

December 8, 2024
2nd Sunday of Advent

We are people who want to encounter God, be equipped by the Holy Spirit, and engage the world for Jesus!

Nursery (Birth-2 years old)
Children’s Church (3 years old-3rd Grade)

Worship in Song

How Great Is Our God/How Great Thou Art

Welcome/Announcements

Advent Candles Brandon & Haley Kidd

Worship in Song

Joy To The World (Unspeakable Joy)
Holy Forever

Prayer

Worship in Song

O Come, Let Us Adore Him

Tithes & Offerings/Special Jared Bailey, Matthew Hoffer

Message Pastor Jared Henry

“Why Did Jesus Come: To Fulfill the Law”
Matthew 5:17-20

Later Today/Tonight:

- 5:00 pm** NMI Council Meeting @Mackey
- 5:00 pm** Praise Choir practice @Mackey in Banquet Room
- 5:00 pm** Teen Quizzing @Mackey
- 6:00 pm** Mackey Nazarene Preschool Christmas Program. Please show your support to our students and their preschool families.

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Remember in Prayer:

- * Family of Paige Williams (Wayne/Beverly Richardson’s granddaughter), passed away 12/3
- * Unspoken requests & prodigals

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Stats from Previous Week:

<u>Attendance @Mackey</u>		<u>Budget @Mackey</u>	
#Equip Classes:	101	Monthly Budget:	\$48,443
Morning Worship:	247	Received this Month:	\$9,877

<u>Attendance @Owensville</u>		<u>Budget @Owensville</u>	
#Equip Classes:	11	Monthly Budget:	\$7,293
Morning Worship:	36	Received this Month:	\$2,046

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Happening This Week

- Tuesday**
5:00 pm Children’s Program Practice @Mackey
6:00 pm Daily Prayer Meeting @Mackey
6:00 pm Joyce’s Bible Study @Owensville
- Wednesday**
8:30 am Connie’s Bible Study @Mackey
5:15 pm ASL 101:Part 2 @Mackey
6:00 pm Teen Quizzing @Mackey
6:00 pm Choir Chime Practice @Mackey
6:00 pm “The ATTIC” Christmas Party @Mackey
6:00 pm Wednesday Free Family Meal @Mackey
7:00 pm Caravan @Mackey
7:00 pm Sanctuary Bible Study @Mackey
- Thursday**
5:30 pm Children’s Program Practice @Mackey
- Friday**
4:30 pm Children’s Program Practice @Mackey
- Saturday**
9:00 am Teen Bible Quiz @Columbus
- Sunday**
9:00 am Worship @Owensville
9:30 am #Equip Classes for all ages @Mackey
10:30 am #Equip Classes for all ages @Owensville
10:30 am Worship @Mackey
5:00 pm NDI Board Meeting @Mackey
5:00 pm Teen Quizzing @Mackey
6:00 pm Children’s Christmas Program @Mackey

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Church Family News

CHURCH FAMILY CHRISTMAS CARDS: Interested in a list of our church families to send Christmas cards to through our church mailbox system, please pick up a copy at the Welcome Center at each respective campus. @Mackey Campus: please have your cards in alphabetical order, wrapped with a rubber band, and place in the blue mailbox in the foyer. Donate what you’d spend in postage to our NMI (Missions) department.

Church Family News (continued)

DECEMBER THRIVE PRAYER LIST: If you want to participate in this and didn’t get a copy, please see the Welcome Center. After praying through December, we will be opening up a survey to hear how God is speaking to you about the next steps for our church. Thrive in 2025!

ELECTRICAL HELP NEEDED: Are you capable of pulling wires or wiring boxes? We need several hands/willing servants to help with this next step at the Townhomes. Sign up at the Welcome Center for possible dates you can help fill this need. Ethan Ireland (812-632-0661) is coordinating this project.

HOUSING CONSTRUCTION UPDATE: This past week: Gutter drains completed in front of townhomes (thank you Kyle Hathaway for working through the cold to get this done); Centerpoint Gas service utility locate completed, might be getting closer to installation than expected. This coming week: Gutter installation scheduled for December 10th; HVAC/Plumbing rough-in working towards completion for west unit.

PRAISE CHOIR: Practices will be December 8th, and December 15th at 5:00 pm @Mackey Campus. We will be singing Christmas Sunday, December 22nd. If you would like to join or be a part, contact Stephanie Ireland (812-304-0301).

STAFF DAYS OFF: Please see the Contact Information section of our bulletin for the specific day that each pastoral staff has chosen as his/her day off. Thank you for being considerate of their time for self-care.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE FUNDRAISER PICKUP: This Friday, December 13th, 4:00 pm-5:00 pm @Mackey Campus church kitchen. Teens must pick up ALL orders and deliver to those they sold to!

THANK YOU: “Thank you for the cards, gifts, & messages in honor of our birthdays. We so appreciate our church family!”
- Carol & Drew Castillo

THANKSGIVING OFFERING: “We Are Thankful” and this is one way we can share how thankful we are for God’s many blessings to us. Goal is **\$15,000**, given to-date, **\$14,182!**

- WEDNESDAY FREE MEAL MENU (served 6:00-6:45 pm):**
- * 12/11: Spaghetti
 - * 12/18: Soup (potato, chili, or chicken noodle), peanut butter/syrup sandwiches
 - * 12/25: NO MEAL (Christmas Break)

Thank You to...

- * All who donated for the nursing home Blessing Bags. We have all the needed items.
- * All who decorated both campuses for the Christmas season!
- * Kayla Capper and her helpers for a wonderful evening of fellowship at the Ladies Christmas Party.
- * Megan Doerner, Brooke Mitchell, Preschool Board and all who donated cookies for their time of fellowship after their program.
- * Melissa Martin for organizing the float for the Christmas Parade and to all who donated the many packets of hot chocolate.
- * Melissa Wolff and all who helped organize the first Merry Market @Mackey.

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Upcoming Events/Opportunities

NMI Council Meeting (December 8)

5:00 pm **TODAY** @Mackey Campus. #ENGAGE

Preschool Program (December 8)

6:00 pm **TONIGHT** @Mackey Campus. This will be a great time for the church family to meet the preschool families! #ENGAGE

***NEW* "The ATTIC" Christmas Party (December 11)**

6:00 pm @Mackey Campus. This is for teens grades 7th-12th. Van will run! We will be having a taco bar. There will be worship, devotional, and games. Please bring \$5 gift to exchange if you want to participate. Let Cecilia Rhoden (812-568-5860) know if you're needing a ride! #ENGAGE/#ENCOUNTER

Teen Bible Quiz (December 14)

9:00 am @Columbus First. Pray for all of our quizzers. #ENGAGE

NDI Board Meeting (December 15)

5:00 pm @Mackey Campus. Please get your items of discussion to Tom McCool by December 13th. #ENGAGE

Children's Christmas Program (December 15)

6:00 pm @Mackey Campus. *The Not-So-Silent Night*: follow three young shepherds who joyfully shout God's praises after visiting the baby Jesus. How were they to know they were "disturbing the peace?" You'll join them in a Bethlehem courtroom for a hilarious trial and a surprising verdict. #ENGAGE

***NEW* Young Adult Christmas Party (December 20)**

6:00 pm @Mackey Campus. This is for college age-30s. Light snacks and drinks will be provided. Bring a gift for white elephant (\$20 or less) if you want to participate. See Pastor Jared Allen with any questions. #ENGAGE

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The true light

that gives light to everyone

was coming into the world.

JOHN 1:9 (NIV)



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