CLOSED

Monday **OFFICE CLOSE** Tuesday 9 a.m.—3 p.m.

Wednesday By appointment only, please

Thursday 9 a.m.—3 p.m.

Friday By appointment only, please

Leadership & Staff

Elders
Michael Duffield\*

Norm Hoffman

Carl McGlothin

<u>Deacons</u>

Bret Foreman\* Dan Herold

Mel Johnson\* Freddie May David Staley Makenzie Young

Jonathan Young

Seguoia Campus

Minister

**Ministry** 

Calvin Groen

Church Secretary
Denise Foreman

\*Elder/Deacon of the month

As soon as the order went out, the Israelites generously gave the first fruits of their grain, new wine, olive oil and honey and all that the fields produced. They brought a great amount, a tithe of everything. 2 Chronicles 31:5

12/30 Dennis & Linda Hunt

Come together with brothers and sisters in Christ, bow your head and say whatever is on your heart and mind: God hears every prayer! Any and all members are welcome to join in the Tuesday and/or Thursday prayer group at 9 a.m. in the building.

### **Offering**

- In Person each Sunday
- Online thru Church Website
- Snail Mail to Church Office



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