

News & Notes

Richmond Presbyterian Church

Deep with God, Wide with the World

December 17, 2023

Be sure to check out our webpage at www.richpres.com for more information about worship services or online programs and how we can share in your faith journey.

Here are the suggested scripture readings for the **Advent/Christmas** season. Please feel free to read ahead as you prepare for Sunday worship:

Dec 17 – Isaiah 61:1-11

Dec 24 – Luke 1:46-55

Faith Formation

The Nursery Room is open and available. Please feel free to use the room if you are worshipping with your baby. Activities sheets are available. **Kids, teens, and youth** will stay in the sanctuary for the entire **Cantata worship service**.

Coming Friday, Dec. 22nd, kids and families will do Christmas Carols and Feast. Meeting point: **RPC 5pm**. We are still looking for one more house to visit. The host only needs to serve appetizers, since we already have two main courses and dessert arranged by other hosts.

Saturday, Dec. 23rd, 10am-3pm, there will be **Alpha Weekend** for Teen and Youth. RSVP to Nehemia

benevolent

Thank you to the **Benevolent Fund**, for sponsoring two vulnerable families with young children, through donations to the **Richmond Family Place Christmas Hamper Program**. Richmond Family Place supports all families, fostering opportunities to

strengthen individuals, families and communities, including the Early Years Refugee Program that won the Celebration of Community Award. The generous gifts purchased through the Benevolent Fund donation, were gratefully received and delivered to the families by support workers, this past week.



Christmas Eve Scripture Readings: If you are interested in reading a scripture passage at our 7 pm Christmas Eve service, please speak to **Curtis**.



Facilitating in today's service

Duty Elder: Mike.Z

Greeters: Eleanor.T & Mary.C

Lay Reader: Darren.W

Flowers: Mary Ryder

Munch & Mingle Hosts: Mary.R, Marie.B, Margaret.S

Counters: Carole & Jim.G, Lyle & Lynn.W

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