



Northway Community Church

December 11, 2022

find your destiny in Christ

Pastor

Dr. Bill Blanchard

Worship Leader

Mr. David C. Adams

Ministers

Every Member

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

9:15 a.m. Bible Study/Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

10:30 a.m. Children's Church

FAMILY WORSHIP -
(Last Sunday of Month)

Welcome
to
Northway
Community Church

This is the Lord's place, and all who are seeking Him are welcome! We strive to make a relationship with God as intelligent as science, as appealing as art, as vital as a good day's work, as intimate as a healthy home, as inspiring as genuine love, and as redeeming as God's grace!

Remember in Prayer

Betty Belcher, Mulligan Park, Tallahassee

Carolyn Bergquist, Carrollton Club

Dale Braswell

Evelyn Cantrell, Presbyterian Home, Quitman

Shirley Cantrell, Presbyterian Home, Quitman

Mayra Colon

Georgia Egan

Cleo Kapilla, Pruitt Health, Lakehaven

Elaine Walker, Moffitt Cancer Center

Out-of-town Senior Adults:

Sharon Morgan

Bob & Suzy Scheuring

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Nursery 0 - 3 Years

Susan Mitchell

Preschool

Debra Adams and Lara Blanchard

CUSTODIAL MINISTRY

December 4 - 10, 2022

Bill and Lara Blanchard

December 11 - 17, 2022

Mile Columna



MESSAGE NOTES

"THE CRADLE THAT ROCKED THE WORLD"

Luke 1:26-38 and other selected texts

If you do not accept the virgin birth of Jesus Christ, then you have some problems with:

- #1 The character of Mary
- #2 The character of Jesus
- #3 The character of the Bible
- #4 Your own character too

The gospels of Matthew and Luke explicitly describe the virgin birth of Jesus Christ, but there are also some important allusions to the virgin birth in:

Mark 12:35-37
John 1:14
John 8:41-59

2 lessons about the virgin birth of Jesus Christ:

- #1 The Sacred Mystery of His Birth
- #2 The Saving Ministry of His Birth

UPCOMING DATES

**December 11, 2022
4:00 p.m.**

**Renewal of Wedding Vows
David and Pamela Hendley
Reception to Follow**

**December 18, 2022
6:00 p.m.**

Children's Christmas Play

**December 23, 2022
7:00 p.m.**

**Christmas Eve/Eve Worship
(in lieu of Sunday Morning Dec. 25th)**

January 1, 2023

Guest Speaker: Mark Heffelfinger

**January 15, 2023
Baptismal**

**January 22, 2023
The Lord's Supper**

Contact Information

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YEAR END GIVING FOR 2022

I think many of us are wondering, "How much does our Building Fund need to be before we can think about building and moving to our new campus?" Our land is paid for, and our building fund is almost at \$200,000, but we can begin making plans to move to our new campus only when we get to the \$500,000 mark. With that in mind, may I please talk to you about "Year End Giving"?

But first, if you are barely getting by financially and simply cannot give what you want to give to the Lord's work at Northway Community Church, then I want you to know that I understand what you are going through. And please realize that I do not know the annual giving records of our people. What you give to God's Kingdom is between you and the Lord, and I will do my best to minister to all of our people regardless of how little or how much you contribute to Kingdom ministry here at NCC.

Having said that, may I challenge all of us to consider something important? I believe that the Lord has His hand of blessing upon our fellowship, and I believe that our future is bright. With this in mind, and as we inter-act with family, friends, and colleagues over the course of the next several weeks, we all know that the subject of "year end giving" is going to come up from time to time. Well, may I ask that we be alert to these conversations and that, from time to time, we suggest to our contacts that they consider making their tax deductible year end giving to our building fund? I cannot think of many causes that would be better than helping to build a new church campus near the new high school in a great growth corridor of our city. And it would be an eternal investment in a church with a wonderful future, and a church whose impact would continue long after our lives on this earth are over.

Please think about this proposal and make it a matter of prayer. Even if you are not in a position to give much financially, the Lord may use your healthy conversations with others at this point to help us increase our building fund to a generous bank balance that will be applied toward our loan one day soon.

Devotedly your pastor,
Bill Blanchard

**BUILDING
FUND
\$189,000**