

THE GREATEST GIFT

Pastor Brent D. Armstrong | December 22, 2024

TEXT: John 3:16-18

Matthew 2:11

PART #1: THE _____ FOR THE GREATEST GIFT

- We give some gifts because of _____.
- We give some gifts because of exhibition.
- We give some gifts because of _____.
- We give some gifts because of compassion.
- We give some gifts because of _____.
- We give some gifts because of love.
Romans 5:8; Ephesians 2:4-5; Titus 3:4-5; I John 3:1, 4:9; Jeremiah 31:3

PART #2: THE _____ OF THE GREATEST GIFT

- We are not always _____ with the gifts we receive.
- No one ever _____ receiving Jesus, the greatest gift.
Hebrews 1:3; John 10:30, 14:9; Colossians 1:15; Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23

PART #3: THE _____ OF THE GREATEST GIFT

- Most gifts have no lasting results.
- Jesus, the greatest gift, is an _____ gift.

Jesus did not come to give us a holiday;
He came to make us holy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Evening Service

To provide ample time to celebrate Christmas with family and friends, there will be no evening service tonight.

Christmas Card Drop Off

Today is the last day to drop off Christmas cards for our church family! When addressing your cards, please include both the recipient's first and last name to ensure they reach the right person. If you've received a card, you can find it under the first letter of your last name. Be sure to check soon—Sunday, December 29th is the final day to pick up your Christmas cards.

Christmas Eve Service | December 24th | 4:00 PM

Join us for a special service to reflect on the Christmas story and sing Christmas songs. This service will be in lieu of both of the regularly scheduled morning and evening midweek services.

Church Office Schedule

Please note that the church offices will be closed on December 24th and 25th in observance of Christmas. Regular office hours resume December 26th at 8:00 AM. On December 31st, the church offices will close at noon and will remain closed through January 1st for New Year's Day. We will reopen January 2nd at 8:00 AM.

2025 Bible Reading Schedule

Have you ever wanted to read the entire Bible in one year? Would you like a plan to help you with your daily Bible reading? Pick up a Bible reading schedule for 2025 at Guest Services today!

Birthdays

22 Kyle Govier
23 Bradley Frazier
23 Robert Rojo
23 Lisa Traynor
24 Shawn Tucker
25 Jerry Wilbur
26 Marlene Patterson
26 Addison Taylor
27 Beverly Brown

28 Kaden McDaniel
28 Daphne Reeder

Anniversaries

22 AB and Roberta Blair
20 Lee and Becky Samdahl
24 Dave and Hayley James
24 Jerry and Debbie Wilbur
28 John and Mary Hovey
28 Carl and Terry Testa