

Morning Worship December 6, 2020

Welcome Pastor Matt
 Call to Worship Pastor Matt
We sing of God's goodness in sending Jesus.
O Come, O Come Emmanuel Hymn 123
Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus Hymn 124
 Prayer
Show Us Christ
 Sermon Pastor John

The Goodness of God Matthew 7:7-12

One Day (1,2,4) Hymn 170

Welcome!



We are glad you are here this morning. If you are visiting, scan the QR code or go to NorthHarford.org/connect to connect with us.

Calling All Singers!

We are planning a Candlelight Christmas Celebration to be held outside on Sunday, December 13th at 6:00 PM. We will have an outdoor rehearsal **TODAY** after church.



Christmas Eve Service will be held December 24th at 7:00 PM. We will worship through Scripture, preaching and singing. If you would like to participate through a special offering of worship, contact Pastor John this week.

2020 Faith Challenge

This Week's Bible Reading:

Acts 13-28

2020 Prayer Points

December's focus is to pray as 1 Timothy 2:1-6 instructs us. To pray for our nation, leaders, for peace, and for all men.

Christmas Cards

Christmas cards will be done differently this year due to covid-19. Place your cards and money in the box in the lobby by **NEXT Sunday**, December 13th. Please bring in cards for those who are attending. We encourage you to mail cards to those not currently attending. On December 20th, the cards will be out for pick up on tables in the lobby. Cost: 10¢ each, 3 for 25¢, 12 for \$1, and 60 for \$5. Proceeds will go to missions.



We encourage you to come to the lighting of the Christmas tree at Fellowship Chapel **TODAY** at 4:30 PM. Pastor John and Brian Akers will be speaking.

Meals for the Citro Family

We are providing meals for the family as they travel to visit Baby Lily in the hospital. Meals may be delivered or dropped off at the church (please coordinate with the Citros or Jenn Evans).

To sign up call the church office or visit TakeThemAMeal.com and use password 7743.

Meals for Ann Shriver

We are providing meals in disposable containers for Ann and family as her daughter, who cares for Ann, has been ill. Please drop off meals Sunday and Pastor John will deliver them on Monday.

Cookies for the Baltimore Rescue Mission

Please bring your cookies, labeled with the amount, December 6th-16th. Help us reach our goal of 250 dozen cookies for the homeless!

Copies of the Baltimore Rescue Mission's Christmas Wish List are available in the lobby.

December 6 – December 13

Today – 12/6

9:30 AM Sunday School
 10:45 AM Worship Service - (church/FB)
 After Church: *Outdoor rehearsal for those singing at the Candlelight Christmas Celebration.*

Monday – 12/7

1:00 PM Women's Christmas Outreach Packing Party
 6:30 PM Women's Seeking Him Bible Study Online
 6:30 PM Trustees Meeting in the Learning Center

Tuesday – 12/8

7:00 PM Security Team Meeting in the Learning Center

Wednesday – 12/9

6:30 PM Church-wide prayer (church/GoToMeeting)
 7:00 PM Midweek Chapel (church/FB)
Hebrews: Our Great High Priest

Thursday – 12/10

10:30 AM Women's Seeking Him Bible Study

Friday – 12/11

6:30-8:00 PM Friday Night Youth (ages 12-18)
 7:00-7:30 PM Junior Youth Meeting Online (ages 8-11)

Sunday – 12/13

9:30 AM Sunday School
 10:45 AM Worship Service - (church/FB)
 6:00 PM Candlelight Christmas Celebration

M -F 8:30 – 9:00 AM Ladies Phone Devotional

November Giving

General Fund: 50,207.99
 Benevolence: \$2,725.00
 Balt Rescue Mission; \$1,675.00
 Camp Wo Me To: \$435.00
 Commission to Every Nation: \$600
 Other: \$971.88

Total: \$56,614.87 *Budget: \$37,550.55*

The Goodness of God

Matthew 7:7-12

Romans 8:32 (NASB)

He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him over for us all, how will He not also with Him freely give us all things?

I. The Invitation to God's Goodness (7-8)

A. What God Is Looking for in You

1. Humility
2. Faith

Luke 11:5-10

B. What God Will Do for You

James 4:3

James 4:2

John 15:7

Hebrews 4:16

II. The Illustration of God's Goodness (9-11)

Romans 8:31-32

James 1:17

III. The Application of God's Goodness (12)

Kindness

Respect

Patience

Forgiveness

Matthew 5:43-45

Implications:

Romans 2:4



A Bridal Shower for

Chloe Akers will be held

in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, December 20th at 2 PM. She is registered at Target, Amazon, and Bed, Bath, & Beyond.

