

CELEBRATE!

Christmas Day - December 25
Nathan Shannon - December 25
Fred Kenngott - December 27

If we don't have your special days, please let us know.

Get Connected!

If you have a prayer request to write down, write it on the back of our "Get Connected" cards - found on the table in front of the bulletins and on tables with Bibles in the Sanctuary. Then drop it off at the front desk. You may also email the CGCC secretary by early Monday morning for inclusion in the Joys & Concerns email, or anytime to have a prayer request sent out.

Children's Sunday Morning Programs

Available during Worship.

Nursery Care: Newborn-3 in Nursery, Collide Kids Jr.: Ages 3-6 in Sprouts Room, Collide Kids Church: Grades 1-4 in Activity Room
Worship, a lesson, crafts, games, and other ways to grow in Jesus.

Offerings

If your donation is for a specific area of ministry, please indicate this on check memo line or envelope. Contributions so noted will be recorded for your tax records. Offering envelopes may be found on table near Sanctuary doors. (Goodness Grows contributions are made out directly to GG.)
Everything in the heavens and earth is yours, O Lord. - 1 Chronicles 29:11

Ongoing Coat, Clothing, & More Collection

Spread the word - we collect items year-round to help others!
Please drop them off in the donation barrel.
All clean & useable donations appreciated.

Bulletin Board

Please see the bulletin board for additional information - upcoming events, sign-up sheets, and more!

Goodness Grows



For information on our Non-Profit Mission Project, go to: www.goodnessgrows4all.org

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SERVING TOGETHER

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP SERVICE

December 24, 2021



Welcome to Common Ground!

Seeking to reflect the unconditional love of God,
our mission is to help people connect -
to God, to one another,
and to God's purpose for the world.

We pray that you experience
a sense of connection today -
to God, His people, and His world.

Come Grow With Us!



*Glory to God in the highest heaven,
and on earth Peace
to those on whom his favor rests.
Luke 2:14*

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**The Poinsettias Decorating Our Sanctuary**  
have been placed *in Loving Memory of,*  
and *in Honor of..*

Karen Long and Elaine Lower  
by the Vignon/Ashby Family

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Walter Kappler and Aggie & Frank Snyder, Sr.  
by the Snyder Family

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Elwood & Lillian Longanecker and  
Rudy & Minnie Bodendorfer  
by the Bodendorfer Family

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Maxine Duvall and Paul & Marilyn Jackson  
by the Jackson Family

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Millicent & Gerry Lynch  
by the Lynch Family

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Our Parents and Grandparents  
by the Carrier Family

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Janet Shannon and Sally Carrier  
by the Shannon Family

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*You are welcome to take your poinsettias home  
after the service.*

### **Today's Music**

Joining Praise Team members Cathy Bartholomew,  
Fred Kenngott, and Rachel Vignon, we welcome  
Jill Griffith, Audrey Shannon, Rebecca Hileman,  
Hannah Hileman, Jocelyn Aikens, Nick Basile, and  
the Collide Kids. We thank each of them for  
sharing their musical gifts on this special day!

### **Candle Lighting**

Parents, please use caution - we suggest that  
young children not hold lighted candles.

### **Christmas Cards**

Remember to check your Family File Folder  
in the black box at the front desk.

*May You Have a Blessed  
& Joyous Christmas!*

## **CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP SERVICE**

Pastor Michael Hileman

Friday, December 24, 2021

3:30pm

### **Welcome**

*We are so pleased that you have chosen to join us today  
in praise, worship, and celebration of the birth of Christ!*

### **Greeting/Prayer**

Pastor Mike

### **Songs of Worship**

*Joy to the World  
What Child is This?  
Away in a Manger*

### **Special Music**

*Light of the World*  
Rebecca Hileman & Jocelyn Aikens

### *The First Noelle*

Hannah Hileman

### **Scripture Reading**

*Isaiah 9:2-7*  
Curtis Veiock

### **Special Music**

*Do You Hear What I Hear?*  
Collide Kids

### *Breath of Heaven*

Audrey Shannon & Nick Basile

### **Scripture Reading**

*Luke 2:8-15*  
James & Tiffany Crawford

### **Message**

Jesus: Hope for All!

### **Special Music**

*O Holy Night*  
Audrey Shannon

### **Lighting of the Christ Candle**

Pastor Mike, Stacy, Rebecca, Hannah, & Sarah

### **Candle Lighting**

*Silent Night*

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Offering Our Gifts & Our Lives

(Offering Boxes Available)

You are invited to express your gratitude to God and
commitment to God's purposes through offerings and spiritual gifts.
All of you together are Christ's body, and each of you is a part of it.
1 Corinthians 12:27