



# December 2021

## At Christmas, Love Came To Us

“Unfailing love flows from His heart and heals my soul,  
In spite of who I am, He loves and makes me whole.  
I almost can't believe it's true, Unfailing love and yet I know  
He gave his life to give to me unfailing love.” – Evie Karlsson

- ❑ **December 1** – Give thanks to God for His “incredible gift” as we recall the gift of the Son! (2 Corinthians 9:15)
- ❑ **December 2** – From the love we have received, pray we will learn to “love one another earnestly from a pure heart.” (1 Peter 1:22)
- ❑ **December 3** – Pray for those who have made commitments to Christ this last year. May they remain faithful and continue to grow in the Lord.
- ❑ **December 4** – Pray for our elementary children as they prepare to wear their Christmas angel wings and shepherd's hats and practice for their program!
- ❑ **December 5** – Pray for our little preschoolers as they practice for their Christmas program. Pray they will learn the words and be excited to be in the program.
- ❑ **December 6** – Please pray for our Men's Event this evening and pray men will understand the importance of having a dad and being a dad.

- ❑ **December 7** – Pray for wisdom as the Youth Ministry Team prepares and leads this coming winter/spring.
- ❑ **December 8** – Pray for our college students as they finish projects and take their final exams.
- ❑ **December 9** – Pray for those who find the holiday season especially challenging. May our church be a true place of comfort!
- ❑ **December 10** – Ask God to touch the hearts of the women attending the Women’s Christmas Tea tonight. Pray for guidance for those who are leading this event.
- ❑ **December 11** – Pray we will be a church that stays true to the Gospel of Christ, strong in missions and fervent in prayer.
- ❑ **December 12** – Pray that tonight’s Christmas Hymn/Children’s Program/Old Fashion Pie Social will bring many of our church family and friends together to sing praise to Jesus. Pray our littlest performers will do well and sing out with unbridled joy and no crying!
- ❑ **December 13** – May God encourage, strengthen, and grant those who cannot join us at church the reality of His presence with them.
- ❑ **December 14** – Praise the Lord for the wonderful team of Youth Ministry Volunteers.
- ❑ **December 15** – Pray our church staff will be healthy and well-rested during this busy Christmas season with its added responsibilities.
- ❑ **December 16** – Pray our lives will be marked by thankfulness and faithfulness during this Christmas season.

- ❑ **December 17** – Please pray that those involved with our benevolent ministry would respond to those in need with love and help that encourages and moves them forward in life.
- ❑ **December 18** – Pray that our students would use the Christmas season as an opportunity to share their faith.
- ❑ **December 19** – Pray that our parents fix God’s Word in the hearts of their children by bringing them to the many Children’s Ministries we offer here at FBC as well as teaching His Word at home.
- ❑ **December 20** – Pray that our students would avoid the idols of greed and materialism during the holidays.
- ❑ **December 21** – Ask God to give you a deeper love for Him and His Word. That there would be an on-going Godly transformation in your life.
- ❑ **December 22** – As we move into a time where much time is spent with family, pray that God would use you to encourage and buildup those who you are in contact with during this Christmas season.
- ❑ **December 23** – Please pray for those who are alone or who have lost loved ones and are especially missing them during this Christmas season.
- ❑ **December 24** – Pray the Gospel of Christ will be clearly understood by those attending and watching the Candlelight Christmas Eve Services!
- ❑ **December 25** – “Hark! the herald angels sing, Glory to the newborn King, Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled, Joyful, all you nations rise. Join the triumph of the skies.”

- ❑ **December 26** – Pray that our students would make time during the holidays to focus on and praise the Lord.
- ❑ **December 27** – Please pray for our Trustees as they endeavor to help the ministries of our church.
- ❑ **December 28** – Pray that 2022 would see continued growth in the faith and maturity of our teens.
- ❑ **December 29** – Pray for an attitude of grateful service among us as we do our part to keep our church active and healthy for the glory of God.
- ❑ **December 30** – Praise the Lord for the many ways our teens are serving at First Baptist and in our community.
- ❑ **December 31** – As we come to a New Year, ask God what the things are in your life, that if changed, would lead you to a more personal relationship with Him.

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