

# December 2023

SUN	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3 YOUTH SMALL GROUP @ SNOD-GRASS'	4 MONDAY FOR THE MASTER 5:00	5 LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 AM ROOM-ROOM	6 BIBLE CLASSES	7	8	9 KFC CHRISTMAS PARTY 4:00-7:00 EAST ROOM
10	11	12	13 BIBLE CLASSES	14	15	16
17 YOUTH SMALL GROUP @ SNOD-GRASS'	18 KFC ACTIVITY DAY EAST ROOM	19 KFC SANTA LAND 3:00	20 BIBLE CLASSES KFC CAROLING & GIFTS	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 BIBLE CLASSES	28	29	30
31 NEW YEARS EVE PARTIES	JAN 1	JAN 2	JAN 3 BIBLE CLASSES	JAN 4	JAN 5	JAN 6

### Security Schedule Sunday

Dec 3 - Carter and Cuevas  
 Dec 10 - Duncan & Fox  
 Dec 17 - Hix & Majors  
 Dec 24 - Buck & Wilkins

### Security Schedule Wednesday

Dec 6 - Carter and Cuevas  
 Dec 13 - Duncan & Fox  
 Dec 20 - Hix & Majors  
 Dec 27 - Buck & Wilkins

### Nursery Attendants

Dec 3 - N. Lee & T. Lee  
 Dec 10 - Campbell, McClendon  
 Dec 17 - Matthews & Mullins  
 Dec 24 - Hix & Underwood

### Greeters

Dec 3 - Beckett & McInroe  
 Dec 10 - Reeds & Maldonado  
 Dec 17 - Willmon & McRae  
 Dec 24 - Flanagan & Rogers

### Contribution

Todd & Max Daniels, Bryan & Lincoln Majors, E.ric & Ben Reed, J. Rodgers, M. Underwood

Nov 26  
 Attendance - 196  
 Contribution - 5,733  
 Weekly Budget - 7,653

### Online Giving Available

For the convenience of online giving, visit our webpage at [northridgecoc.com](http://northridgecoc.com), under the "Giving" tab.

### Ministers

Michael Orr  
 Pulpit Minister

Tyler Meredith  
 Youth Minister

Raynard Screws  
 Associate Minister

Jim Parker  
 Minister Emeritus

### Elders

Randy Beckett

Larry Dehls

Robert Perryman

Raynard Screws

Gaylon Thompson

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### Worship

#### Opportunities

##### Sunday morning:

Bible Classes All Ages - 9:30

Worship - 10:30

##### Sunday Evening Service

Bible Hour - 6:00

##### Wednesday evening:

Bible Classes All Ages - 6:30



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# NORTH RIDGE CHURCH OF CHRIST

December 3, 2023

Welcome - Robert Perryman

Song Leader - Gaylon Thompson

1018- Joy to the World

768 - Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You

Prayer - Jim Parker

Dismissal for Children's Church

578 - We Will Glorify

524 - I Know Whom I Have Believed

875 - Home Of The Soul

Sermon - Michael Orr

When Jesus Comes Part One  
 What Will We Be Doing?

943- Do You Know My Jesus?

364 - Come, Share the Lord

Communion - Jerry McRae

Closing Prayer - Robert Perryman

449 Thy Word



### Welcome Visitors!

We are happy you have chosen to worship with us today! Please take a card and fill it out, place it in the collection plate, or scan the QR code so we may have a record of your attendance. An attended worship-hour nursery is provided for children two and under in room #2.



Children's Worship is for 3 year olds to the 4th grade.

**TOMORROW @ 5:00: MONDAY FOR THE MASTER.** Come and be involved in encouraging others by writing cards to our sick and shut-ins or making visits.

**NEW BROTHERS IN CHRIST:** There were two baptisms at the jail this past week. Demarques Allen and Harry Castro. This ongoing evangelistic ministry is touching many lost souls.

