

December 21st, 2025

## Welcome

"Therefore you, too, now have sorrow; but I will see you again, and your heart will rejoice, and no one takes your joy away from you."

John 16:22

### Service of Worship and Praise

*Angels (Glory to God)  
Hark the Herald Angels Sing/King of Heaven  
He Shall Reign Forevermore  
Joy Unto the World  
Angels from the Realms of Glory (Emmanuel)*

### Advent Reading

*Isaiah 61:1-3*

### Message

*Unquenchable Joy of a Disciple  
1 Peter 4:12-19*



Next Sunday:

**Speaker: John Bruce**  
**Jesus Grew Up**



**We want to welcome you today to our Worship Service.**  
If you are our **guest**, please help us get to know you by **filling out a blue guest card** and placing it in the offering box.

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### December 21st—27th, 2025

#### SUNDAY

Adult Bible Class "RVL Discipleship" 9:15 AM  
Worship 10:30 AM  
Deadline to Return Angel Tree Gifts

#### MONDAY

Women's Bible Study—Bible Recap 10:00 AM

#### TUESDAY

Men's Fellowship Bring Your Own Lunch 11:30 AM  
Worship Practice 6:00 PM

#### WEDNESDAY—Office Closed

NO AWANA  
NO Youth Group  
Christmas Eve Candlelight Service 4:00 PM

#### THURSDAY—Merry Christmas!

No Men's Bible Study

#### FRIDAY—Office Closed

#### Upcoming Events:

**December 28th**—No Adult Bible Class

**December 29th**—Teen Snow Camp registration deadline to avoid late fee

**January 8th**—Community Kitchen Meal@Methodist Church, 5:30pm

**January 9-11th**— Teen Snow Camp @Camp Clear Lake

**January 10th**—Men's Breakfast, 8:00am—Note it's the 2nd Saturday of the month

**January 11th**—2026 Budget Meeting

**January 25th**—Member Vote on 2026 Budget

#### Church Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

9AM—2PM

Closed Fridays & Dec. 24-26

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

12/21: LeAnn&Elysia/Robin  
12/28: Ruby&Haylie/Rosalee  
01/04: Lynn&Elysia/Terrie

#### Nursery Schedule

12/21: Linda E/Lilianna O.  
12/28: Colleen H.  
01/04: Linda E/Lilianna O.

#### Greeter Schedule

12/21: Sarah M. & Family  
12/28: Mitch & Dolores M.  
01/04: Sarah M. & Family.

#### Coffee Schedule

12/21: Bob & Leona G.  
12/28: Derald & Judy D.  
01/04: Penny B. & Jolene R.



Today is the deadline to return your Angel Tree gifts! Thank you so much for your generosity toward these children whose parents cannot give them gifts this Christmas. It is much appreciated!



All are welcome to attend our **Christmas Eve Candlelight Service** **Wednesday, December 24th, at 4:00pm!** Plan to join us as we celebrate the birth of our Savior in praise and worship.

You may put your offering in the marked wooden box on the small round table at the back of the sanctuary.  
For online giving: go to our website [goldendalegrace.com](http://goldendalegrace.com) and click on "Church Giving".  
Thank you for your faithfulness!

**Youth Group—7th—12th Graders**

**Wednesday nights at 6:00pm**

**All are welcome to attend!**

**Invite your friends!**

**No Youth Group: December 24th & 31st**



**Awana—Wednesdays from  
2:00pm-4:00pm!**

**Ages 3 years through 6th grade!**

**No Awana: December 24th & 31st  
Merry Christmas!**



**2026 Snow Camp at Camp Clear Lake!**

All teens 7th—12th grades are invited to Snow Camp January 9th—11th, 2026!  
This year's theme is "Only a Holy God."

Cost is \$100 if paid by the deadline of December 29th.



**Our Advent Conspiracy offering is today!**

*Please put your contribution in the envelope marked "Advent Conspiracy" and place in the offering box in the back of the sanctuary.*



**Men's Breakfast is scheduled for Saturday, January 10th, at 8:00am!**

*Note that it is the second Saturday of the month.*

*Come eat and enjoy great fellowship! All men are welcome!*



**Our 2026 budget meeting is scheduled for Sunday, January 11th.**

The **member vote** on the 2026 Budget **has been set for January 25th**. All are welcome to attend; members will vote.



**Missionary Update**

**Joel & Baily Easling serving with Awana:** We have been working hard to get our home ready for occupancy. Myla and Charlie are involved in this year's Christmas Dessert Theater at our church. Baily and I were able to attend our Awana Missionary Conference in North Carolina while the kids spent time with their grandparents and relatives in Tennessee. We are praising God for the many people who have helped with painting and finish work on our home. Please pray for the Centralia Christian Church as they rebuild their vision and action steps for a stronger kids-and-family ministry. We ask for God's favor as we try to finalize things for our home in hopes to move in before Christmas. A few ministry goals are (1) to touch base with churches who attended the Child Discipleship Forum and encourage them in healthy discipleship; (2) find a few more people who will partner with us in prayer and finances to continue the ministry; and (3) offer help and encouragement to churches as they continue to evaluate their ministries and the needs of their communities.



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