# Welcome to Plymouth Church! Sunday, December 25th, 2022 Merry Christmas!!

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#### Announcements

## Scripture Memory Challenge - Luke 2:10-14

And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. "For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. <sup>12</sup> And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger."

<sup>13</sup>And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, <sup>14</sup> "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"

#### Scripture Reading

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#### There is no Children's Church today.

We are glad you are here to worship the Lord with us today!

Visitors, please stop at the Welcome Center for some information on our

church.

Also, please fill out a Visitor Card and bring it to the Welcome Center

for a special gift!

Pastoral Prayer Message

Luke 2:1-7

Pastor Brian Bradley

# Closing Prayer and Benediction

Schedule for This Week (12/25 - 12/31/2022)

Today	
9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
Monday	Church Office is Closed
Tuesday	Church Office is Closed
Wednesday	Church Office is Closed
Thursday	Church Office is Closed
Friday	Church Office is Closed
Saturday	

The Nursery is not staffed this morning. However, if you need to take your child out, please feel free to use our Nursery (237) or Family Room (237).

Please ask an usher for directions, if necessary.

There are no Discipleship Classes or Children's Sunday School today!!

### Looking Ahead!!!

January 1 - New Year's Day Worship Service @ 9AM Discipleship Classes & Sunday School @ 10:30 January 23 - Annual Congregational Meeting

## **Adult Discipleship Classes**

**Study of the Birth of Jesus Christ** Led by Jim Stadler - meet in Room 228

Biblical Doctrine - Study of Systematic Theology

Led by Pastor Brian - meet in Room 127

The Power of God

Led by Dan Towne - meet in Room 126  $\,$ 

### **Children's Sunday School**

3 years - 4K - Room 232
Kindergarten and 1st Grade - Room 114
2nd Grade - Room 106
3rd and 4th Grade - Room 105
5th Grade - Room 107
Middle & High School - Room 124

## **Get Connected**

## Discipleship Classes

There are classes during our 10:30am hour for all ages. Please see list on adjacent page.

**Family Check-in -** all children must be checked in at our Family Check -in desk prior to attending any Children's Ministries. Please see one of our volunteers at the desk in the foyer.

**Nursery -** our Nursery is available for newborn - 3 year olds during the morning service and Sunday School - Room 237

### Children's Church - mid way through the worship service.

**Age 3-PreK** age should be taken by their parents directly to Room #232, across from the nursery.

**Kindergarten-2nd grade** meet the teachers in the foyer.

3rd-5th Grade can fill out worship notes - found on the literature table

#### Family Room (Room 113)

If your nursery age child is unable to be in the sanctuary or nursery, please feel free to stay with them in the Family Room, which has a live feed of the morning service.

College & Career Bible Study -meet every other Friday at 6pm

## Adult Bible Studies /Small Groups

Wednesday evening at 6:00pm -

led by Pastor Rick - meeting in Pastor Rick's office

#### Ladies Bible Studies

Every other Tuesday evening at 7:00pm

led by Lisa Woller - at Molly MacAdam's home

#### Every Tuesday morning at 9:00am

"Twelve Extraordinary Women"
led by Suzy Wasmuth - meeting in Room 126
Every other Tuesday morning at 9:30am

"Moms of the Bible"

led by Kendra Arthur - meeting in Room 128

Please contact any Pastor or call the church office at (920)231-8231 for more information on any of these opportunities!

To share a prayer request or praise on the Prayer Chain, please call the church office, or contact one of our Pastors.

## **Annual Congregational Meeting**

Our Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Monday, January 23, at 6PM
All members are expected to attend.
Non-members are welcome to join us, but may not vote.

## **Annual Reports**

All Annual Reports are due to the church office no later than January 6th!

If you are the chairperson of a committee or board, please get your report in as soon as possible. Thanks!!

## **Christmas Missionary Offering**

The Christmas Missions Love Offering this year will be given to Anne Ockers and Victor & Dawn Ladiera.

Please put your offering in the box in the foyer.

If you would like to bless our missionaries this Christmas, extra envelopes are available on the literature table, in the foyer.

## **Adorned Women's Book Club**

Saturday, January 7th at 10AM in Room 128 We will be discussing the book "A Texas Christmas Carol" by Karen Witemeyer All women are welcome to join us!!

