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## PRAYER AND PRAISE

If you would like to be added to the Rush Creek Prayer Team, please email: **prayerteam@rushcreekbc.org.** 

- Please keep our new leadership team in your prayers through out this year as they serve in the roles they have choosen.
- Pray for our staff and church as we begin a new year. Pray for health and spiritual growth.
- Please keep in your prayers those who will be traveling for the Christmas and New Year holiday. Pray for safety on the roads and good health.
- We have many families who have lost a loved one this year. Especially during this Christmas season, please keep these families in your prayers.
- Continue to keep in your prayers those dealing with ongoing health issues, mental and physical. Also, pray for those who are care givers.

# NOTES ON TODAY'S MESSAGE

#### SERVICE ATTENDED

☐ 1st visit ☐ 2nd or more visit ☐ Frequently Attend

I WANT TO GET INVOLVED

I MADE A DECISION FOR CHRIST

#### **COMMENTS/PRAYER REQUESTS**

Place this card in the offering plate or hand it in at the Connection Center as you leave.





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# WELCOME

Welcome to Rush Creek! If you have any questions, please stop by our 'Connection Center,' and we will be happy to assist you. At Rush Creek we strive for authentic relationships, genuine community, and to reflect Jesus Christ.

#### **MORNING WORSHIP - DECEMBER 26, 2021**

#### **Announcements and Prayer**

**Ministry Highlight** 

Message: Pastor Steve Sherman - "Mary, Did You Know"

Mime: "Mary, Did You Know" - Chuck Stutes singing



Rush Creek Bible Church desires that everyone who attends RCBC will find authentic relationships through joining one or more RushCommunities that fit their needs and inspires them to engage, learn, serve and grow.

#### **KIDS**

For our weekly programming, please grab a Rush Kids brochure at the Connection Center, located in the main foyer.

#### **STUDENTS**

For our weekly programming and event schedule, please find information at rushcreekbc.org/students.

#### YOUNG ADULTS

**EXPLORE** - Please find more information at rushcreekbc.org/ youngadults

#### **MISSIONARIES OF THE MONTH**

Please pray for our missionaries in Africa. John and Naomi Caprari - Tanzania , Ted and Kim Rabenold - Tanzania, Robby and Tegwen Heath - Kenya. Stop by the coffee bar<u>to taste some of the specialty coffee</u>.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **STAFF CHRISTMAS GIFTS**

We have been blessed with a wonderful staff! With that in mind, the Board would encourage you to consider a love gift to our staff. This gift, which should be received by today, can be given through the offering boxes, mail-in, or PuishPay. Please mark this love gift as "Staff Gift" to ensure it gets to the staff. Thank you for considering this opportunity to show your appreciation to the staff for all they do to further our ministry.

#### YEAR-END GIVING

As the year-end approaches, we are thankful for the Lord's provisions for our church family during 2021. If you have been blessed and would like to give a year-end gift toward the ministry fund, it is important that we receive your gift by December 31, 2021. You can give through the offering boxes, mail-in, or Push Pay. It is important too that your gift be marked "Year End Gift." Thank you for your continued support of our ministry.

#### **CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS**

The office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, December 30 & 31. The office will be open regular hours, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM Monday-Wednesday, this week.

#### LADIES' CANVAS AND COFFEE NIGHT

Join our Flipside (high school) ladies on Sunday, January 9 at 6:00 PM for a cozy evening of painting while we enjoy dessert, coffee, and hot chocolate together. Please RSVP to Bethany@rushcreekbc.org by Sunday, January 2, 2022.

#### **OUR DAILY BREAD**

If you are looking for the new *Our Daily Bread*, please make sure you check the table by the library.

# WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

For a list of events and activities for this month, visit rushcreekbc.org/events.

#### FAMILY CONFERENCE



Saturday, January 29, 2022 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

Cost: \$30

Registration is open for Part 2 of our Family Equipping Conference! Join us as we dive into two very important topics: Raising Children in a Sexually Confused World & Six Steps to Journey Well Alongside LGBT + People.

The conference kicks off at 10:00 AM on Saturday, January 29, and we hope to see you there! To register please go to https://rushcreekbc.org/familyconference.

#### VISITING FOR THE FIRST TIME

If this is your first time visiting Rush Creek, please help us get to know you by completing the Communication Card on the back side of this tear off. After you fill it out, bring to the Connection Center to receive a gift.



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MONTHLY GIVING TO DATE (12/19/21) Ministry Fund: \$81,620.68 | Missions: \$19,975.00 | Project Renewal: \$16,363.00