

## This Week "at Grace"

**TODAY, SUNDAY, December 11, 2022**

Morning Worship ..... 10:45 A.M.

**MONDAY**

**TUESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

Praise Team Rehearsal ..... 6:00 P.M.

**THURSDAY**

**FRIDAY**

Fasting Friday

**SATURDAY**

Men's Bible Study ..... 9:00 A.M.

The office will be open this week:

From Tuesday to Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

## Upcoming Meetings

Elder/Deacon .....Monday, December 19 at 6:00 P.M.

### **KIDS QUEST TODAY!**

Children Ages 4 to 5<sup>th</sup> grade may be dismissed for Kids Quest after Pastoral Prayer

**No Nursery Available**

**Youth Sunday School for 5<sup>th</sup> Graders and Up**

"Route 66" will resume Sunday, January 8, 2023 at 10:00 A.M.



If you are the chairman of a board or committee please note that your report for the GMC Annual Meeting is due to the church office by December 31, 2022, please send your file to our office email [gmczion@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gmczion@sbcglobal.net)

Thank you!



*Third Sunday in Advent*

# "SECURITY IN THE STORM"

## 1 Peter 3:13-17



December 11, 2022  
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GMC Prayer Sheet for the week of  
Sunday, December 11, 2022

**This Week's Urgent/Current Needs**

*Cancer: Darlene Werner, Larry Whatley,  
Victoria Gómez, Luz Maria Martinez, John Lindstrom.*

*Paul Helm Enrique Lara  
Lerita McCulloch Dave Carlson  
Cooper Roberts Baby Liam  
Sandy Riley*

*Ben Meyer is having upcoming vein procedures on his leg.  
Please keep him in your prayers.*

**Remember to Pray and fast at least one meal  
every Friday.**

**Nursing Homes/Assisted Living/At Home**  
*Delora English, Joan Biastock, Marilyn Muro, Violeta  
Mendez, John & Yolanda Balitchik, Betty Dickinson,  
Wendy & Ben Meyer*

**Sister ZB Churches**

Meadowridge Baptist Church – Pastor Bruce Allen  
WH 1<sup>st</sup> Baptist Church – Pastor Corwin Wong

**Week 2 Missionaries**

*Child Evangelism Fellowship in Grayslake  
Love INC in Zion  
Family Resource Center in Zion*

“MASK USAGE OPTIONAL”

**Notes and Announcements**

December 11, 2022

**LET'S SHOW OUR LOVE** and appreciation to Pastor Carlson with a monetary gift again this year. Please use the envelope in today's bulletin. You will have several opportunities to contribute, but the gifts are going to be handed to the pastor next Sunday, December 18<sup>th</sup>.

**The Church is not going to give IRS credit for Pastor's Gifts givers**

**Coming Events:**

**December 17: Men's Bible Study at 9:00 A.M.**

**December 18: Christmas Program and Fellowship Christmas program in the morning, followed at noon by a Chili, Soup and Sandwich meal in the Fellowship Hall. Jose Guay will present a “Travelogue” about his just-completed trip to Israel, Turkey, and Greece. Please sign up on the bulletin table for attendance and bringing food.**

**December 25:** This year, with Christmas falling on a Sunday, we will gather in casual wear for an informal and reflective service with our church family. Please wear a festive sweater and come prepared to share an answered prayer or blessing from 2022 with us. We will sing favorites from the hymnal and Pastor will share brief “Reflections on a Carol,” the holiday favorite, “*Hark, the Herald Angels Sing.*” At the conclusion of this brief service, we invite you to gather in the foyer fellowship area for hot chocolate and Christmas cookies (or you can take your cookie to go if need be).

**Mark your calendars and join us for a “Grace Family  
Christmas Celebration!”**

**Please No uncovered beverages in the  
Sanctuary.**