

TODAY: December 19

- ◆ 9:00a *Christmas* Brunch
- ◆ 10:00a Choir *Christmas* Cantata
- ◆ **NO** Sunday school Classes
- ◆ 6:00p Children's *Christmas* Program

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS:

Tues. Dec. 21—11:30a *J.O.Y.* Group *Christmas* Luncheon in the Family Ministry Center—**Adopt-A-Table to Decorate**—Sign up in the foyer—Food Assignments: A—F = Salad; G—M = Dessert; N—Z = Main Dish—Bring your stamps for the Stamp Ministry—contact Penny M. with questions **(661) 713-0371**

Fri. Dec. 24—5:00p *Christmas Eve* Service at the church

Merry Christmas

[Regular activities on the back of the bulletin]

SAVE THE DATE!

Dec. 27-30—**TLC** (Teen Leadership Conference)

Jan. 8, 2022—10:00a Women's Ministry "Kick-Off" **Brunch** /Family Ministry Center

Jan. 13, 2022—Ladies' **Bible study** resumes — 9:30a and 5:30p at the church

Jan. 15, 2022—9:00a—12:00 Noon **New Members Class** / N126

Jan. 15-17, 2022—JR. High **Winter Blast** at Camp Pinewood/ Cost: \$95

Jan. 16, 2022—5:00p **Teens to Togo** final planning for Service Auction in N126—Service Auction will be Feb. 18

SAVE THE DATE

Cont'd
 Jan. 30, 2022—12:15p **Potluck & Annual Business Meeting** —Food Assignments:
 A—F = Dessert; G—M = Main Dish;
 N—Z = Salad



One Small CHILD
 A Musical for Christmas
 10:00 AM
 Performance by the MFBC Choir
 Directed by Jennifer Knapstad

Deposit Report 2021	
December General Fund Budget:	
\$41,181.39	
WEEK: December 12, 2021	
General Fund:	\$7,789.00
Special Offering:	\$5,513.00
Deposit:	\$13,302.00
MONTH: DECEMBER	
General Fund:	\$32,811.33
Special Offerings:	\$13,323.89
Deposits:	\$46,135.22

MERIDIAN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

**December 19, 2021
10:00 AM Service**

Pianist: Sara M. / Song Leader: Benjy
 Welcome & Announcements: Mike
 Hymn #242—*O Little Town of Bethlehem*
 Hymn #239—*While shepherds Watched Their Flocks*
 Hymn #221—*Fullness of Grace*



Message: *An Unexpected Christmas Message*
 Text: John 18:19-37 Pastor Randy
 Closing Hymn #230—*What Child Is This?*



6:00 PM Service

Pianist: Sara M. / Song Leader: Benjy
 Hymn #228—*We Three Kings of Orient Are*
 Hymn #230—*What Child Is This?*
 Hymn #240—*O Holy Night!*
 Hymn #236—*Silent Night, Holy Night*



Children's *Christmas* Program
 Message: Isaiah 9 Pastor Randy

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS:

December 19:
Nursery:
 AM: No Nursery
 SS: No Nursery
 PM: No Nursery
Sound Techs: Jason/ Alison/
 Jonathon (AM) & (PM)
Security: Ray / Todd (AM) Kent (PM)

December 26:
Nursery:
 AM: Olga / Mark
 SS: Donna / Marietta
 PM: Jacque / Connie
Sound Techs: Alex / Anna / Kurt
 (AM) & (PM)
Security: Mike (AM) Alan (PM)

There is a mailbox set up in the foyer for you to put your Christmas cards in for your friends at MFBC.

Copies of the Instructions for the Online Church Directory are on the table in the foyer.

**MISSION FOCUS:
DECEMBER**



Rich & Cindy Brown

ABWE / Spain

- Thank God with us for the 24-28 day campers for VBS---good-sized groups after COVID
- Pray as these are great contacts for our KID'S CLUB
- Thank you for continuing to pray for Rich's autoimmune disease.

Online Church Directory Access:

- 1) Go to your Apple Store or Google Play app and search for "Church Center"
- 2) Download and open the app.
- 3) Follow the directions (search for Meridian First Baptist, verify your name etc.)
- 4) Bottom right hand corner the "Directory" tab allows you to share your information and to access the directory.
- 5) Your picture in the upper right hand corner allows you to update your information and access your profile.

Please contact Sarah Crapuchettes for assistance and questions:
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