



Abney Street Church of God

.....*A Christ Centered Church*.....

Rev. Stephen E. Hewitt, Interim Pastor

December 17, 2017

When I feel frazzled amid all the Christmas preparations, God, calm my heart and remind me of the season's true meaning.



CALL TO WORSHIP: "O Come Let Us Adore Him"

PASTORAL WELCOME AND INVOCATION

HYMN #172: "Good Christians, Now Rejoice"

OUR WORSHIP IN GIVING

ADVENT READING – Tamara Harpold and Carolyn Davis

HYMN #182: "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"

CHRIST'S BIRTHDAY OFFERING

PASTORAL PRAYER

HYMN #152: "There's A Song In The Air"

CHILDREN DISMISSED TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

MESSAGE: "*The Miracle of Christmas*"
John 3: 16-17

HYMN OF INVITATION #155: "Away In A Manger"

BENEDICTION

Today God Is First

GREATEST WORTH

He came a babe of lowly birth.
He was God's Son of greatest worth.
We, like the angels, sing with mirth
Because God sent his Son to earth
To ransom us and claim our worth.
Praise God this babe of lowly birth!

---MaryAnn Sundby



Good Morning! The Lord anoints us, as he did Jesus, "to bring good news to the oppressed, to bind up the broken-hearted" (Isaiah 61:1, NRSV). We gather here to be strengthened for this work. Welcome!

Dec 17-23, 2017

This week at our church

WEDNESDAY

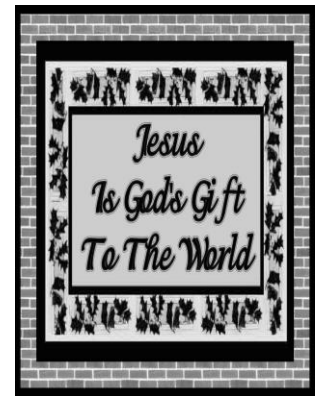
10:00 a.m.

Ladies Prayer Meeting

12:05 p.m.

Community Advent Service at St. Paul MBC

NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES



UPCOMING EVENTS



DECEMBER 24 –Candlelight service

DECEMBER 25 – Merry Christmas!

DECEMBER 27 – Ring in the New Year Dinner (no regular classes)