



Northwest News for January 2024

A Note from Matt **January Sermon Series: Looking for God**

One of the most underrated spiritual “skills” for us to develop is to learn how to look for God. God certainly shows up in ways we’ve come to expect, like going to church, reading the Bible, or when we pray. God also has a habit, however, of appearing in surprising ways. What might happen if we learned to spot God all over the place?

January 7

Title: Jacob’s Limp

Text: Genesis 32:22-32

Description – God doesn’t just show up when we deserve it. God is always in the business of redeeming the world.

January 14

Title: A General’s Weakness

Text: 2 Kings 5:1-11

Description – Sometimes it’s not our faithfulness that helps us see God but our weakness.

January 21

Title: The Woman at the Well

Text: John 4:7-26

Description – God can use our hunger and thirst to help us encounter Him.

January 28

Title: Once Was Blind

Text: Acts 9:1-9

Description – God sometimes has to rob us of certainty to help us take a hold of faith.

Pastor Search News

One of the most difficult parts of the pastor search process is waiting for progress. The holiday season has complicated scheduling meetings so we are continuing our conversations at a slower pace. We have scheduled meetings in January. We know it is difficult to wait. We are trusting in God’s perfect plan which includes His perfect timing. God is preparing us individually and as a church to be ready to walk through the door of the plan He has prepared for us. Please continue to pray for the process, the team, and the person God has already chosen to be our Pastor.



New Year's Eve Potluck

You are invited to bring a dish and share a meal on New Year's Eve. Dinner will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Ham will be furnished: bring a side or dessert to share. Don't worry about staying late. We will be done by 9:00 p.m.

Church Calendar

December 31/ Sunday— Dr. Phil Christopher Preaching

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship

January 1/ Monday- Happy New Year— the office will be closed

January 3/ Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

January 7/ Sunday

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship

January 10/ Wednesday—Madill Girls' gifts are due

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting/ Finance

January 14/ Sunday

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
2:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

To give online go to

January 17/ Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting/ Business Meeting

<https://onrealm.org/nwbcardmore/Give>

January 21/ Sunday

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship

January 24/ Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

January 28/ Sunday

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship

January 31/ Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Office hours: Monday- Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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