Women's Ministry Events

- THIS Monday at 1 PM we will pack goodies for the Candlelight Christmas Celebration.
- December 17th @ 6:30 PM we will have our annual Cookie Packing Party to pack cookies for the Baltimore Rescue Mission. Sign up to attend either event at <https://signup.com/go/cGpEvvz>.

Adult Sunday School Classes

Beginning December 27th Bill Fornoff's class will meet in the DS building, Pastor John's class, The Gospel Project, will meet in the sanctuary, and Matt Evans' Explore the Bible class will meet downstairs in room 7.

Sound Booth Volunteer Openings

Contact Wayne Hudson if you are interested in helping. They will train you.

Saving Faith

1. I believe God is the Creator of my life:

Acts 17:25 He...gives to all people life and breath and all things

2. I believe God is to be obeyed and has the right to punish those who disobey

Romans 1:18 For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men.

3. I believe I have disobeyed God and deserve His punishment:

Romans 3:23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death.....

4. I believe there is nothing I can offer to erase my sin and earn a place in heaven:

Romans 6:23...the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

5. I believe God, by sending His Son Jesus to the cross, has provided the way for my sin to be forgiven.:

Romans 5:8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:9 Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him.

6. With repentance and faith in my heart, I call upon God to mercifully forgive me:

Romans 10:13 Whoever will call on the name of the Lord will be saved.

Romans 10:9 if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord and believe

In your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.



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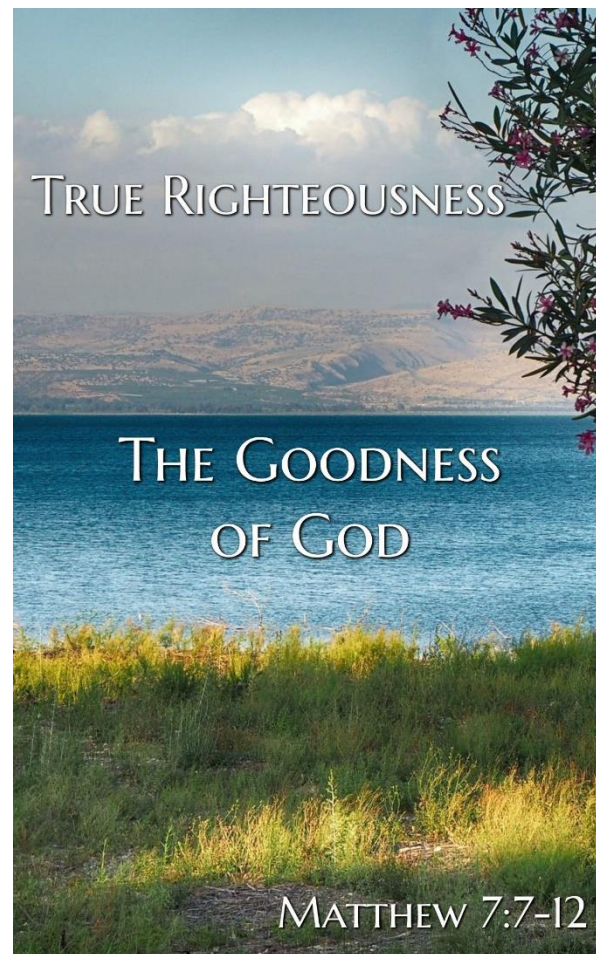
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Guidelines for Gathering:

Wear a mask.

Sit at least 7 feet away from other households.

Do not gather in the lobby or aisles.

Place tithes and offerings in plate in lobby.

Stay at least 6 feet apart.

Be sensitive and considerate of those around you.



We have two families that we have “adopted” this year through Mason-Dixon Community Services. Their needs and wish lists are below. Please bring your donations in **NEXT Sunday, December 13th**. Contact Danny Akers with any questions.

Family # 1:

Mother: Sweat suit size small

Father: Sweat suit size large
Jeans size (34x32)

Organization: _____

In memory of -or- In honor of

Name

Given by: (How you want it written in the bulletin)

PURCHASER’S Name:

(If different than name to be shown in bulletin)

10 yo son: Size 14 Husky pants (likes Levi)
Men’s small shirts, likes flannel
Men’s Medium white undershirt
Crew socks size 10

2020 Christmas Giving Form

This year, in lieu of flowers, please consider giving to one of these organization in memory or in honor of someone.

Please give completed form and payment to Jeanne Akers, Cheryl Brown, Lorna Dorn, or the church office NO LATER THAN 12/16/20.

**Checks should be made payable to North Harford Baptist Church. **

PLEASE DO NOT PUT IN THE OFFERING PLATE!

Organization	Quantity	Cost	Other Amount	Total
Camp Wo-me-to		\$10		
Baltimore Rescue Mission		\$10		
Total Amount				

Organization: _____

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