

Sermon Notes

New Year, New You — Phil. 2: 12 - 18

I. The _____ of the _____. (12 - 13)

- The _____ you will _____ are your _____.

II. _____ for Christ. (14 - 16)

- Too many _____ are choosing to _____ into the _____ instead of _____ it up.
- Colossians 3: 13 - 17

III. A _____ out _____ offering. (17-18)

- What will _____ look like “ _____ ”?
- John 3: 30
- Philippians 1: 21
- Galatians 2: 20

How _____ I _____ this _____ ?

Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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NEW YEAR, NEW YOU

Bethlehem Church of Christ | December 29th, 2019

“But even if I am being poured out like a drink offering on the sacrifice and service coming from your faith, I am glad and rejoice with all of you. So you too should be glad and rejoice with me.”

— Philippians 2:17

Order of Worship

Welcome & prayer

(Please pass the blue books located at the end of each pew.)

This is Amazing Grace

Build My Life

Take My Life

The Wonderful Cross



All disciples of Jesus are invited to partake as the emblems are passed.

Offering to God - Guests are welcome to participate, or may simply place the visitor card in the plate.

Encouragement time

Message

Christian Martin

Love Come Down

Decisions

Reminders & prayer

Bethlehem News

Today's Opportunities

1. "New Year, New You", 10:30
2. Baby Shower (Leah King), 3:00 pm
3. New Year's Eve Eve Soup & Game Night, 6:00 pm.

Christmas Card Box

Please check the box one more time for cards that have been "sent" to your family, & others you might be able to deliver to someone who is not here.

Enjoyable Opportunity

The Creation Museum & Ark Encounter both have great Christmas events. Admission is free. Camel rides, theater, zip lines, etc. are optional for a fee. Go to: [ArkEncounter.com/Christmas](https://www.ArkEncounter.com/Christmas) or [CreationMuseum.org/Christmas](https://www.CreationMuseum.org/Christmas)

Do Your Part

Several 6-month ministries are available on a list in the foyer (bell-ringing, pencil sharpening, etc.). Please sign up if you can help. If you are currently performing something on the list and plan to continue, please sign up again.

Free Calendars

January church calendars are available on the welcome counter in the foyer. Pick one up for your family & participate in the many BCC activities.

Want to Stay Informed?

Please write the necessary information on the lists on the Welcome Counter to receive the monthly "BETHLEHEM STAR" or group emails from the preacher (news, information, inspiration, etc.).

Christmas Poinsettias

On the list of contributors in last weeks bulletin we inadvertently failed to include:

<u>Contributor (s)</u>	<u>In Memory of</u>
Shirley Lewis & Beverly Bloom Linda Hanley	Charles Hughes Bruce & Ruth Rickey

If you donated a poinsettia you may take it home today, or it can be taken to a shut-in or nursing home to bring a smile.

H.O.P.E. Box Coming Soon

Our leaders have been discussing a special new benevolence opportunity for quite some time.

Beginning in January we will place a H.O.P.E. (Helping Others, Providing Encouragement) Box in the foyer on Sunday mornings. We will each be encouraged to put in a dollar per person (or \$5 for a family of 5).

Each month the collected amount will be used to meet a need for someone who is struggling. A team of 3 from BCC will determine who is helped each month.

This will allow us to be a blessing aside from our regular tithes and offerings, outside the BCC general fund.

More details in January.

2020 Bible Reading Programs

Several options are available in the foyer for 2020 (Whole Bible, Gospels, Psalms/Proverbs, New Testament, etc.). 2 sign up sheets.

1. If you completed a Bible reading program in 2019 (indicate which one).
2. If you plan to complete a Bible reading program in 2020 (indicate which one).
3. Tom plans to lead a monthly discussion group for those reading through the whole Bible chronologically. Six have expressed an interest so far.

Join Us in Praying

- ✠ Praise God that He is eternal Lord of the ages.
- ✠ Thank God for His countless blessings in 2019.
- ✠ Pray for the courage and submission to allow God to make you a new person in 2020.
- ✠ December mission: SALT Ministry
- ✠ Scott Willey - kidney mass was stage 1 cancer; surgery removed all cancer; no treatment needed.
- ✠ Fred Daulton - transferred Monday from Anderson Mercy Hosp. to the Villa Georgetown.
- ✠ Nathan Hobson - Anderson Mercy Hosp. with renal problems & dehydration.
- ✠ Tony Gray - hospitalized again last weekend; to see heart doctor again soon.
- ✠ Family of Ruth Nixon - funeral last Friday at BCC.
- ✠ Family of Bonnie Swearingen - passed away last week; friend of Betty Tatman.
- ✠ Lawrence Young - begins treatment Tomorrow for malignant mass around gall bladder; friend of Steve Naylor.
- ✠ Continued prayer: Kerry Allen, Mark Barnes, Debbie Berry, William Bloom, Chris Burrows, Ruby Gray, Bentley Herbolt, Delores Hobson, Jackie Huston, Joe Jandes, Arelta Light, Sandy Manning, Charlene McQuery, Bethany Normile, Cindy Palmer, Audrey Parker, Isaac Rogers, Rhonda Rothwell, Sheila Roush, Ruth Shively, Naomi Snodgrass, Kevin Stapleton, Craig Steelman, Jonathan "Bub" Stivers, Gayle Sweet, John Swisher, Randy Tolle, Vicki Vogel, June Vogler, Rick Vogler, Marlene Wagner, Tim Woollard, Mark Wright.
- ✠ Other:

Cleaning Teams: Zahn Family
McKenzie Family/Basford Family

Next Sunday Nursery:
Coordinator: Kristen Souder
9:30 - Suegene Tatman
10:30 - David & Melissa Brown