

# ROBERTSVILLE BIBLE CHURCH

December 13, 2020

Thank you for being a part of our service today. We trust that you will receive a blessing from being with us and hearing a message from the Word of God. May the Lord bless you as you serve Him.

## MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

PRELUDE (Please use this time to quietly prepare your heart for worship)

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN #273 Good Christian Men, Rejoice

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 1:18-25

### OPENING PRAYER

HYMN #259 Angels, from the Realms of Glory

HYMN #251 It Came upon the Midnight Clear

HYMN #249 O Come, All Ye Faithful

BIBLE MESSAGE Pastor Ernie Brodie, Jr.

HYMN #244 Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

### CLOSING PRAYER

*Matthew 1:18-23: "Now the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise: When as his mother Mary was espoused to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Ghost. Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privily. But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost. And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name Jesus: for he shall save his people from their sins. Now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us."*

## Announcements

**Business Meeting** - There will be a business meeting today following the Morning Service.

**Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.** - Prayer Meeting

**Christmas Eve Service, Thursday, December 24, 7:00 p.m.** - Please make your plans to join us for this special service of Christmas carols, Scripture readings, and message from the Word of God. We will not have Prayer Meeting on December 23.

**Offering Envelopes for 2021** are on the table in the foyer. Please pick up your set of envelopes today. If you do not currently use envelopes for your offerings and would like to, please pick up a set and enter your name beside the number you have chosen.

**Christmas Cards** for our friends at Robertsville Bible Church: 1) Bring in one signed Christmas card that you can hang in the foyer for all to see and read. 2) Then mail Christmas cards to people who are shut in or not attending church. This would be a blessing and encouragement to them, and they would realize that we are thinking of them at this Christmas season.

**Annual Reports** are needed for our Annual Business Meeting. While most reports will be brief because of covid, we would still like to document what we did from January through March 15 and then mention that activities were discontinued because of covid. Reports needed: Pastor, Deacons, Trustees, Ladies Bible Study, Men's Bible Study, Missions Committee, Christian Education Committee, Prison Ministry, and Nursing Home Ministry. All reports are due by **Wednesday, January 13**.

Christmas is a time of giving gifts as God gave us the gift of His Son over 2,000 years ago. "For God so loved the world, that he **gave** his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." As you give gifts this Christmas season, would you consider giving a special gift for the ministry of Robertsville Bible Church? Our giving is down from last year, and your gift will help us continue our ministry in this community and throughout the world in 2021.



*"The Son of God became a man to enable men to become the sons of God."*

*C. S. Lewis*