

A Christmas Celebration

Sunday, Dec. 17, 9:30 & 11 am, Worship Center

Celebrate the season with an extra dose of traditional Christmas music by the UBC Choir & Orchestra at our 9:30 and 11:00 services.



Christmas Flower Dedication

On Christmas Eve, the Worship Center will be decorated with poinsettias. If you would like to dedicate a poinsettia in

honor or memory of a family member or friend, please <u>click here</u>. Flowers are \$15 each. Deadline to dedicate is this Sunday, Dec. 17.

Share the Joy!

Join us for an author visit for our preschoolers and their parents! You

are invited to a Christmas event on Sunday, Dec. 17, at 5 pm in the Chapel with craft cookie decorating, a photo op, and the book *Share the Joy!* by Valerie Ellis available for purchase.





Advent Devotional

The Eternal King Arrives is a 4-week devotional to help individuals, small groups, and families journey through the 2023 Advent season. Each

daily reading concludes with Scripture passages for reflection and discussion questions to aid individual or group study. Pick up your copy in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday mornings or download the **PDF here**!

Christmas Eve Services

Sunday, Dec. 24, Worship Center

Christmas Eve Morning Service, 10 am: Gather with us for one combined worship service. No WBS groups will meet (including Preschool WBS).

Family Friendly Service, 4 pm: The Christmas story, music, glow sticks and a live nativity.

Classic Christmas Service, 5:30 pm: Rejoice with an assortment of classic Christmas carols and a candlelight service.

To learn more about all of UBC's Christmas concerts, services, and events visit us online at <u>www.ubc.org/christmas</u>.

Walden Garden Work Day

Support the Clear Lake Food Pantry by coming out and helping us care for our vegetable garden TOMORROW, December 16, 8-10 am!

Faith@Home: In-Sync Marriage Retreat

Are you in sync with your spouse? Join us February 23-24 for the 2024 IN-SYNC Marriage Retreat where we will work on saying "BYE BYE BYE" to miscommunication and work on ways to become more IN-SYNC as a couple. You'll get to experience Kemah and stay at the Courtyard by Marriott. Visit **ubc.org** for more information or to register!

UBC Men's Retreat

All men are invited for a weekend of fellowship, fun, sports, worship, and teaching. Experience a weekend from which you will re-enter your daily lives refreshed and focused, desiring to grow as husbands, fathers, and men of God. Be there, January 19-21 at Sky Ranch in Van, TX! Register at ubc.org/men.

Living UBC Podcast

Tune into this week's podcast as Jennifer Broddle shares her experience with the Tapestry Devotional. Find Living UBC wherever you listen to your podcasts or visit **ubc.org/podcast**.

Coats for Katya

Donate gently used or new children's coats and socks for orphans in Ukraine. Specially marked boxes will be in the Fellowship Hall, and in other prominent, high-traffic areas of UBC, throughout the month of December. We will ship the boxes in early January.

New Year's Eve Service

Celebrate New Year's Eve (Sunday, Dec. 31) with a combined service at 10 am. No WBS groups will meet (including Preschool WBS).

Year-End Giving

December giving is important to UBC's budget as it sets the pace for the remainder of the fiscal year. As you seek the Lord's direction, trust in His provisions as you consider your year-end gift. You can also support UBC through everyday shopping by linking your Kroger Community Rewards to University Baptist Church as your charity. For any questions about these or other giving opportunities, please reach out to Carrie Hill (carrie.hill@ubc.org). Click here to give.



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