

Father's House Fellowship

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December 23, 2018

Monday Prayer Meeting
12:00PM

Sunday Worship
Sunday School 9:45
11:00 A.M. (nursery available)

Wednesday Bible Study
7:00 P.M. (nursery available)

Youth Night
Friday, 7:00 P.M.

Sermon
'The Greatest Gift'
Sister Lonna Russo

Announcements

Food collection for Bread of Life Missions
New Year's Eve Fellowship Monday, December 31st 8:30PM
Sisters of Praise Fellowship Annual Business Meeting
Saturday, January 12th 10:00AM
Men's Fellowship Tuesday, January 15th 7:00PM
Church Annual Business Meeting Tuesday, January 29th 7:00PM

Prayer Requests

Roxanne Williams, Darla Hopkins, Cadee Rockwell, Bill McGinley, Roseanne Sollecito, Asena & Shasta Mott, Kate, Michael, & Darina Hoffman, Mollie DeGiovine, Mary Kay, Margret Ferraris, David Polimeni, Jennifer Yang, Connie McGinley, Reginal Lafortune, Penny, Deborah, John Gould, Juan Guerra, Elsa & Alberto Weissfisch, Josh Williams, Nelson Borerro, Grace Maltese, Nadia, Neal Calello, Linda, Todd, Lonna Russo, Louise Carbanaro, Jonathan Russo, Emmanuel Numa, Christopher Hazard, Miss Barbara, Stephanie Allen, Alyssa, Eddy & mother, Jackie, Cindy, Stephanie, Marissa, Kaylan, Doretta Rockwell, David Merigold, William S. Hazard, Nicole Gould, Pam McKeggan, Joe Brown, Lydia K., Steven Genik, David Herbert, James Douglas, Dakota Jones, Nayara Arroyo, Malcolm & Emily, Tracey Trost, Sharon Eisele & family, Bob, Terry Soto, Serayah Allen, Matthew Brooks, Lisa Henderson & family, Jerry Donnelly, Eric Carbanaro, Mickey McPherson,
Soldiers serving our country – Sean Johnson, Elijah Noel, Lepskey Nore, Sean Holy, Andrew Smith, Ronnie Fray, Matthew McAlpine, Emily Starbird, Jeremiah Slack
Please our missions in your prayers Shepherd's Flock, New Missions (Haiti and the Dominican Republic), and HOE Ministries

Healing Scripture **Psalm 91:14-16**

Because he has set his love upon Me, therefore I will deliver him; I will set him on high, because he has known My name. He shall call upon Me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him and honor him. With long life I will satisfy him, and show him My salvation.

Matthew 1:21

And she shall bring forth a Son, and thou shalt call His name Jesus; for He shall save His people from their sins.

It seems impossible to understand the magnificent gift of God who sent His Son, the Word, to appear on earth and become one with the flesh side of man. This man Jesus, would have a human body, but He would not have the sin nature man received when Adam fell. Man on his own is an amazing creature, he has the ability to create and do amazing feats of greatness in areas such as art, medicine, literature, and music. But man with his fallen nature can also do the vilest things ever imagined. Being created in God's image (Genesis 1:27), God finds us precious in His sight. God wanted to reconcile man to Himself so He sent Jesus in the form of man to die for our sins. The peace we sing about at Christmas time is not peace between men, it is peace with God. Every person has the opportunity to believe and receive forgiveness of sins, and eternal life. Salvation opens the door for each person to have a personal relationship with God. Only through the death of Jesus who took all our sins on His body can we ever hope to leave this world behind and the death that is in this world. The greatest gift you will ever receive is the birth of Jesus in your heart. Then you have peace knowing that if today was your last day on earth you know where you are going. No matter how many Christmas presents you receive, no matter how much love your family gives you, and no matter how many good things happen in your life they are all temporary. Happiness can never be found in the things of this world, only through the One who is beyond this world. Christmas is a perfect time of the year to give yourself the most important gift you will ever receive, that is peace with God and eternal life. Believe in your heart and confess with your mouth the birth, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Judy Onofri