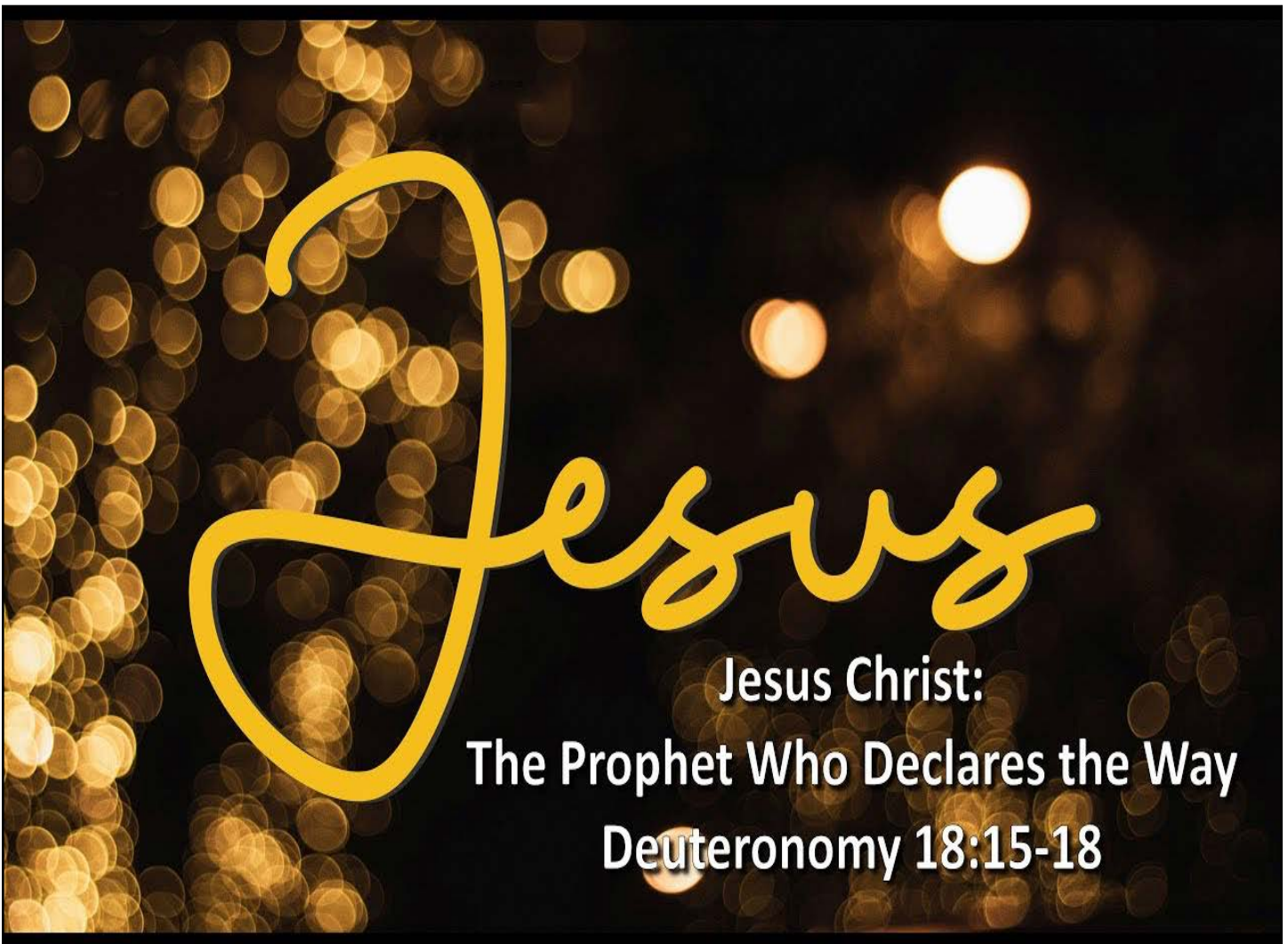
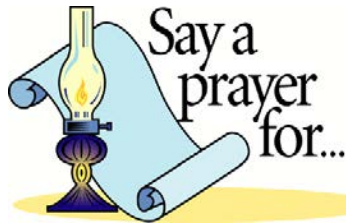


December 12, 2021



**Rocketdyne Road Church of Christ**  
*“Every member a minister...through service”*  
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Jacqueline Atnip will have surgery December 16th. Max Ruhl is having tests. Linda Francisco had knee replacement surgery last week. Remember Beth Brower, Linda Channel, Kay Stroud, Bonnie Gray, Gladys Cobb, Christiane Hobart, Sherry Smith, Scott Cagle, Shirley Obenshain, Dale Gray, Brian Deckman, Nolan Edmondson, Ralph Cope, Helen Elder, and Rachel Pyron as they deal with ongoing health issues.



