### NO ROOM AT THE INN

#### **BILL BOUKNIGHT** | RETIRED GMC GUEST PASTOR

Luke 2:1-7

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If you have everything but don't have Jesus, you have nothing. If you have nothing but have Jesus, you have everything.

#### IS THERE ROOM FOR CHRIST IN OUR HOMES?

1 Corinthians 13:7

Proverbs 22:6

Is there room for Christ in our employment or school or wherever we spend most of our days?

Matthew 5:14

John 8:12

Colossians 3:23

Is there room for Christ in the way we treat the least, the lost and the lonely?

Matthew 25:40

#### **SALVATION IN FIVE STEPS**

- 1. OUR CONDITION ROMANS 3:23
- 2. PENALTY OF SIN ROMANS 6:23
- 3. GOD'S PROVISION JOHN 3:16
- 4. OUR PART ROMANS 10:13
- 5. ASSURANCE JOHN 10:28

#### THE PRAYER THAT SAVES SINNERS

"God be merciful to me a sinner. I confess my sins, and I believe that your Son, Jesus Christ, paid the penalty for my sin when he died on the cross. Forgive me and save my soul right now. Since I know I can trust your promises, I claim your salvation, now and forever. Amen.

"If you confess with your mouth 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." - Romans 10:9

#### IMPORTANT FOLLOW-UP STEPS

- 1. Read one chapter each day from the New Testament, starting with Luke. Purchase a NIV Study Bible and begin reading one chapter per day from the Old Testament.
- 2. Find a Bible-believing church and attend worship faithfully. Find a small group or Sunday School class within that church where you can share fellowship and growth with other Christians.

"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers (or sisters) of mine, you did for me."

#### MT. HOREB CHURCH

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# **EVENTS &**OPPORTUNITIES

#### **CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES**

Christmas Eve is almost here! We hope you will invite someone to experience one of our six services on the 24th. We will have Traditional services at 11:00 AM and 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary and Contemporary services at 2:00, 5:00, 7:00, and 9:00 PM in the Auditorium. We want to let you know that the earlier services fill up quickly, but we always have space at the 9:00 PM service. Doors will open 30 minutes before the start, so come early to ensure you get a seat.

Visit *christmasatmthoreb.org* for more information.

#### **DECEMBER 29 SERVICES**

December 29 will be our last worship service of 2024! There will be one 9:00 AM Traditional Service in the Sanctuary, and one 10:45 AM Contemporary Service in the Auditorium. This will be a great way to close out the year together and look ahead with expectancy for what God will do in 2025.

#### **CELEBRATION SERVICE**

We are so grateful for the leadership and faith of Pastor Jeff Kersey over 30 years of ministry here at Mt Horeb Church. On Sunday morning, January 5th, we will celebrate his legacy in our worship services, as he transitions into a new season of ministry. We will also be hearing from our new Senior Pastor Michael Turner about all that lies ahead for Mt. Horeb! Services will be at 9:00 and 10:45 AM for both Contemporary and Traditional. The message portion from Pastor Jeff and Pastor Michael will be streamed into the Sanctuary.

#### **RETIREMENT PARTY**

On January 5, we want to invite you to join us to honor and thank Pastor Jeff and Lynn Kersey for answering God's call in their lives here at Mt. Horeb. We will have a time to enjoy food, fellowship and lots of fun. Registration is required. Please choose one of the two times to attend and understand that space is limited. We look forward to celebrating all that God has done at Mt. Horeb through Pastor Jeff and Lynn! Register at *mthorebchurch.org/events*.

#### **END OF YEAR GIVING**

As 2024 comes to an end, we want to take a moment to say thank you for your continued generosity to support the missions of Mt Horeb Church. For charitable tax donations to qualify for 2024, please adhere to the following guidelines. Online donations must be made by 11:59 PM EST on December 31, 2024. Mailed Checks must be postmarked on or before December 31, 2024. Offerings can be dropped off at the church office on or before December 31, 2024. Offices will close at 3:30 PM on December 31.

If this is your first visit, please stop by the Welcome Center in the main lobby for a special gift.

#### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**12/22/24 -** Greysen Rewis, Guy, Dottie Rikard & Family, Sylvia Butler, Martin and Liz Gasque & Family, Blanchard Williams, Zan Baity, Becky Martin, Stephanie Williams, Gerald Leaphart, Jr., Kaitlyn Curlee Gaul, Char Hartung, Robbie Rector, Jill Finnesand, Don Cromer, Virginia Way-Farmer & Family, Kelly Currin, Bart Owens, Fay Smith, Dow Holden, Steve Wolfe, Ruby Turner, Leon Roebuck, Tom Anderson, Ron Wargel, Nancy Gray

**12/15/24** - Baukie Bouknight & Family, Bailey Harris, The Collins Family, Jennifer Hall, Chris DeVane, Joyce Smith, Carol Wiggins, Randall Robinson, Angie Enlow, Evelyn Anne Neal, Gary Reeves, Patsy Ingram, Vicki Rouse, Robin Perrotto, Marsha Kline, Jackie Dukes, The Steiner twins, Carolyn Crick, Brooks Bouknight, Glen Garrison, Helen Glenn, Colleen Derrick, Johnny Konczak, Brian Sudduth & Family

Continue to pray for our ministries, staff and church leadership, our church members and families, those in the military, and our missionaries.

#### **WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

We believe that worship is a key component in both your relationship with Jesus and your communal fellowship. From the timeless hymns of traditional music to the modern melodies of contemporary worship. We offer four worship services each Sunday.

Contemporary Worship in the Auditorium and Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary at 9:00 & 10:45 AM

All of our services are also available online at mthorebchurch.org/live

# **LOOK AT OUR FAITHFULNESS**

	WEEKEND IN WORSHIP (PHYSICAL)	1,350	1,956	
	WEEKEND IN WORSHIP (ONLINE)	1,342	1,568	
	CLASSIC CHRISTMAS CONCERT		1,044	
	WEEKEND IN WORSHIP (TOTAL)	2,692	4,568	
2024 OPERATING BUDGET		6,765,000		
	NEED PER WEEK	130,100		
	RECEIVED 12/15	474,004		
	RECEIVED TO DATE	9,852,540		
	CAPITAL			
	RECEIVED 12/15		820	
	RECEIVED TO DATE		54,567	

**BUILDING FUND** 

RECEIVED 12/15

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