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And what does the Lord require of you?

To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Micah 6:8

"Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?"

"And He said to him, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart,
And with all your soul, and with all your mind.'
This is the great and foremost commandment.

The second is like it,

'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'
On these commandments depend
The whole Law and the Prophets."

THE GREAT COMMANDMENT
Matthew 22:36-40

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying,
"All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.
Go, therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them
In the name of the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
Teaching them to observe all that I commanded you;
And lo, I am with you always, even to
The end of the age."
THE GREAT COMMISSION
Matthew 28:18-20

You can use the tear off on the edge of the bulletin and drop it in the offering box or the box in the foyer. Alternatively, you can click here or use the contacts below if you would like to:

- Acknowledge your visit with us (physical or virtual) OR
- Contact us with prayer requests, questions, concerns, needs OR
- Request visitation prayer at your specific location (in your home, at the hospital, or nursing facility, etc.)

Have a Question?

Contact Us!

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321-754-7566

How can you get involved?

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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Lighting of the Advent Candle of **Joy**Matthew 2:10-11

Worship

Offering

Announcements of upcoming events

Pastoral prayer for the children before Sunday School classes. The Nursery is available for infants & toddlers at any time.

New Testament Reading: <u>Hebrews 11:1-7</u>

"Hall of Faith: Part 1," <u>Hebrews 11:4-7</u>, by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor

The Lord's Supper is offered, along with prayer ministry while worship continues.

Benediction & Closing Prayer

This Sunday Morning:

Children's Church: Pre-school—1st grade class and 2nd—6th grade class.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

12/17 This Sunday:

Young Adult Small Group, at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**, for Christmas Paty at Nathan and Heather Eley's home.

12/19 Tuesday:

Mommy and Me—Circle Time, **10:00 AM** at MCC.

Memoirs Group at **4:00 PM** at MCC. Text Barbara Murgatroyd, (321) 355 -9705, for more information.

The Chosen women's group will start at **6:15 PM** at the church.

12/20 Wednesday:

Under the Cross (UTX) ages 4—6th grade **6:00 PM—7:30 PM**.

Youth Group at **6:00 PM—7:30 PM** with pizza, fellowship, games and Bible study in the book of James.

Adult Discussion Group will meet at **6:30 PM** at MCC. Adult Study will also be broadcast on-line by Zoom. Contact Brandon Harris for a digital invitation. Nursery available 6:00 PM—7:30 PM.

12/21 Thursday:

Bible Art Journaling Group from 10:30 AM—12:30 PM also from 2:30 PM—4:00 PM in the MCC sanctuary. Text Barbara Murgatroyd (321) 355-9705.

Women's Prayer Group, meeting at **1:30 PM—3:30 PM**, For weekly meeting location, please contact the lead, Laurie Wilson (321) 961-3658.

12/22 Saturday:

Ladies' Morning Prayer Group at 8:00 AM on Zoom. See Cindy Coleman.

UPCOMING EVENTS

12/24 Christmas Eve:

Morning Service at **9:30** AM, regular scheduled service continuing the series in Hebrews **Hebrews chapter 11**.

Candlelight Service **5:30 PM**, "It Came Upon a Christmas Eve," children led nativity processional.

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Prayer Requests or Questions for the Pastoral Team?

If you have questions or a prayer request, write in the space below and

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Sermon Notes

Week: "Faith," <u>Hebrews 1:1-3, 6</u> by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor. Advent Candle of Peace Reading: <u>Isaiah 40:3-5</u>; New Testament Reading: <u>Hebrews 11:1-3, 6</u>.

This Week: "Hall of Faith: Part 1," <u>Hebrews 11:4-7</u> by Brandon Harris, Teaching Pastor. Advent Candle of Joy Reading: <u>Matthew 2:10-11</u>; New Testament Reading: <u>Hebrews 11:1-7</u>.

Overview of Chapter 11:

•	The nature of faith,	<u>vv. 1-3</u>
•	The hall of faith,	vv. 4-38
	⋄ Creation to Noah,	<u>vv. 4-7</u>
	The Patriarchs,	vv. 8-22
	Moses to Conquest,	vv. 23-31
	 Overcoming Opposition, 	vv. 32-35a
	♦ Suffering & Death,	vv. 35b-38
•	The importance of faith,	vv. 39-40.

- Faith—Is a God-given conviction that acts on God-given hope.
- Faith—Knows God is Creator.
- Why did God accept Abel's and not Cain's offering?
- Faith—Offers to God.
- Faith—Pleases God.
- Faith—Listens to warning.

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Additional Notes:

Internet Resources: The Bible Project Video: Hebrews; Download Hebrews Overview Poster