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Christmas Eve
Service
with Communion
Saturday, December
24th
6:00—7:00 pm

Christmas Day
Service
with Communion
Sunday, December
25th
8:30-9:30 am

Christian Life
Services are:
Saturday at 6:00pm
Sunday at 8:30am
& 10:45am
Wednesday's at
7:00p.m.



Pastor's Note,

Merry Christmas! Wow already?! Yes already, and we are excited about sharing this wonderful season with you!

We know that the primary focus of this time of year must be our families. As a fellowship we don't want to do anything that infringes on your time with your family. Still, without Jesus, we really don't have a 'reason for the season' so we want to encourage you to include the Savior in this years celebrations.

We are offering three significant opportunities for your family to celebrate Jesus' birth this year. First, on Saturday December 17th and Sunday December 18th at 6:00 PM our Children's Ministry will be sharing a Christmas Program. You really will enjoy watching and supporting the cast of children in this years play.

Then on Saturday evening December 24th we will have our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 6:00 PM. This will be repeated on Sunday Morning December 25th at 8:30 AM.

Here is the exciting thing. You choose whether your family wants to be a part of Saturday Night or Sunday morning. Each service will be exactly the same and our traditional Communion Service will be included in both services.

Please join with us in Celebrating the birth of our King!

Carl B. Bowman

Marriage Ministry

We would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

As we get ready for another year to end, we would like to update you with what's happening in the "Marriage Ministry", and what we are looking forward to in 2012:

We are having a fellowship once a month for a time of connecting with couples who are interested in being a part of this ministry or are involved in marriage ministry. We had a great time in October and look forward to December 10, which will be our next get together. We are looking into doing a Bible study dealing with marriage. So, if you would like to join us, please call 501-1933 or 473-0945 if you need more information and direction to our home.



Marriage on the Rock

On Sunday mornings we have a class between the morning services. We are currently doing "Marriage on the Rock". Class starts at 10:00 to 10:45 am, we are up the stairs to the right as you enter the Sanctuary. This is for married couples who would like Biblical direction on how God intended the marriage & home to be.

There is a great attack on marriage today and we need to fight for what is right in Gods plan. We serve a great God and "What is impossible for man, Is Not impossible for God."

If you are curious and not sure if this is what you want, you are welcome to sit in and see what it is about.

May Your Marriage & Families Be Blessed,
Charles & Angela Montoya

“Now the birth of Jesus Christ was as follows: After His mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Spirit. Then Joseph her husband... thought about these things, behold an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream saying, “Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take to you Mary your wife, for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit. And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins.”
Matthew 1:18-21



Christian Life Fellowship Kid's Proudly Present:



**December 17th and 18th at 6:00 p.m.
Please come and let our Kids minister to you
the true meaning of Christmas!**

A Note from Pastor Eric....

I really enjoy the month of December; all the stress, busyness and debt. Actually I'm just teasing, but for many, that is reality. The good news, which Jesus came to bring, is that we don't have to live that way, Jesus came to bring peace and freedom and we can choose His way. This year be intentional about the Christmas season, choose to be wise and make good choices, choose to enjoy your family and friends. Start a new tradition. Do something you've never done before to remind you that God gave His Son as a gift. And we must remember that we are passing down to our kids all the attitudes and behaviors that are tied to the Christmas season. Ask God for help and make sure to pause daily to breathe and invite the Holy Spirit to fill you.

Family Night and our Annual Chili Cook Off will be Wednesday December 7th. Family Night is a time where young and old can share in food, learning, and fun together. Everyone is welcome to join us, as we will share the true meaning of Christmas! Dinner begins at 6pm and service at 7pm. Have a very Merry Christmas!

Grace and Peace, Eric Montoya

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“To catch the reader's attention, place an interesting sentence or quote from the story here.”

Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 100-150 words.

The subject matter that appears in newsletters is virtually endless. You can include stories that focus on current technologies or innovations in your field.

You may also want to note business or economic trends, or make predictions for your customers or clients.

If the newsletter is distributed internally, you might comment upon new procedures or improvements to the business. Sales figures or earnings will show how your business is growing.

Some newsletters include a column that is updated every issue, for instance, an advice column, a book review, a letter from the president, or an editorial. You can also profile

new employees or top customers or vendors.

Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 75-125 words.

Selecting pictures or graphics is an important part of adding content to your newsletter.

Think about your article and ask yourself if the picture supports or enhances the message you're trying to convey. Avoid selecting images that appear to be out of context.

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thousands of clip art images from which you can choose and import into your newsletter. There are also several tools you can use to draw shapes and symbols.

Once you have chosen an image, place it close to the article. Be sure to place the caption of the image near the image.



Caption describing picture or graphic.



Organization

Christmas Edition

Primary Business Address

Your Address Line 2

Your Address Line 3

Your Address Line 4

Phone: 555-555-5555

Fax: 555-555-5555

E-mail: someone@example.com

Your business tag line here.

This would be a good place to insert a short paragraph about your organization. It might include the purpose of the organization, its mission, founding date, and a brief history. You could also include a brief list of the types of products, services, or programs your organization offers, the geographic area covered (for example, western U.S. or European markets), and a profile of the types of customers or members served.

It would also be useful to include a contact name for readers who want more information about the organization.



Back Page Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions that are frequently asked about your organization.

A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all employees.

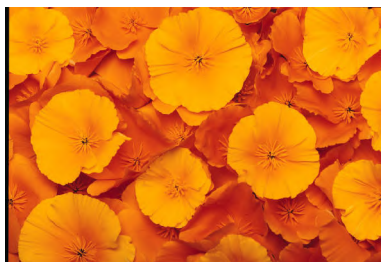
If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include

a listing of those here. You may want to refer your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a biannual

charity auction.

If space is available, this is a good place to insert a clip art image or some other graphic.



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