

ADVENT READING SCHEDULE: This schedule is to provide you and your family a guide to remember and anticipate the celebration of the birth of Christ.

	Dec 1	Dec 8	Dec 15	Dec 22
Sun	Isa. 40:1—5	Isa. 11:1-10	Luke 1:14-25	Mat. 1:18-25
Mon	Isa. 52:7-10	Zech. 6:12-13	Luke 1:39-45	Luke 2:1-20
Tue	Isa. 40:9-11	Mic. 5:2-4	Luke 1:46-66	Mat. 2:1-2
Wed	Gen. 3:8-15	Mal. 3:1-6	Luke 1:67-80	Luke 2:21-35
Thur	Gen. 15:1-6	John 1:1-18	Isa. 7:10-14	
Fri	Gen. 18:15-19	Mark 1:1-3	Luke 1:26-35	
Sat	Ps. 89:1-4	Luke 1:5-13	Isa. 9:2-7	

Prayer for Worship

It is the flame of my life to worship thee,
the crown and glory of my soul to adore thee,
heavenly pleasure to approach thee.
Give me power by the Spirit to help me worship now,
that I may forget the world,
be brought into the fullness of life,
be refreshed, comforted, blessed.
Give me knowledge of thy goodness
that I might not be over-awed by their greatness;
Give me Jesus, Son of Man, Son of God,
that I might not be terrified,
but drawn near with filial love,
with holy boldness;
He is my Mediator, Brother, Interpreter,
Branch, Daysman, Lamb;
him I glorify,
in him I am set on high.
Crowns to give I have none,
but what thou hast given I return,
content to feel that everything is mine
when it is thine,
and the more fully mine when I have yielded it to thee.
Let me live wholly to my Saviour,
free from distractions,
from carking care,
from hindrances to the pursuit
of the narrow way.
I am pardoned through the blood of Jesus-
give me a new sense of it,
continue to pardon me by it,
may I come every day to the fountain,
and every day to be washed anew,
that I may worship thee always
in spirit and truth.

WE AFFIRM THE “SOLAS” OF THE PROTESTANT REFORMATION

- Sola Scriptura:** The Bible is the sole written divine revelation and alone can bind the conscience of believers absolutely.
- Sola Fide:** Justification is by faith alone. The merit of Christ imputed to us by faith is the sole ground of our acceptance by God, by which our sins are remitted.
- Solus Christus:** Christ is the only mediator through whose work we are redeemed.
- Sola Gratia:** Our salvation rests solely on the work of God’s grace for us.
- Soli Deo Gloria:** To God alone belongs the glory.

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“IN ALL THINGS...FOR ALL NATIONS”

Our central passion at Randolph Street is God & His glory in all things. As we gather today to sing, pray, read the Scriptures and hear the Word preached, may our triune God be pleased to show forth His greatness and goodness for the sake of our joy and His glory. In response to God and His promises this morning, may our hearts rise up in praise, repentance, faith, delight and hope.

TODAY’S SCHEDULE

- 9:30am** Training Hour (see inside pages for details)
10:30am Corporate Worship in the Auditorium
*Nursery (0-3 years) is available in Room 207.
12:00pm Informal After-Gathering in the Welcome Center

TODAY’S SERMON

Romans 5:1-5

¹ Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. ² Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. ³ Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴ and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵ and hope does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.

CALENDAR REMINDERS: Keep these dates in mind.

- Nov. 24 - Prison Ministry Meeting – after the gathering in Pastor Tim’s office.
- Dec. 4 - Christmas in the Park – Wednesday, at Valley Park in Hurricane. (This is a correction from the initial notice)
- 7 & 14 - Holiday Child Care – from 1 – 5pm.
- 8 - New Member Sunday
- 8 - Multiplication Meeting – **Changed to Sunday Night Ministry Update at 6pm.**
- 8 - **Sunday Night Ministry Update** – 6pm. Dessert to follow.
- 18 - Baby Shower for Sheri Fry – Wednesday at Panera Bread (6pm)
- 22 - Training Hour Break – We will not be having training hour the 3 Sundays from December 22nd through January 5th.
- 22 - Middle School Christmas Party – Following the gathering. Pizza Party (\$3/child) and Candy Exchange.
- 22 - Christmas Caroling – West Side Neighborhood. Meet at the Church at 5pm.
- 24 - Christmas Eve Service — 6 ~ 7pm
- 27 - Cross Conference – Louisville, KY, from December 27th through December 30th.
- 29 - Sacrifice Sunday
- Jan. 11 - Shower for Hilary Stone – Saturday at the Church (11am).
- 18 - Starting Point Class – Saturday, 1-day class from 8:30am-11:30am for those interested in partnering with RSBC in membership.

PRISON MINISTRY: We have been invited to participate in the Western Regional and the South Central Regional prison ministries. This will involve preaching opportunities and one-on-one ministry. Please email Pastor Tim @ tim@randolphonline.org if you are interested or would like more information. There will be a short meeting after the gathering in Pastor Tim’s office on November 24th.

CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK: Randolph Street will be hosting a Christmas service in Teays Valley at the Community Center of Valley Park in Hurricane on December 4th (6pm). We would especially like to encourage our Valley area families to support this effort. For more information, contact Jared Bare (jared.bare@abc.edu).

HOLIDAY CHILD CARE: We will be offering Child Care from 1pm to 5pm on Saturday, December 7th and Saturday, December 14th at the church facility to serve our families with younger children to have time for shopping or preparations for Christmas. Please sign up in the welcome center.

SUNDAY NIGHT MINISTRY UPDATE: There will be a meeting to update the church family on our activity and plans for our multiplication effort in the Valley on December 8th at 6pm. To facilitate care group planning and other details, we will be looking for commitment from those desiring to be a part of this effort. We will also be addressing some shepherding issues along with our children being instructed by our elders for catechism. The evening will be capped off with dessert.

CROSS CONFERENCE: Continue to be in prayer for those planning to attend the Cross Conference coming up this December. If you are interested in attending the conference, it’s not too late to sign up. Contact Andrew Stonestreet (Stonestreet.Andrew@gmail.com) or Jeremy Bennett (Jeremy@randolphonline.org) for more details. Visit www.crosscon.com for information on the conference. If you would like to contribute to help offset the cost of this conference to those attending, please let Jeremy Bennett know.

“THANK YOU” TO THE CHURCH FAMILY: Bud Bush and his family would like to extend their gratitude for the overwhelming care and love they received during Becky’s illness and home-going.

LEADERSHIP EXAMINATION AND TRAINING: The next training session is going to be held on December 11th at 6pm. The men who have entered training for office of elder are Greg McVey, Fred Nyhuis & Roger Shealy. The men who have entered training for office of deacon are Tony Bradley, Ben Fisher, Gerald Foster, Scott Fox & Aaron James.

PARKING: Thank you for your patience as we complete the parking project on the east side of our facility.

2013 BIBLE READING PLAN			
Nov. 1: Luke 19-20	Nov. 9: John. 11-12	Nov. 17: Acts 11-13	Nov. 25: Rom. 4-7
Nov. 2: Luke 21-22	Nov. 10: John 13-15	Nov. 18: Acts 14-15	Nov. 26: Rom. 8-10
Nov. 3: Luke 23-24	Nov. 11: John 16-18	Nov. 19: Acts 16-17	Nov. 27: Rom. 11-13
Nov. 4: John 1-2	Nov. 12: John 19-21	Nov. 20: Acts 18-20	Nov. 28: Rom. 14-16
Nov. 5: John 3-4	Nov. 13: Acts 1-3	Nov. 21: Acts 21-23	Nov. 29: 1 Cor. 1-4
Nov. 6: John 5-6	Nov. 14: Acts 4-6	Nov. 22: Acts 24-26	Nov. 30: 1 Cor. 5-8
Nov. 7: John 7-8	Nov. 15: Acts 7-8	Nov. 23: Acts 27-28	
Nov. 8: John 9-10	Nov. 16: Acts 9-10	Nov. 24: Rom. 1-3	

RANDOLPH STREET CATECHISM

(The weekly Q&A is taken from the Baptist Catechism.)

Question 94: What is repentance unto life?

Answer: Repentance unto life is a saving grace, by which a sinner, out of a true sense of his sin, and apprehension of the mercy of God in Christ, does, with grief and hatred of his sin, turn from it to God, with full purpose of, and endeavor after, new obedience.

Scripture: Acts 2:37; Joel 2:13; Jeremiah 31:18, 19; 2 Corinthians 7:10, 11; Romans 6:18.

Question 95: What are the outward and ordinary means by which Christ communicates to us the benefits of redemption?

Answer: The outward and ordinary means by which Christ communicates to us the benefits of redemption are his ordinances, especially the Word, Baptism, the Lord's Supper and Prayer; all of which are made effectual to the elect for salvation.

Scripture: Romans 10:17; James 1:18; 1 Corinthians 3:5; Acts 14:1; 2:41, 42.

2013 REGULAR BUDGET FINANCIAL SUMMARY (as of 11/17/2013)	
2013 Giving Goals	Actual Giving
2013 Monthly Budget (Goal = \$33,494)	\$30,980.99 MTD
2013 Yearly Budget (Goal = \$401,924)	\$430,562.21 YTD
2013 - GOAL GIVING SUMMARY	
<i>In January 2013, we set 2 goals for our “above and beyond” giving effort. Please pray and ask what God might have you give toward these efforts.</i>	
321 Project: A fund to prepare us for our regional and global multiplication effort. (2013 Goal = \$50,000)	\$10,984.00 YTD
Charleston Expansion Debt Retirement: Our goal is to retire our mortgage debt (\$650k) in 7-10 years. (2013 Goal = \$50,000)	\$52,444.81 YTD

