



*For unto us a Child is born,
unto us a Son is given;
And the government shall
be upon His shoulder.
And His name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor,
Mighty God, Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace.*

Isaiah 9:6



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Glory
to God
in the
highest,

And on earth peace,
goodwill toward men!

- LUKE 2:14

December 25, 2016

Welcome! If you are a guest with us this morning, we would love to give you more information about Ridgecrest. Please fill out the white connect card in the rack in back of the pews. You can place it in the offering plate when it is passed or you can bring it to the Welcome Desk as you leave the worship service this morning.

Invite
my circle

Bible Studies – Start 2017 off with getting involved in one of the many Bible studies offered at Ridgecrest. We have men’s and ladies groups on Wednesday evenings, three Precept classes on Monday evenings and Ladies Bible Study on Tuesday mornings. We also have Life Groups on Sunday mornings and evenings, and Wednesday evenings.

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Precept Upon Precept group that meets in Room 102 begins the new year on January 9th with the study of Daniel Part 1. Join us for good fellowship around God’s Word. For more information and to order your book, contact Fawn Smith at fawnsmith@bellsouth.net.

Reach
my world

Year-End Contributions - Please help us catch up on our 2016 budget by getting your contribution in early. In order for your giving statement to reflect contributions for 2016 tax purposes, your year-end contribution must be hand-delivered to the church office or dated and postmarked by 12/31/2016. Thank you.

Weekly Opportunities December 25 - 31, 2016

Sunday: 10:30am Christmas Worship Celebration- Bro. Phil
Preschoolers “Happy Birthday, Jesus” Party (The Ark)
NO PM ACTIVITIES AT THE CHURCH

NO ACTIVITIES AT THE CHURCH THIS WEEK

Merry Christmas!

May you have a blessed Christmas with family and friends.

OUR VISION

To become followers of Jesus who under the leadership of the Spirit passionately love and serve God and also love all people as Jesus does.

Christmas Holiday Schedule

December 22–26 – Church Offices will be closed

December 25 – Christmas Worship Celebration at 10:30am
No Life Groups & No PM activities

December 28 – No Wednesday Activities at the church

January 1 – New Year Worship Celebration at 10:30am
No Life Groups & No PM activities

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES AT RIDGECREST

- Please set aside a time each week to pray specifically for those who are lost without faith in Christ. You may use this webpage as a guide: ridgecrest.net/thelost.
- Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 6:30am you can join our Pastor’s Prayer Partners in the Worship Center for a time of prayer for Ridgecrest.
- We invite you to sign up for a specific time to use our Prayer Room. Call Vicky Boone at extension 25 to reserve your time.
- We invite you to Prayer Walk around our campus or inside the buildings as the Lord leads you.
- This week’s prayer requests:
 - For our special holiday worship services; that they will be a blessing to all
 - For the impact of the Christmas Matters community outreach
 - For the Impact of “The Story”
 - For our unsaved loved ones
 - For our church leaders as they plan for 2017
 - For Bro. Phil as he continues to shepherd us and lead us into mission outreaches.