## This Week "at Grace"

TODAY, SUNDAY, December 15, 2024	
Bible Study (Berean Class)	9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
Food Pantry in the Fellowship Hall	.After the Service
MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
Prayer Group	
Missions Committee	11:00 A.M.
Ladies Bible Study	12:30 P.M.
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	
Praise Team Rehearsal	6:00 P.M.
FRIDAY	
Fasting Friday	
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SATURDAY

The office will be open this week: From Tuesday to Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

## **Upcoming Meetings**

Missions Meeting...... Tuesday, December 17 at 11:00 A.M. Elder/Deacon.....Monday, December 23 at 6:00 P.M.

### **KIDS MINISTRIES TODAY**

Children Aged "K" to 5th grade "Kids Quest" will be participating in the Christmas Program.

## **No Nursery Today!**

### <u>Giving at "Grace"</u>

Budgeted Weekly: \$5,527.00 Tithes & Offering Last Week: \$3,179.00 Budgeted Monthly: \$23,953.29 Tithes & Offering Last Month: \$15,460.99 **ZELLE ELECTRONIC GIVING IS NOW AVAILABLE** Send the money to Grace Missionary Church with our email: gmczion@sbcglobal.net



# Luke 1:26-56



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Lighting the Candle of Peace

➤ Singing His Songs...

It Came Upon the Midnight Clear Angels We Have Heard on High O Come O Come Emmanuel O Holy Night

- Welcome & Giving His Tithes and Our Offerings...
  - Announcements
- 2024 Christmas Program
  - "Mary's Christmas
- Devotional Pastor Doug Carlson

"Mary's Christmas" Luke 1:26-56

Closing Song

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

#### Week 3 Missionaries

Mark & Ruth McDowell in the Philippines Paul & Carol Suzuki, in Japan The Maylands in Greece

### Notes and Announcements

December 15, 2024

**LET'S SHOW OUR LOVE** and appreciation to both Pastors with a monetary Christmas gift again this year. Please find the envelopes at the back tables. You will have several opportunities to contribute, but the gifts are going to be handed to them on December 22nd.

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

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, 2024, please send your Word file or Google Doc File (No PDFS or Pictures) to our office email

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<u>Thank you!</u>



January 18th, 4:00 P.M. Bring a game and a supper dish to pass and meet us at the fellowship hall! Have any questions, ask Ann or Destiny.

## **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

We would like to know where the boxes were delivered, if you have tracked your box, please write on the list in the Missions Desk, Thanks!

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Today: December 21 Food Pantry Caroling at 4:00 P.M. (Dinner Provided) Sign up on the Back Table

Please, No uncovered beverages in the Sanctuary Grace Prayer Sheet for the Month of December 2024

### This month's On-going Needs

Darlene Werner Toni Harrington Shirley Odom Dick Beem

### This Month's Pressing Needs

Leah Stevens Al McElroy on Hospice Care

### Nursing Homes/Assisted Living/At Home

Marilyn Muro, Violeta Mendez, Yolanda Balitchik, Betty Dickinson, Wendy & Ben Meyer

If you have any prayer need and want us to add it to the prayer chain and this prayer sheet, please look for a prayer form in the offering table, fill it out and place it on the offering plate or the office mailbox. Thanks