

Opportunities for Worship and Service

Sun. Dec. 16	8:30am	Prayer Group
	9:45am	Bible Study
	10:45am	Morning Worship
	11:00am	Korean Worship
	4:00pm	Sunrise Worship Service
	6:00pm	Caroling at Sunrise of Louisville
Mon. Dec. 17	OPEN	Media Library
	9:00am	Adkins Quilters
	7:00pm	Med Prof AA [Women]
	8:00pm	Med Prof AA [Men]
Tues. Dec. 18	OPEN	Media Library
	9:30am	Marksfield Al-Anon
	11:30am	LIFT
	1:30pm	Bible Study at Sunrise
Wed. Dec. 19	OPEN	Media Library
	4:00pm	Administrative Team Meeting
	5:30pm	Family Christmas Dinner & Party
	7:30pm	Korean Prayer & Praise
Thur. Dec. 20	OPEN	Media Library
	2:00pm	Bible Study at Sunrise
	2:00pm	Time with the Lord ~ Sanctuary
Fri. Dec. 21	OPEN	Media Library
Sat. Dec. 22		



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JOY!

The theme for the Third Sunday of Advent draws our attention to this most desired, yet illusive quality. What is joy? When do we experience joy? What is the difference between joy and happiness? Or is there a difference?

A quick perusal of use of the word joy in Scripture results in the discovery that joy is, more often than not, the response to God's presence, to God's act to deliver people from death, to save people from destruction.

I can imagine that within the experience of joy, a whole package of emotional responses is released:

Happiness -- without a doubt deliverance from trouble, distress, grief, death, etc. produces smiles, laughter, even giddiness;

Relief -- when we are freed from the chains of oppression, grief, shame, guilt, etc. a burden is lifted from our lives, we no longer feel weighed down, fearful, guilty; life now opens to us a new beginning; we can breathe again;

Secure -- because the powers that have worked to destroy our lives have been defeated, threat has been eliminated, and danger has been alleviated, we feel safer in the world than we did before; no longer does the world seem dark and prickly.

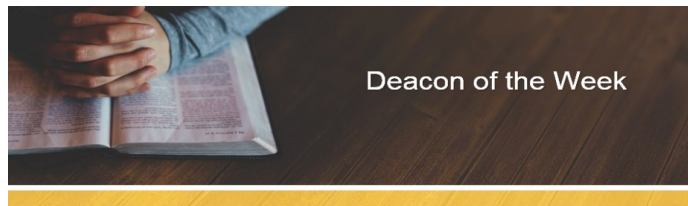
Joy marks the sense of release and freedom that only God can give. Perhaps that is why the psalmist prays,





LYNDON BAPTIST CHURCH
WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMMARY

	12-9-18	Y-T-D
General Offering	\$ 2,744.00	\$ 222,777.90
Budget	\$ 4,808.00	\$ 235,592.00
Variance	\$ (2,064.00)	\$ (12,814.10)
		Still Needed
Scholarship Fund	\$ 120.00	\$ 1,595.00
Benevolence Fund	\$ 240.00	



Deacon of the Week

DECEMBER 16 TO DECEMBER 22

VERA RUWE

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Sunday School Attendance

December 9, 2018

Preschool	2
Children	3
Youth	0
Good Shepherd	10
Adult	<u>41</u>
TOTAL	56



MINISTRY ASSISTANT

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23, 2018

Nursery Vera Ruwe & Judy Lee

Greeter Lola Vanderhoof

Scripture Reader Tim Vanderhoof

Prayer of Dedication Priscilla Mullins



**Caroling at Sunrise
of Louisville
Senior Living Center**

December 16, 2018 ~ 6:30 p.m.

Please meet us at Sunrise to share
Christmas Music with everyone there.



Wednesday, December 19, 2018 ~ 5:30pm

Let's get together to Celebrate the Joy of the Season !

Dinner: Christmas Chicken, Brown Rice, Zucchini-n-Squash, Broccoli
Salad and Red Velvet Cake. **\$10.00**

Our church continues to collect a world mission offering through January 13, 2019. It contributes to needs of missionaries/field personnel and resources so people in other areas of the world can hear, see, and respond to the gift of God's love in Jesus. The bulletin insert today informs us about gifts to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering (International Mission Board). Lottie Moon, a 19th century missionary to China, pleaded with Southern Baptists to pray and give, and come serve in Christ's name. Last Sunday's insert (available in Sunday School area) presented information about the Global Mission Offering (Cooperative Baptist Fellowship).

Envelopes are available at sanctuary entrances.

Thank you for your participation.



