



December 11th, 2022

We exist to glorify God by equipping people to live a joyful life of love for and commitment to Jesus Christ.

Eric Davis - Pastor

Matt Mumma - Pastor of Counseling

Ministries and Events

Christmas Eve Service

Our Christmas Eve Service will be from 5:30-6:45 pm on Saturday the 24th. We will also be meeting on Sunday morning, Christmas Day, at 10 am.

Missionary Christmas Gifts

This year we will be making cards and giving monetary gifts for some of our missionaries! See the Christmas Table at the back of the field or email jill.freeman@cornerstonejh.com for more information. Please give by tonight, Sunday December 11th!

Children's Choir

Fall kids choir, ages 4 and up: 45 minute practice regularly meets immediately follow Sunday services weekly (But not this week!) Join now for extended choir practice, or wait to join until November if you only want to be a part of the Christmas Eve performance. Contact Ellie Brown to sign up (eloisej.austen2018@gmail.com).

Entrust

Entrust is a comprehensive, systematic leadership and shepherding training program, open to all men at Cornerstone! Our desire is to equip men to embrace God's call for all as leaders and disciple-makers. This fall we will be studying Biblical Masculinity. We meet Thursday mornings October through May, from 6-7 am at JH Indoor, hot breakfast provided.

Cornerstone Discipleship and Biblical Counseling Training

CDBC is designed to practically equip you to grow in your walk with Christ and to equip others, as we are all called to disciple and counsel one another. Classes meet throughout the year on Mondays from 6-8:30 pm. See Matt or the website for more details.

Adventure Club

Adventure Club is a fun, energetic, Bible-centered experience, for kids 3 years old through 5th grade. We meet once a month from August through May. Our next meeting is tonight, Sunday December 11th, from 4:30-6 pm at JH Indoor. If you are new to Adventure Club and would like to join, please contact Jill Freeman.

Anchored

Anchored Youth nights meet once a month for a time of dinner, teaching, and games. Open to youth ages 12 - high school. Our next meeting will be an Ugly Sweater Christmas Party, sledding involved (dress warm!) on Sunday December 18th, 5:30-8 pm. Contact Jill Freeman for location or more details.

2022-2023 Women's Bible Study

This year's Women's Bible Study is studying Susan Heck's Sermon on the Mount series. We are currently on break until January 12th, when we will resume meeting from 9-10:30 am at the church office. Childcare is provided, please RSVP to Jill Freeman.

**For any other information, please contact Jill via email:

jill.freeman@cornerstonejh.com**

MISSIONARY UPDATE

Ben and Tati Candee

Prayer requests

- Please pray for the church plant in Lomba Grande. They are excited to have a new local family participating in the bible study.
- For unity of their sending church in Brazil as they are struggling with some leadership difficulties.
- Pray specifically that they would be able to gain another 80-100 prayer partners and \$760 in monthly financial support.
- Pray for their new baby, Obed, who was born at 36 weeks with a cleft lip and palate and will need several surgeries during his first year.



GRACE ABOUNDING

Romans 5:18-21

CORNERSTONE CHURCH
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If you'd like to catch up on past sermons, you can download them from our website at cornerstonejh.com/sermons

Songs

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Come, thou long-expected Jesus,
born to set Thy people free.
From our fears and sins release us,
let us find our rest in Thee.

Israel's strength and consolation,
hope of all the earth Thou art,
Dear desire of every nation,
joy of every longing heart.

Joy to those who long to see you,
Dayspring from on high appear
Come thou promised rod of Jesse,
of Thy birth we long to hear

O'er the hills the angels singing:
news, glad tidings of a birth
Go to Him, your praises bringing,
Christ the Lord has come to earth

Come to earth to taste our sadness,
He whose glories knew no end
By His might He brings us gladness,
our redeemer, shepherd, friend.

Leaving riches without number,
born within a cattle stall
This the everlasting wonder:
Christ was born the Lord of all.

Born Thy people to deliver,
born a child and yet a king,
Born to reign in us forever,
now Thy gracious kingdom bring.

By Thine own eternal Spirit,
rule in all our hearts alone,
By Thine all-sufficient merit,
raise us to Thy glorious throne.

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Come behold the wondrous mystery
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing, in our darkness
Now the Light of Life has come
Look to Christ, Who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us
Come behold the wondrous mystery
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living, in His suffering
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law; in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous mystery
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured, love untold

Come behold the wondrous mystery
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord; He is alive!
What a foretaste of deliverance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

God rest ye merry, gentlemen
Let nothing you dismay
Remember, Christ, our Saviour
Was born on Christmas day
To save us all from Satan's power
When we were gone astray
O tidings of comfort and joy,
comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy
In Bethlehem, in Israel,
This blessed Babe was born
And laid within a manger

Upon this blessed morn
Through which His Mother Mary
Did nothing take in scorn
O tidings of comfort and joy,
comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy
From God our Heavenly Father
A blessed Angel came;
And unto certain Shepherds
Brought tidings of the same:
How that in Bethlehem was born
The Son of God by Name.
O tidings of comfort and joy,
comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy

“Fear not then,” said the Angel,
“Let nothing you affright,
This day is born a Saviour
Of a poor virgin bride,
To free all those who trust in Him
From sin and Satan’s might.”
O tidings of comfort and joy,
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy
The shepherds at those tidings
Rejoic-ed much in mind,
And left their flocks a-feeding
In tempest, storm and wind:
And went to Bethlehem straightway
The Son of God to find.
O tidings of comfort and joy,
Comfort and joy

O tidings of comfort and joy
And when they came to Bethlehem
Where our dear Saviour lay,
They found Him in a manger,
Where oxen feed on hay;
His Mother Mary kneeling down,
Unto the Lord did pray.
O tidings of comfort and joy,
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy
Now to the Lord sing praises,
You Christians in this place,
And with true love and brotherhood
Each other now embrace;
And no more walk in shadows for
Your sins have been erased.
O tidings of comfort and joy,
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy

Grace That Is Greater

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt!
Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured,
there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt
Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within
Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that is greater than all our sin
Sin and despair like the seawaves cold
Threaten the soul with infinite loss

Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold,
Points to the refuge the mighty cross
Dark is the stain that we cannot hide.
What can avail to wash it away?
Look, there is flowing a crimson tide
Whiter than snow you may be today!
Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace
Freely bestowed on all who believe!
You that are longing to see His face,
Will you this moment His grace receive?