

Sermon Notes

ST. MATTHEW

December 12 & 13, 2020



Reset Refresh Renew

Greetings Friends,

You are in for a treat today. This is the 3rd Sunday in Advent. Traditionally this is the week that we have our Sunday School children and their families up in front of the church presenting the Christmas story to us. But COVID-19 has changed that somewhat, However it has not prevented us from having our Children's Christmas program. Our children, their families and Brenda have gotten technological this year to present to us a one of a kind look at Re-Booting Christmas!

Join us Wednesday at 6:00 (online) for a look at Rebooting Gift Giving.

Grace and Peace,
Pastor Bill Hugo

WORSHIP NOTES: Thanks to the families of our Children's Ministries program for their message presentation, to the Music Team, and to all other worship assistants for their leadership in our worship recording this weekend. To God be the glory!

Prayers for the Week of December 13

Former member, Ed Murphy, has passed away. Vic Weisz is hospitalized.

GIVING TO THE LORD

Weekly Worship Attendance: 0
December Tithes & Offerings to date: \$5,700
December Budgeted Offerings: \$30,783

Bill Hugo, Pastor † Carol Blase, Coordinator of Music
Brenda Hugo, Coordinator of Children's Ministries † Faustina Allen, Director of Teen Ministries
Kathy Rosenberg, Parish Nurse † Sarai Kretschman, Pastoral Care Assistant † Martin Cornes, Vicar
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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Tuesday, December 15

7:30 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY ONLINE

Wednesday, December 16

1:00 PM CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

2:00 PM ADVENT SERVICE AT GLORIA DEI

6:00 PM ADVENT SERVICE ONLINE

6:00 PM DISCIPLESHIP VISION BOARD

7:00 PM TEEN MINISTRY on ZOOM

Thursday, December 17

1:45 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY on ZOOM

6:30 PM CANTATA REHEARSAL

7:30 PM CANDLELIGHT REHEARSAL

Sunday, December 20

8:30 AM ADULT BIBLE CLASS on ZOOM

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL ONLINE

10:00 AM WORSHIP ONLINE ONLY

Children's Ministries:

Thank you to all of the children and parents/grandparents/older siblings who created artwork, supported/assisted the artists, did voiceover work and/or prepared a music video for the presentation of the Christmas story today. You are a blessing!!! **Special thanks to Sarai Kretschman** who put all the segments together into one virtual program.

Participating Children (grades 6 and younger):

Aubree & Sean Allen, Jordyn Bushaw, Noah & Stella Cornelius, Chuancé (Tweet) Crowe, Henry Donovan, Adahlia & Robert Eames, Dawson Ferrell, Cecelia Kikeh, Benjamin & Patricia Kretschman, Parker Kyseth, Trinity Martin, Ethan McBroom, Corbin & Hudson Qualy, Grace Sonnenberg



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Safe Giving: As we continue to take precautions to be safe given our current environment and cannot gather together as a church family, please prayerfully consider giving electronically. Our new GivePlus+ system is even easier than before. You can elect one-time or recurring contributions; and choose from among all the various giving areas including missions, general operating, savings, building and DCLC. Signing up is simple; go to the **Electronic Giving link found on our St Matthew website** for more information or to schedule your contributions today.



The City of Columbia Heights is partnering with SACA on their Toys for Tots drive. Starting on Dec 1, They will have Toys for Tots donation bins at City Hall, Public Safety, and Murzyn Hall. Bins will be up until the 14th.