



INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH
Building Up and Reaching Out

Lead Pastor: Eddie Newton

Outreach Pastor: Michael Shanks

Worship Service

9:30

Songs: "Glorious Day" / "Jesus, Joy of the Highest Heaven"
"O Come, All Ye Faithful" #130 / "In Christ Alone"

Sermon: "A Just Man"

Scripture: Matthew 1:18-25

Sunday School

11:00

A class for all ages!

We have had the privilege of being Steve & Debbie Douglas' sending church for many years; first as missionaries to Peru and now as Regional Administrator of Spanish Speaking South America with ABWE. Steve's duties as Administrator will take him to several countries in South America including Argentina, Uruguay and Chile in 2025. Next week's Sunday School Missionary Offering will be to help with these travel expenses.

No Evening Service

This Week in Focus

Tuesday:	Christmas Eve Service	6:00 PM
Wednesday:	+++MERRY CHRISTMAS!+++	
Next Sunday:	No Evening Service	

Sunday School

We will continue to hold Sunday School classes at the normal time for the rest of the month.

*We are so glad you chose to worship
with us today!*
December 22, 2024

Prayer Request of the Month

Pray for needs within our community this Christmas. Pray for the message of the manger to change the lives of the lost; pray for the poor and hurting of our towns and how we can best "meet the need".

December Calendar

December 22 – No Sunday Evening Service

December 24 – Christmas Eve Service – 6:00 PM

December 25 – Merry Christmas! (no Wednesday evening ministries)

December 29 – No Sunday Evening Service

January Calendar

January 07 – Bloodmobile

January 09 – Ladies Missionary Fellowship – 9:30 AM

January 10-12 – Teen Snow Camp

January 21 – Annual Business Meeting – 7:00 PM

January 31 – Ladies Craft Night – 6:00 PM

Attention Musicians

Music Scheduling Sheets for January-March are available at the Connection Corner as well as an **attached letter** from Pastor Mike explaining changes to the Sheet and the music program at IBC going forward. Please have your sheet back to **Pastor Mike today**.

The Ladies Missionary Fellowship sends **care packages to our military contacts** several times a year. It is our **Christmas tradition** to send gift cards to those who are stationed Stateside, along with a letter and Christmas devotional. We fully depend on the financial support of the church family. Would you consider giving toward this outreach? The total cost will be around \$600. See Roberta Ayers or Becky Hauser. Thank you!

Nursery Schedule

This Week

Morning Service: Susan Vaughn, Heidi Neufeld, Jessica Newton

Sunday School: Elaine Dorazio, Stacey Hauser

Next Week

Morning Service: Jenny Shores, Ellie Alderfer, Tammy Holdren, Elaine Dorazio

Sunday School: Tammy Holdren, Elaine Dorazio