WELCOME! We're glad you're here and have decided to join us today!

If you would like to share a Christmas card with the entire congregation, please drop off a picture or send a scanned picture to secretary@livingwateroc.com and it will be included in a Christmas card slideshow on Sunday mornings prior to worship.

TEACHER: Pastor Jesse Walhof

SCRIPTURE: Micah 5:1-5

SERMON SUMMARY: God's promise conquers all.

NOTES:

OUR FAMILY

PRAISE: Justin and Alli Kroese were blessed with a baby boy, Klayton, who was born on November 15. Following his birth, Klayton needed special attention and was transferred to a Sioux Falls hospital. We celebrate that Klayton is now home with his parents and big brother, Jacob! (OC)

PRAY: Please pray for Amy Stark who will be undergoing surgery on Tuesday, December 12. (OC)

PRAY: Nicole Holtz has been hospitalized for an infection and will be in the hospital for the next ten days. Pray for Nicole's healing and for her husband, Nathan, as he cares for their young family during this time. (SH)

From Brad and Sheila Tebben: Thank you all for your prayers and encouragement during Brad's health issues and especially during his recent surgery to his nasal cavity. All went well at his follow up appointment on December 6. He has a slight infection but can start work again tomorrow. We ask for prayers that any headaches he still experiences are due to the packing and will be gone now that it has been removed. Also, asking for prayers as he goes back to work after six weeks off; strength for each day will be needed. (SH)

TODAY	The JAM Christmas project this year is through World Renew GAP Gifts.
 9:30am COFFEE SHOPPE 10:00am WORSHIP LITTLE TREASURES (3 & 4 yr olds) Watch for slides on screen to dismiss 11:00am JAM (TK-5th gr) Watch for slides on screen to dismiss for JAM - Parents pick up children at Motor Inn bldg at noon WAVE (6th-8th gr) Meets in large upstairs classroom STAY AND PRAY SW corner of Worship Center 	These gifts are a way to "stand in the gap" for others and take a stand against poverty, disaster and hunger. JAM is collecting donations for a gift of chickens; the congregation's donations will go toward the purchase of a goat. Place your donations in the jars in the lobby area by December 17. THIS WEEK <u>Mon, Dec 11</u> 7:00pm Council meeting (OC) <u>Wed, Dec 13</u> 6:45-8:45 pm OC Cadets - Calvary CRC 7:00pm OVERFLOW (OC)

OPPORTUNITIES

To bless a family living at The Bridge at Christmas time, please choose a tag from the Christmas Giving Tree located in the lobby fellowship area. After purchasing your gift, place your label on the gift and return the item(s) to the tree by December 21. If you have any questions, please contact Gina Roberson at tblifeskills@gmail.com.

Next Sunday, December 17 - beginning at 8:30am - breakfast is being planned at the Sheldon Campus. The Connections Team invites both campuses to join in this time of fellowship! We look forward to seeing everyone! Sign up is necessary - you can sign up through Friday (15th) by contacting Erica De

Jong text - 712-230-2283 or email - sedejong2011@gmail.com The LW Connections Team

GET INVOLVED

INFANTS

NURSERY: Nursery is available throughout the service for newborns thru 2 years The nursery is located near the Welcome Center in the front lobby area.

CHILDREN

LITTLE TREASURES: Sunday school for 3 & 4 year olds; meets during the worship service. Watch for announcement slide for dismissal.

JAM: TK-5th grade. Jesus And Me meets following the Sunday morning service

meets in Motor Inn bldg next door

Students and teachers watch for announcement slide for dismissal;

parents pick up children in their classrooms at Motor Inn at 12:00noon

YOUTH

WAVE: 6th-8th grade. Meets following the Sunday morning service in upstairs classroom (OC)

OVERFLOW: 9th-12th grade. Meets from 7:00-8:30pm on Wednesday (OC)

GEMS: Girls 3rd-8th grade. Meets from 6:45-8:30pm @ Immanuel CRC (OC) Wednesday evenings 2x a month

CADETS: Boys 4th-8th grade. Meets from 6:45-8:45pm @ Calvary CRC (OC) Wednesday evenings 2x a month

ADULTS/FAMILIES

STAY AND PRAY: Group of people gathering after the worship service in the SW corner of the Worship Center. Everyone's invited. For more info, contact Kim Groeneweg at skgroen@yahoo.com

COMMUNITY GROUPS: Small groups of people who enjoy staying connected to each other by discussing life, studying scripture, playing, eating, serving, and investing in one another. Contact Pastor Garry at pastor.garry@livingwateroc.com

7-4-3 GROUPS: Groups of about 7 people gathering for a meal 4 times over a 3 month period. Contact Brittany Foreman - dan brittanyforeman@yahoo.com

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

CONTACT ONE OF THESE MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS

AUDIO & VISUAL TEAM: David Smit - media@livingwateroc.com

COOKIE MINISTRY: Marilyn Bolkema - bolkemam@gmail.com

FACILITIES: Mike Noteboom - m-noteboomelectric@c-i-service.com

GRACE TEAMS: Amy Vande Vegte - gavv7@outlook.com

GREETERS & COFFEE SHOPPE: Ronda Noteboom - rondajn@hotmail.com

NURSERY: Kelly Schmidt - kellyschmidt1@gmail.com

PRAYER MINISTRY: Kim Groeneweg - skgroen@yahoo.com