

Luke 1:26-28

- 26 in the sixth month of Elizabeth's pregnancy, God sent the angel Gabriel to Nazareth, a town in Galilee,
- 27 to a virgin pledged to be married to a man named Joseph, a descendant of David. The virgin's name was Mary,
- 28 The angel went to her and said, "Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you."

John 5:19-23

- 19 Jesus gave them this answer: "Very truly I tell you, the Son can do nothing by himself; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.
- 20 For the Father loves the Son and shows him all he does. Yes, and he will show him even greater works than these, so that you will be amazed.
- 21 For just as the Father raises the dead and gives them life, even so the Son gives life to whom he is pleased to give it.
- 22 Moreover, the Father judges no one, but has entrusted all judgment to the Son,
- 23 That all may honor the Son just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father, who sent Him.

Matthew 1:18-19

- 18 This is how the birth of Jesus the Messiah came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be pregnant through the Holy Spirit.
- 19 Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.

Genesis 16:13

- 13 She gave this name to the Lord who spoke to her: "You are the God who sees me," for she said, "I have now seen the One who sees me."

Reference: Isaiah 7:14 Isaiah 9:6 Luke 2:7 Luke 1:29 1 Corinthians 4:1

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## WELCOME

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We want to thank each one of you for being here today and if you are visiting us today invite you back the next time you are able. If you happen to be visiting we are so glad you have come our way and would ask if you would remain after services so we might get the chance of meeting you and welcoming you here in person. Again Welcome and Merry Christmas!

Looking for a church home? Want to set up a group or personal bible study? Need some assistance or know of someone who does. Please take the time to visit with us we would love to know how we may serve you. Don't forget to pick up personal invite cards and postcards that are out in the foyer. Ask us about our video library.

We hope you have a wonderful time spending it with family and friends this weekend. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. If it includes any travel be safe. We hope this holiday season will be a joyous one.

During this time we hear a lot of names for God as Isaiah points out "And His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace." These are a few names for God but today for our lesson I want us to look at a very different name for God called El Roi which means the God who sees me. Do you think that God sees you? Do you think He cares? Today we will look at two women one being the mother of Jesus and see that He does care. He does see us. He knows all of what's going on in our lives. What does that mean for us today? How shall I respond to El Roi. By remaining faithful, hopeful and joyful.

### Worship And Study Opportunities

**Sunday:**  
Bible School.....9:30 A.M  
Worship.....10:30 A.M  
Evening Worship....6:00 P.M

**Wednesday:**  
Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.  
Mid-Week Bible Class....7:00 P.M.

**ELDER OF THE MONTH:**.....Eric Sharum

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....Weldon Flanagan

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....	29
Morning Worship: .....	49
Evening Worship: .....	24
Mid-Week: .....	36
Ladies Class: .....	
Contribution: .....	\$3,517.00
Weekly Budget: .....	\$3,909.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer: .....Tim Curtis  
Closing Prayer: .....Tommy Bowden

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Bryan Cain

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If you would like to see a past sermon you can go to our web site and click on the weekly sermons tab.

**PRAYERS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOW-**

**ING:** Kenneth Gregory is in the Hospital. Brad is still in the hospital. Charlie Kelsey fell last week. Bryan Cain's family. David Byrd's father. Jarred & Lenna Kelsey have gone to Mayo Clinic for her tests. Leroy & Pat.

**THERE WILL NOT BE A SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE THIS SUNDAY NIGHT DECEMBER 25TH.**

**SYMPATHY:** We extend our deepest sympathy to Cae, Terri and Danny and their families in the death of their mother Velma Shook this week and to all of Velma's family. The funeral for Velma is pending.

**NEW PHONE NUMBER** for Jerry & Brenda Golson is **580-291-6176**. There was a mistake on the number that was given to the office. Please change to **580-291-6176**

**SYMPATHY:** Kathy Allbritton's mother, Kathleen Allbritton passed away Monday. Her service will be at Lawton Ritter Gray Funeral Home on Thursday at 11 A.M.

**THE CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES FOR 2017** are in the foyer. Remember not to use them until the first Sunday in January.

**DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- 7 - Luz Ray
- 13 - Eric Sharum
- 16 - Tony Salas
- 20 - Dolores Flanagan
- 26 - Dana Parrish
- 27 - Kathy Cain
- 27 - Glen Wampler
- 31 - Jerry Doughty

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, J.L. & Claudine Bolton, Barbara Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Kenneth Gregory, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Bryan Cain's father, Randy Hill, Joshua Henry Kelsey, Dala Melton and Kim Warren.

**EXTENDED CARE:**

Kenneth Gregory is in Willow Park in room 2 C. Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 106. Jack Treffinger is in McMahan in room A82B

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MANY GOOD WISHES  
FOR THE COMING YEAR  
ERIC, CAE, CALEB & JOSHUA  
JERRY & PAT  
DEBBIE  
GREG & LUZ

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**THOUGHTS FOR THE NEW YEAR**

The new year lies before you  
Like a spotless tract of snow;  
Be careful how you tread on it  
For every mark will show

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**MONTHLY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JANUARY 2017**

**MORNING TABLE**

Bryan Cain	James Brennan
Joshua Sharum	Klaus Mueller

**ALTERNATE FOR COMMUNION TABLE**

Tim Curtis

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Glen Wampler

**SUNDAY MORNING SONG LEADER**

Keith Parrish

**SCRIPTURE READING BEFORE COMMUNION**

Greg Ray

**GREETERS**

Ed & Jo Ann Valdez

**USHERS & ATTENDANCE**

Jerry Doughty  
Greg Ray

**COUNT CONTRIBUTION**

Bryan Cain

**NIGHT TABLE**

David Byrd

**NURSERY & BAPTISMAL LINENS**

Cathy Brennan

**PREPARE COMMUNION**

Charles & Genie Kelsey

**AUDIO/VIDEO OPERATOR**

Caleb Sharum

**ELDER OF THE MONTH**

Charles Kelsey