Elder Flocks		
A through B - call Dustin Arthur - 920-698-6048		
C through E - call Joel Cook - 920-589-4014		
F through G - call Pastor Brian - 920-312-0637		
H through K - call Gary Jepson - 920-312-1856		
L through O - call Nick Matiash - 920-642-0040		
P through Sc - call Elroy Post - 920-573-2257		
Sd through Sz - call Dan Patterson - 920-410-3245		
T through Z - call Steve Anklam - 920-470-5114		

Nursery Workers Today: No Nursery Staff Today Nursery Workers Next Week: Monitor: Emily Kienetz 9:00: Emily Kienetz, Candace Leach, Shawn Matiash 10:30: Lynn Brown, Becca Jepson

**Greeter Today**: Robin Thayer **Greeter Next Week**: Sue Stadler

Sound/Projection Today: Scott Bradley / Erich Graves Sound/Projection Next Week:

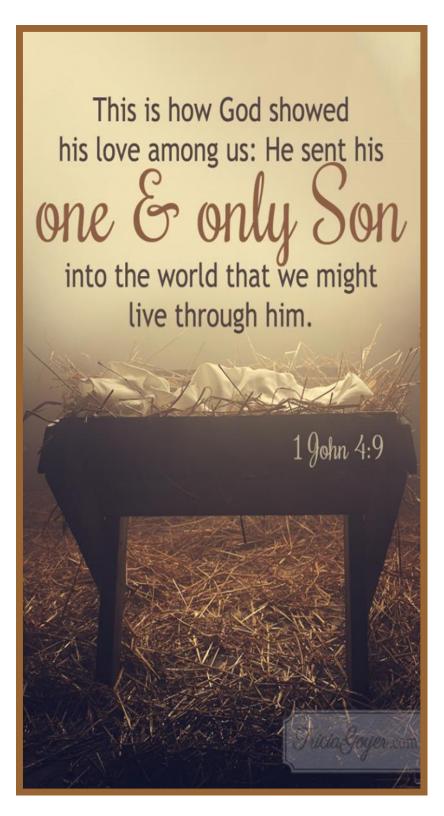
Weekly Tithes & Offerings

Fund	12/18/22 Offering
General Needed Weekly: \$7,958.17	\$21,839.60
Building	\$30.00
Flooring (ongoing)	\$10.00
Needed Year to Date: \$366,075.75	\$367,522.20



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#### **Joy To The World**

Joy to the world! the Lord is come; Let earth receive her King. Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room, And heav'n and nature sing, And heav'n and heav'n, and nature sing.

Joy to the world! the Savior reigns; Let men their songs employ, While fields and floods, Rocks, hills and plains, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

No more let sin and sorrow grow, Nor thorns infest the ground. He comes to make His blessings flow Far as the curse is found, Far as, far as the curse is found.

He rules the world with truth and grace,
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness,
And wonders of His love,
And wonders of His love,
And wonders, and wonders of His love.

## **Hark! The Herald Angels Sing**

Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King;
Peace on earth and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled."
Joyful, all ye nations, rise;
Join the triumph of the skies,
With th' angelic hosts proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem."
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King."

Christ, by highest heav'n adored!
Christ, the everlasting Lord!
Long desired, behold Him comeOffspring of the Virgin's womb.
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail, th' incarnate Deity,
Pleased as man with men to dwell,
Jesus, our Immanuel!
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King."

Hail, the heav'n-born Prince of Peace!
Hail, the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings,
Ris'n with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by,
Born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth.
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King!"

#### **Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus**

Come Thou long expected Jesus Born to set Thy people free From our fears and sins release us Let us find our rest in Thee Israel's strength and consolation Hope of all the world Thou art Dear desire of ev'ry nation Joy of ev'ry longing heart

Born Thy people to deliver Born a child and yet a King Born to reign in us forever Now Thy gracious kingdom bring By Thine own eternal Spirit, Rule in all our hearts alone. By Thine all - sufficient merit, Raise us to Thy glorious throne.

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#### What Child Is This

While shepherds watch are keeping?
This, this is Christ, the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing.
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
The Babe the Son of Mary.

Why lies He in such mean estate
Where ox and ass are feeding?
Good Christian, fear; for sinners here
The silent Word is pleading.
This, this is Christ, the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing.
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
The Babe the Son of Mary.

So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh; Come, peasant, king to own Him. The King of Kings salvation brings; Let loving hearts enthrone Him. This, this is Christ, the King, Whom shepherds guard and angels sing. Haste, haste to bring Him laud, The Babe, the Son of Mary.