Hey, kids!! Come have breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 18th, from 9 am to 11 am. We will have breakfast, lots of fun and, of course, Santa will be here.



**Yvonne Thurman** will celebrate her 81st birthday December 15th. Her address is 18348 Norway Road, Neosho, MO 64850.

### Thank You

Thank you to those who volunteered and served meals at Hope Kitchen December 4th. Meals were served to the homeless and needy. A special thank you to Mechell Shaver for coordinating our part of this event.



**Nathan Anderson**  
**Wyatt Burns**  
**Garret Douglas**  
**Jackson Schriever**

# Story:

Telling Our Past,  
 Living in the Present,  
 Hope of Our Future with Jesus

## God is the best story teller!

One of the greatest tools of story telling that He uses is His ability to point toward Jesus through prophecy.

A professor named Peter Stoner figured out that the probability of someone fulfilling just 8, of the over 400 prophecies pointing toward the Messiah would result in 1 in 100,000,000,000,000,000. Lee Strobel, an atheist who became a Christian after doing his own research, (The Case For Christ is a great book that shows this) wrote about what this probability looks like.

“I imagined the entire world being covered with white tile that was 1.5 inches square – every bit of dry land on the planet – with the bottom of just one tile painted red. Then I pictured a person being allowed to wander for a lifetime around all seven continents. He would be permitted to bend down only one time and pick up a piece of tile. What are the odds it would be the one tile whose reverse side was painted red? The odds would be the same as just eight of the Old Testament prophecies coming true for any one person in history!”

God truly is the best story teller!!!

**Laymen’s League Christmas Services**  
**December 13 - 17**  
**At the Canopy**  
 (The old Mills Furniture Store)

The men and boys of our congregation are invited to a time of worship for the men of our community that the Laymen’s League hosts. There will be coffee and donuts at 6am and the service starts at 6:30am.



It's time! This Sunday, December 12th, we are heading to Silver Dollar City to see the Christmas lights! We will leave after church services and stop for lunch in Monett. You will need money for lunch and dinner, plus your season pass or ticket. We will stay at the park till at least 7pm.

This Wednesday night we will continue with our "Secret Prayer Partners" and our study in Counter Culture.

Then the following Wednesday, December 22nd, we will have our Buddy the Elf themed Christmas Party! Teens: plan on arriving at 6pm to kick off the festivities. Then kids of all ages are invited to join us during regular bible class at 7pm for a fun surprise! Teens will then hang out from 8 to 10pm for the rest of our Teen Christmas Party. No cost to join! Absolutely FREE! But you can bring a gift for our wacky gift exchange.

Is it December?! The weather can't make up its mind...but it's starting to feel like Christmas with all of the celebrations and events. I hope you are finding some time of peace and cheer! Remember to keep praying daily for your Secret Prayer Partner!! I can't wait to reveal those during our Christmas party!! Zac



Our Christmas party is going to be on December 23rd from 6:00-8:30. Let's play games, eat snacks, and watch a movie. The movie will be The Grinch (2018). Don't forget your Christmas Pajamas! Megan Ryan



Breakfast with Santa needs more helpers. If you can help in any way, please contact Shawna Whorton, Linda Hawkins, or Samantha Beeson.



## For Ages 3 years - 4th Grade

Thank you to Jimmie Douglass for teaching us about an angel bringing good news. Join us today as we learn about the birth of a special baby.

### December Memory Verse

*"Don't be afraid, because I am bringing you good news. Today your Savior was born."*

*Luke 2:10-11*

Just a reminder, whenever you are ready, you can say the memory verse to the Imagination Station teacher for a treat from the treasure box!

### Schedule

#### Today - December 12

Lesson: A Special Baby Was Born  
Teacher: Samantha Beeson  
Helpers: Cindy Marlow, Emma Friend  
Monitor: Kevin Cutbirth

#### December 19

Lesson: Shepherds Hear Special News  
Teachers: Zac and Jenn Erisman  
Helper: Anica Paic  
Monitor: Andrew Jones

#### December 26

Lesson: Wise Men Worship a Special Baby  
Teacher: Shannon Hatfield  
Helpers: Amy and Aubrey Payne  
Monitor: Jason Stipp

Neosho Public Schools  
Character Trait For December

### CARING

Being supportive and responding to the needs of others with kindness and compassion

OUR  
*Leaders*

**Elders**

Al Beaver  
Tom Condict  
Clyde Hopper  
Don Hounsshell  
Ben Lane  
Jim Pyron  
Earl Reynolds  
Ray Stipp

**Deacons**

Bryce Beeson  
Sage Crane  
Adam Lett  
Kael Powers  
Jason Stipp  
Alan Woodward

