



Growing in Our Identity in Christ.
Ephesians 2:1-10



Merry Christmas

*Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace,
good will toward men.*

—Luke 2:14

December 25, 2022

Sunday School Classes

2 yrs.—Pre-K— <i>Christmas Story</i> — Julie M. & Diane M.—B3	<i>Creation vs. Evolution</i> —Steve C.— Upper Room
K— <i>Nothing is Impossible</i> —Jenny G.—B6	<i>Ephesians</i> —Perry K.—E4
Elem.— <i>Memorizing Key Verses</i> — Marci H. & Grace H.—B1	<i>A Gospel-Centered Life</i> — Theo R.—E1
MS— Gift That Never Ends—Scot L.—E3	
HS—Eyewitness Bible: Christmas— Caleb & Cynthia Q.—E2	

Nursery

December 25: SS—	Worship—Dennis & Diane M.
January 1: SS—Lynette J. & Pat D.	Worship—Rob & Tami H.

Offering

12/18/22: \$15,674.88	Budget Weekly Need: \$7,676.43
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Upcoming Events

Dec. 25	No SS—Christmas Worship Service @ 10 AM
Dec. 28	Prayer Gathering, 6:30 PM No TeamKID, TAG or YG—Christmas Break
Dec. 31	YG New Year's Party @ church, 7:30 PM
Jan. 1	Church Board Installations, AM
Jan. 4	Prayer Gathering, 6:30 PM No TeamKID, TAG or YG—New Year's Break
Jan. 11	Prayer Gathering, 6:30 PM TeamKID & TAG, 6:30 PM YG @ Backside, 6:30 PM
Jan. 22	Annual Business Meeting, 1 PM
Feb. 4	Women's Ministry Author Event

Church Office

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Service Schedule: SS—9:00 a.m. Worship—10:15 a.m.

GUEST INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Visitor for the First Time

Would like a Visit

Would like to Know More about the Church

New in the Community

*Please place in offering



Morning Worship—December 25, 2022

#278—Angels We Have Heard on High

*Fullness of Grace

Welcome & Announcements

Offering

#243—Emmanuel

#244—Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

*All Is Well

Message—Go and Tell
Luke 2:8-20

#256—Love Has Come

*Chorus Sheets available from ushers
Live Stream: facebook.com/gardencommunitychurch

Prayer Requests

Missionary of the Week:

James Goossen
Brazil



jngoossen@avmi.org

- ◆ Christmas Greetings from Guaraciaba. I am currently enjoying a long awaited reprieve from having workmen around! After wrapping things up post prayer retreat I am focusing on the discipleship groups to get started in January. One of the big challenges is getting everyone's schedule to jive, so I definitely appreciate your prayers regarding scheduling in everyone's already hectic life.
- ◆ We continue to pray for a property to construct a building for the Guaraciaba church. Everyone is not only looking forward to this but also contributing, as they can, towards the property fund.
- ◆ I also have the privilege of hosting several "ministry" families here at Point of View over the holidays, pray that I'll be a blessing to them!
- ◆ Also, I appreciate your prayer for my relationships, especially with regards to a person of high interest! (Her name is Angela) Just pray for God's clear direction and peace.

Announcements

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

The Annual Business Meeting will be held on January 22nd. All items of new business to be acted upon must be submitted, in writing and signed, to the church board by January 2.

ANNUAL REPORTS

We are quickly approaching the end of the year and that means it's Annual Report time! If you are a committee chairman, please have your annual report turned into the office by January 8.

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

The Church Office will be closed on December 26th for Christmas and January 2nd for New Years.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY AUTHOR EVENT

The morning of February 4th, Gail Goolsby, author of the book, *Unveiled Truth: Lessons I Learned Leading the International School of Kabul*, will be here to share with us. She will challenge us to recognize and apply the work of God in our own lives in order to learn to live well. Further information and her book can be found on the Welcome Table. We encourage you to purchase books and share this event with others!

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone involved in preparing and serving meals at the New Hope Shelter this past week. You are such a blessing.
~Sharon Mierau

Elder of the Week

December 25-31, Larry Friesen.....	620-367-2257
January 1-7, Scot Loyd	620-654-7565
January 8-14, Rob Hiebert	316-772-3283

PRAYER CARD

Name (Optional):

Date:

