

# WELCOME TO WOODCREST!

Sunday, December 3, 2017 | 9:00 AM & 10:30 AM

HAVE YOU EVER FELT...

**OUT OF PLACE?**

**UNACCEPTED?**

**LIKE A MISFIT?**

## WORSHIP ORDER

*O Come, Let Us Adore Him  
My Soul Magnifies the Lord*

**Communion**

**Highlights | Offering**

**Message**  
Pete Parker

**Closing Song**  
*He Shall Reign Forevermore*

**CHRISTMAS DINNER THEATRE** | Friday, December 8 | 6:45 PM

Enjoy a delicious dinner and laugh the night away at a Christmas Dinner Theater featuring Theater for the Thirsty. Ticket sales will close tomorrow, Monday, December 4th, so get your tickets soon from the Woodcrest website!

**10:00 AM SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY**

Worship with the Children's Ministry next Sunday as they feature their Christmas program, The Fumbly Bumbly Angels at one 10:00 AM service.

**FAMILY CHRISTMAS CARDS**

If your family will be sending out a Christmas card this year, put Woodcrest on your list! The cards will be displayed in the lobby for all to enjoy.

**OFFERING ENVELOPES**

2018 offering envelopes will be provided by request this year. If you would like to receive envelopes, please email the office, indicate it on your Next Steps Card or sign up at the Gather Center.

**CAMP SHAMINEAU WINTER RETREAT**

For all High School and Middle School students! Registration and Waiver Forms for all students are currently available at the Serve Center or on the church website. Please return these forms and a deposit of \$109 per student to Derek by Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> or, in the drop box located in the Student Ministry wing. Checks can be made payable to Woodcrest Church.

**FINANCIAL PEACE**

Financial Peace University is coming to Woodcrest on Mondays beginning January 15th! Take control of your money, get out of debt, and create a plan for your future. Use the class link to purchase a discounted FPU membership. Childcare available. <https://fpu.com/1053847>.

## COMMUNION

If you have a personal faith relationship with Jesus Christ, we invite you to observe the Lord's Supper with us today. Please hold each element as we will partake together. The bread is gluten-free.

## CHILDREN

Nursery to Grade 5 are invited to check-in at the registration desk in the Generations Wing (south end of the building) at the beginning of the service. Kids will experience their own interactive worship service as well as small group teaching time.

## STUDENTS

Grades 6-12 are invited to the lower level of the Generations Wing at 10:30 AM for the Gospel Project.



By gathering each Sunday as a church family, we make God and each other a priority.



Experience the love of God through authentic, transformational relationships.

## WOODCREST EVENT SET-UP/TEAR DOWN

- Today following 2nd service – remove chairs and set up tables in the Worship Center for the Dinner Theater.
- Wed., Dec. 6 at 6:30 PM-Set up chairs in the Worship Center.
- Sat., Dec. 9 at 9:00 AM-Take down the tables and reset the Worship Center.

Contact Barry | [BTaylor@alum.mit.edu](mailto:BTaylor@alum.mit.edu)

## STUDENT MINISTRY

- Needed: Male and female chaperones for the Student Ministry trip to Camp Shamineau. Please fill out a registration form at the Serve Center and return to Derek by Sunday, December 17th.

Contact Derek | [Derek.Gruening@woodcrestchurch.org](mailto:Derek.Gruening@woodcrestchurch.org)

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The Sisters-in-Christ small group will be serving at the Operation Christmas Child processing center on Thursday, December 7 from 6-10 PM. There are 5 open slots for additional volunteers. A carpool will meet at the church at 5:15 PM.

Contact Lynn | [lperky7@q.com](mailto:lperky7@q.com)

## YEAR-END FINANCIAL SUMMARY



Please check here each week to see the status of the year-end *Operating Fund Budget Goal* and the *Because of Bethlehem* offering. If you did not receive the congregational letter dated December 1, 2017 explaining the details, pick up a copy at the Gather Center and record your address to make certain our data base is accurate. If you need a convenient

way to make recurring contributions or plan to make an additional gift before the end of the year, we encourage you to check out our electronic giving options. Visit us at [www.woodcrestchurch.org](http://www.woodcrestchurch.org) and locate the Give Online button or consider downloading a QR app and scanning the Woodcrest code. Thank you for your generosity to Woodcrest.



Real transformation occurs when we serve others as Jesus did.