...growing disciples who make a difference

December 18, 2022

Welcome!

Are you visiting with us? Whether in-person or on Facebook Live, we welcome you to our worship services! We would love to get to know you and find out how we can best serve you.

Connect

To find a small group, a place to serve, or help with a need, talk to any ministry leader or call the church office (859-623-3580). You may also visit us at <u>richmondfumc.org</u>.

Worship

Assisted-listening devices are available; ask a greeter as needed.

This Morning: Matthew 1:18-25

When does a gift not look like a gift?

The wheels seem to be coming off of Joseph's life. In fact, though, God is in the process of doing something mind-blowing that will change not only Joseph's life, but the lives of all those around him.

The Advent Candle Reading for this morning will be led by members of the Pathfinders Sunday School Class which is led by Mike Ballard, and meets each Sunday Morning at 9:30am in the Hartman Room (First Floor, Main Building.).

Our Mission

After His resurrection, Jesus gave his disciples this mission:

"...go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." (Mt 28:19-20)

Our purpose is to "grow disciples who make a difference."

This Week

Sunday

9:00 Sunday School classes 10:45 Morning Worship

(w/ Uptown Ministry for Children)

2:30 Hispanic Worship

5:42 Thrive Worship (dinner & contemporary worship)

Monday

1:30-3:00 Sharing Ministry

6:30 SPRC

7:00 Young Adult Bible Study

Tuesday

Wednesday

12:00-2:00 Pickleball

7:30 Choir Practice

8:00 Thrive Band Practice

Thursday

10:00 Ladies Journey Class

Friday

9:00-12:00 Pickleball

Saturday

5:00 Christmas Eve Service 11:00 Christmas Eve Service

Recovery Ministries

Our church hosts a variety of 12-Step recovery groups. Contact the church office for more details.



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Prayer Concerns and Celebrations

To have your concern or celebration added to this list, contact the church office. Requests will remain for 3 weeks.

Ongoing Concerns

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Tristan (Yehor Vitel's Brother in law)

Prayer Requests

16 year old Toby Brock missing. Mother Julia is one of our Food Bank clients.

Our Military

Army: Sam Lisle, Special Ops

William McCoy

Jason Glen, Hawaii

Tyler Anderson, Colorado Springs

Army Reserve: Luke Harvey

Marines: John R. Glenn, Quantico

Air Force: Traver Harvey, Fairbanks Alaska

National Guard: Tom Petit

Are you interested in Men's Ministry? We would love to add you to the informative email distribution list. Please contact David Alexander. If you need further information you may also contact the church office.

Financial Report

Offering from Nov. 27: \$ 8,274.00

Offering from Dec. 4: \$ 20,031.15

Offering from Dec. 11: \$ 16,257.75

Weekly Budget for 2022: \$ 15,500

Annual Budget to Date: \$ 775,000

Annual Income to Date \$ 690,500.60

Year to Date Net: (\$ 84,499.40)*

*We are current on all obligations. The budget deficit shown has been met out of cash assets...

Join us Christmas Eve Services at 5pm and 11pm

Service times change Jan 8th

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