

# Sunday December 29, 2024

Prayer Time 9:15 Am  
Sunday School 9:30 Am  
Fellowship Time 10:15 Am  
Worship Service 10:45 Am

Prelude	Mary Ann Gross
*Worship In Song	<i>Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee</i> WH 23
Welcome & Morning Prayer	Pastor Stuart Curry
Giving Of Our Gifts	Mary Ann Gross
*Worship In Song	<i>Doxology</i>
Choir Cantata	<i>Joy Doesn't Expire</i>
	<i>Calypso Lullaby</i>
	<i>No Room</i>
	<i>How Great our Joy</i>
	<i>Holy Child of Bethlehem</i>
*Worship In Song	<i>God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen</i>
Children's Moment	Natasha Curry
Message	Pastor Stuart J Curry
	<i>Carrying Joy Into The New Year</i>
Benediction	

\*stand if comfortable

## SERVING THIS WEEK

Greeter: Pastor Stuart J. Curry  
Music Leader: June Pullman  
Piano: Mary Ann Gross  
Organist:  
Ushers: Cameron, JoJae, Korey  
Fellowship Time: Caroline Curry  
Flowers: Memorial Poinsettia

## SERVING NEXT WEEK

Greeter: Marla Gilbert  
Music Leader: Karol Hofer  
Piano: Marla Gilbert  
Organist: Mary Ann Gross  
Ushers: Doug, Stuart W., Todd  
Fellowship Time: Marla Gilbert  
Flowers: Flower Committee

## Stewardship Information - December 22, 2024

Sunday School 10, Worship Service 23, Givings - \$778



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## *Our Mission:*

*To worship and proclaim Christ.  
To edify, encourage, and minister to all people*

## PRAYER REQUESTS

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**Pray For:** our vision in 2025, that we may remain anchored in God's hope.

**Church Leadership Of The Week:** Christian Education

**Sunday School Class Of The Week:** Adult

**School Of The Week:** Bridgewater

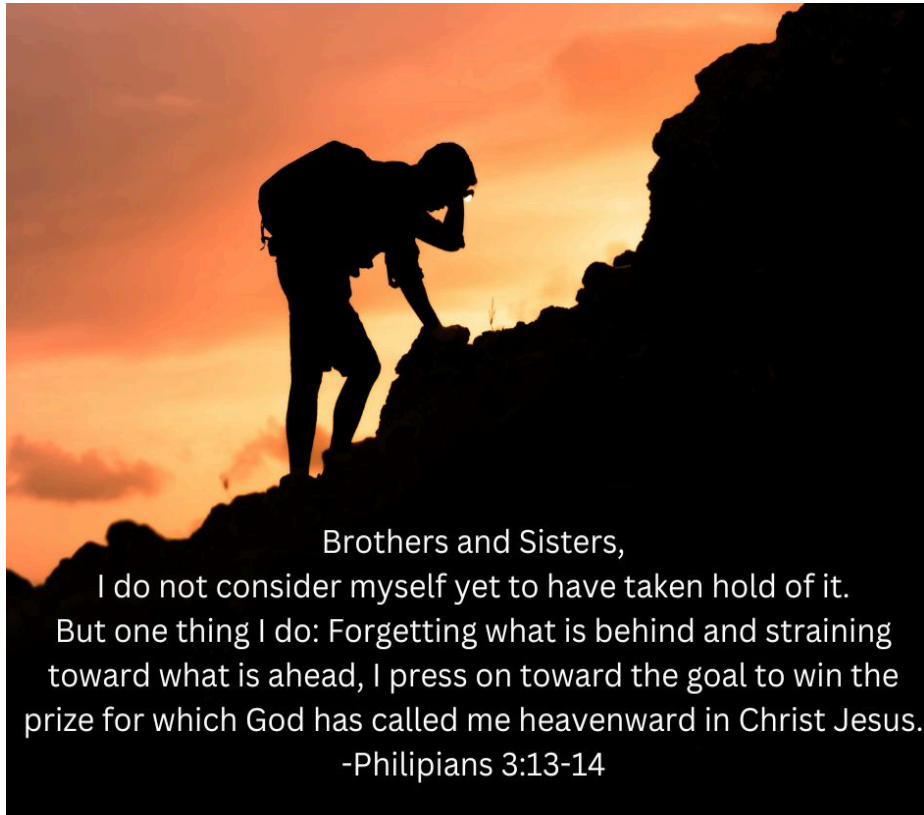
**Birthdays To Celebrate:** Donna Wall - January 2

**Upcoming event:**

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Remember to mark your calendar for CheesePocket Days on February 1-2!

Your help is crucial and greatly appreciated—there's a role for everyone! Join us for the preparation day and assembly day at the church. Your support truly makes a difference. We can't wait to see you there!



Brothers and Sisters,

I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it.  
But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining  
toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the  
prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.

-Philippians 3:13-14

## DOXOLOGY

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

## GOD REST YOU MERRY, GENTLEMEN

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1. God rest ye merry, gentlemen,  
Let nothing you dismay,  
Remember Christ our Savior  
Was born on Christmas Day  
To save us all from Satan's pow'r  
When we were gone astray.

(Chorus)  
Oh tidings of comfort and joy,  
Comfort and joy;  
Oh tidings of comfort and joy.

2. From God our heavenly Father  
A blessed angel came  
And unto certain shepherds  
Brought tidings of the same;  
How that in Bethlehem was born  
The Son of God by name. (Chorus)

3. "Fear not," then said the angel,  
"Let nothing you affright;  
This day is born a Saviour  
Of a pure virgin bright,  
To free all those who trust in Him  
From Satan's power and might." (Chorus)

4. Now to the Lord sing praises  
All you within this place,  
And with true love and brotherhood  
Each other now embrace;  
This holy tide of Christmas  
All other doth deface. (Chorus)