



**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE  
Week of December 21, 2014**

**SUNDAY - 12/21**

9:45 Sunday School  
10:30 Fellowship with coffee & donuts, *Family Life Center*  
11:00 Cantata, "Love Came Down at Christmas," *Sanctuary*  
6:00 Youth, *Family Life Center*  
8:00 AA, *Fellowship Hall, Room 105*

**MONDAY - 12/22**

**TUESDAY - 12/23**  
MDO Christmas Break

**WEDNESDAY - 12/24**

*Church Office Closed*  
5:00 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, *Sanctuary*

**THURSDAY - 12/25**

*Church Office Closed*

*Merry Christmas!*

**FRIDAY - 12/26**

*Church Office Closed*

**SATURDAY - 12/27**



I am not alone at all, I thought. I was never alone at all. And that, of course, is the message of Christmas. We are never alone. Not when the night is darkest, the wind coldest, the world seemingly most indifferent. For this is still the time God chooses. -Copied

Monthly Giving to the General Budget			
December Budget	Funds Rec'd as of 12/14	% Rec'd toward Monthly Budget	
\$26,888	\$13,130	49%	
Income & Expense Statement (Does not include Special Designated Gifts)			
Income	% Annual	Expenses	% Annual
3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 2014	Budget	3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 2014	Budget
\$262,599	68.5%	\$269,692	70.3%

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**POINSETTIA ON THE ALTAR RAIL** is given in honor of Jesse and Nina Gibbs by Edward & Linda Gibbs.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO NASH & CONSTANCE GARRISON** who were married in Aspen, Colorado, on Thursday, December 18, 2014.

**NO CHILDREN'S CHURCH TODAY** so everyone can enjoy the cantata.

**YOUTH** meet at 6 o'clock this evening in the Family Life Center.

**POINSETTIAS:** If you placed a poinsettia in the sanctuary, you may take it home following the Christmas Eve Service or after worship on December 28<sup>th</sup>.

**THE FLOWER CALENDAR FOR 2015** is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. If you would like to reserve a Sunday for flowers on the altar in memory or in honor of a loved one or friend, just add your name on the line next to the date you choose. You may also contact the church office by phone (365-6324) or email (scumc@volstate.net) and the secretary will reserve a date for you on the new calendar.

**PASTOR:** Dr. Tony Collins  
**WORSHIP LEADER:** Norman Bowman  
**CHOIR DIRECTOR:** Judy Ezell  
**DIRECTOR OF YOUTH:** Beth Keylon  
**CO-DIRECTORS OF CHILDREN:** John Hanson, Angela Rose  
**DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S CHOIR:** Kaitlyn Couch  
**USHERS:** Marla Hinzman, Earl Keahey, Steve Keylon, Billy Ray Patton  
**HOSTS:** Lynda Smith, Pete & Shelby Williams  
**NURSERY:** Peggy Bowman  
**NO CHILDREN'S CHURCH TODAY**  
**YOUTH:** 12/21 Beth Keylon 12/24 Christmas Eve (No Youth Meeting)  
**WEBSITE TECHNICIAN:** Jay Maddux  
**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT:** Sharon Brown

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Mon. - Fri. • 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon • 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
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**Love Came Down  
at Christmas**

*Celebrating God's Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love*

by Joel Raney



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