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“People must \_\_\_\_\_.”

With the birth of the new \_\_\_\_\_, there was the beginning of something \_\_\_\_\_.

They believed that Messiah would \_\_\_\_\_ everything right away.

One of the ways Jesus taught about the Kingdom was through \_\_\_\_\_ (An earthly \_\_\_\_\_ with a heavenly \_\_\_\_\_.)

The kingdom of God is not just a \_\_\_\_\_. It's not something that is just going to happen immediately. (Luke 13:18-21)

God's kingdom has already \_\_\_\_\_, but the fullness of the kingdom has yet to be \_\_\_\_\_.

Bringing God's kingdom is not done through \_\_\_\_\_ miraculous events but through everyday \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to be a part of His Kingdom.

We are called to do \_\_\_\_\_ acts that tell others about Jesus and \_\_\_\_\_ there is something new, because people must know.



CLASSES | FAMILY WORSHIP | NO CHILDREN'S CLASSES | FAMILY W

**COMBINED**  
**SERVICES**  
**DEC 25 & JAN 1**

AM | 10:30AM | 10:30AM | 10:30AM | 10:30AM | 10:30AM | 10:

*December 25 - Merry Christmas!*  
*January 1 - Coffee, Milk, Juice, & Donuts at 10am!!*

**Invite:**

- \* family
- \* friends
- \* neighbors

**WINTER**  
CARNIVALE  
01.27.2023 | 6-8:30pm

**Donate:** (More info at Connecting Point)

- \* individually wrapped candy
- \* cookies/desserts

**Volunteer:**

- \* sign up in the Atrium
- \* sign up in the app or online



# THIS WEEK AT BCGGANDERSON

## **TODAY, December 18 - All Church Christmas Choir**

6:00 p.m. Children's Ministry Christmas Event

## **MONDAY, December 19**

5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp

## **TUESDAY, December 20**

## **WEDNESDAY, December 21**

5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp

6:30 p.m. Anderson Christian Martial Arts (8 yrs. & up)

7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study

## **THURSDAY, December 22**

## **FRIDAY, December 23**

5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp

## **SATURDAY, December 24**

7:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service

## **SUNDAY, December 25 - Christmas Day**

10:30 a.m. Combined Worship Service

## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **The Memorial Christmas Tree** is a beautiful way to remember loved ones during the holiday season. Feel free to add your memorial ornament to the tree in the Atrium. Please label your ornaments.
- **Christmas Eve Service** will be Saturday, December 24, at 7:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity to invite family and friends to join us for an evening of worship.
- **Upcoming Combined Worship Services:** There will be a combined service on Sunday, December 25, AND Sunday, January 1, beginning at 10:30 a.m. For the January 1st service only, we will have donuts starting at 10:00 a.m. in the gymnasium.
- **Red Christmas Poinsettias:** For those that ordered poinsettias in memory of your loved ones, feel free to take them home following the combined service on Christmas Sunday, December 25, at 10:30 a.m.
- **2023 Offering Envelopes** are available for pickup in the Atrium. Envelopes are arranged alphabetically by last name, so please stop by the table to see if a box is waiting for you. If you would like envelopes or need to update your mailing address, please contact the church office. **Just a reminder,** your gifts may also be made by automatic bank draft, through our website, or by the BCCAnderson mobile app.
- **Winter Carnivale** will be Friday, January 27, from 6-8:30 p.m. This is a great opportunity to invite friends, neighbors, and coworkers to a fun, free, family event. We need your help to make this event a success! Sign up at Connecting Point to volunteer or to donate individually wrapped candy/snacks or homemade cookies/brownies/ rice krispies treats.

### PRAYER CONCERNS:

#### **Our Sympathy To:**

Laura Gloff and Jim (Vicki) Harless on the death of their cousin, David Burns, on 12/4.

#### **Our Sympathy To:**

Helen DeLawter on the death of her husband, Gene DeLawter, on 12/14.

#### **Our Sympathy To:**

The family of Jandee Oonjai on her death, on 12/14.



If you are new to Bethany, have a prayer request to share, recently changed contact information, have questions about Jesus, volunteering, or more—***we want to connect with you!*** Simply open your smart phone's camera app and point it here or navigate to [www.bccanderson.org/connect](http://www.bccanderson.org/connect)