**BOLES HOMES CHRISTMAS:** Gifts will be delivered first week of December to the cottage NorthRidge sponsors. Robert and Cindy Perryman are accepting donations through December 10th and they will purchase the gifts.

**LADIES BIBLE CLASS** will meet December 5th in the East Room for their Christmas Party and Gift assembly. Bring finger food. This will be the final meeting of the year. Class will resume January 9th.

**SINGLES GROUP** meets at Catfish King for lunch today.

### FROM THE ELDERS

Malachi 3:6-18. The amount of your giving is between you and God. With the guidance of the Holy Spirit, examine the heart of your giving.

1. Is the amount intentional or random?
2. Does He receive your best?
3. What material desires do you give up for God?
4. Instead of calculating the minimum we must give, we should challenge ourselves to discover the maximum we can give.



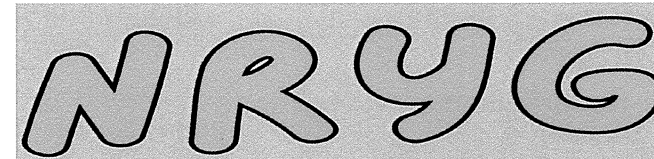
December 9 \*Christmas Party \* East Room  
4p—7pm

December 18 \* Activity Day East Room \*  
4p -7pm  
Make treats for Residents in Nursing Home

December 19 \*Carmela's Santa Land\* Longview  
Meet at church at 4pm

December 20 \*Christmas Caroling and Gifts \*  
Meet at church at 6:00 pm

December 31 \*New Years Eve Party\*  
12 - 2pm



**SMALL GROUP will meet at the SNODGRASS HOME December 3rd and 17th.**

**PARENT YOUTH MEETING, DECEMBER 3rd, IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING A.M. SERVICES. Please bring a brown bag.**

**December 10th. Christmas Party for Youth Group in East Room, 6:00—8:00 P.M.**

**If you are interested in hosting a youth event, Please contact Tyler.**

### Prayer Journal

**Angie Beckett** will have surgery December 6th at Titus Regional.

**Louis Reed**, Eric Reed's dad, was taken to an Oklahoma City hospital Thursday for emergency dialysis. He is very sick and is 91 years old.

**Linda Kirkland** is sick at home with pneumonia.

**Billy Tidwell** is home recuperating from knee replacement surgery.

**Anita McRae** is home recuperating from knee replacement surgery.

**Lisa Harris**, mother of Erica Hix, is seriously ill and is on hospice care.

**Millie Black** is slowing improving with rehab continuing at Caraday of Mt. Vernon. Her address there is 501 Yates St., Room 58, Mt Vernon, TX. 75457.

**Robert Roseberry**, has stage 3 prostate cancer. **Ryan Case** was badly injured in an auto accident Thursday. These are former State Troopers and friends of Ramona Campbell.

**Eric Reed** will have surgery January 18th in Plano to repair mitral valve and subaortic membrane.

**Mary Anne Breazeale** is still struggling with multiple health problems.

### Vision from the Elders

**We are in the business of life changes. It is our prayer and hope that through worship, church community, encouragement, and engaging our neighbors we will be God's hands and feet as He opens the doors for us to share the Gospel and become more like Jesus.**

**We Are Family!**

Come, Lord Jesus

By Michael Orr

Come, Lord Jesus, for here I am, ready.  
My path is now certain, my pace is now steady.  
Come quickly and mend every broken endeavor,  
Draw near and receive me, both now and forever.

Come, Lord Jesus, for my soul is now yearning,  
My heart always aching, my spirit is burning.  
For I'm longing to see you, to look on your face,  
To hear your voice calling, to feel your embrace.

Come, Lord Jesus, for my weariness grows,  
In the deepest of places, where no one else goes.  
For you know my being, every stitch you have made,  
Please come and restore me, lest my confidence fade.

Come, Lord Jesus, my Almighty Friend,  
In your brightness now lead me, from here till the end.  
Then I'll dwell with you always, on that bright, golden shore,  
So come, Lord Jesus, and abide evermore.