**Ministers**

Zac Erisman  
Tye Zola

## Sunday Assignments

**December 12**

**Shepherd's Prayer**

Don Hounsshell

**Serve Communion**

Phillip Whiteman, Matthew Shear  
John Miller, Greg Hatfield  
Randy Bass, Cole Bray  
Derrick Davis, Andrew Jones

**December 19**

**Shepherd's Prayer**

Ben Lane

**Serve Communion**

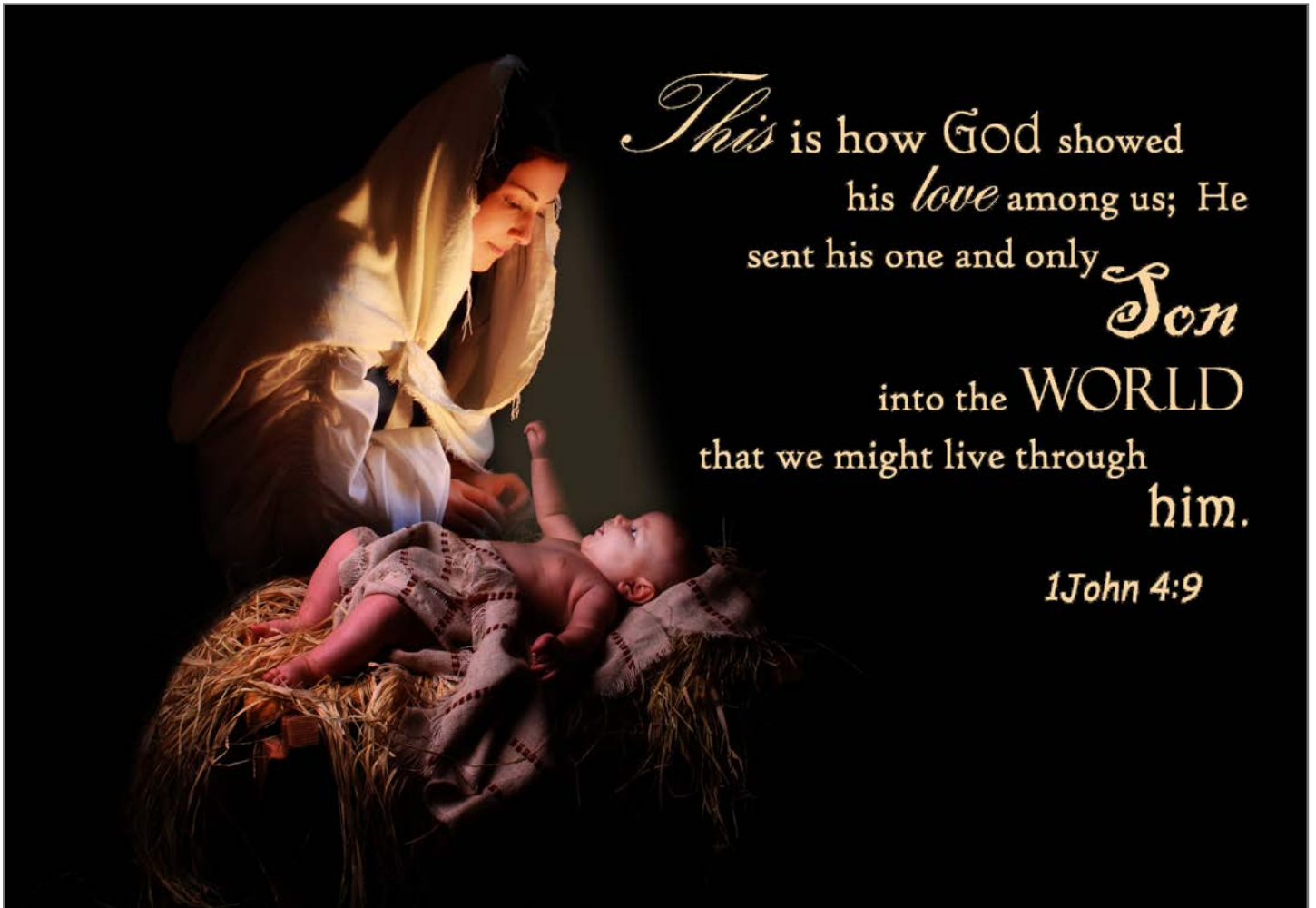
Jonathan Davis, Luke Pyron  
Brent Marion, Tim Holding  
Keith Woodward, Bill Smith  
Lance Pyron, Lane Pyron



Food  
Collection

Fair Haven Children's Home Needs

Green Beans  
Pancake Mix  
Pancake Syrup



*This* is how **GOD** showed  
his *love* among us; He  
sent his one and only  
**Son**  
into the **WORLD**  
that we might live through  
**him.**

*1John 4:9*