

## Financial Update

For the week of 12/19/21

(summary as of November—month 8 of 12)

<b>MISSIONS</b>	(based on Faith Promise of \$35,400.00)	<b>Difference</b>	
Nov.	BUDGET: \$ 2,723.07	ACTUAL: \$ 2,468.00	-\$ 255.07
YTD	BUDGET: \$23,826.92	ACTUAL: \$21,921.00	-\$ 1,905.92

### **GENERAL**

Nov.	BUDGET:\$ 23,076.93	ACTUAL: \$ 13,650.00	-\$ 9,426.93
YTD	BUDGET:\$201,923.08	ACTUAL: \$181,319.14	-\$20,603.94

## Calendar-Week of 12/19/21

<i>Today</i>	<b>10:00-11:00 am</b>	Worship-Live and streaming
<i>Monday</i>	<b>9:00 am</b>	Prayer-Everyone is welcome!
<i>Tuesday</i>	<b>9:30 am</b>	No Ladies' Bible Study-Christmas break
<i>Wednesday</i>	<b>9:00 am-4:00 pm</b>	Prayer Day
	<b>5:45-7:45 pm</b>	No Hilltop Youth Group-Christmas break
	<b>6:00-7:30 pm</b>	No Ignite-Christmas break
<i>Thursday</i>	<b>7:00 am</b>	Men's 4D Discipleship
	<b>6:30 pm</b>	Kept in Stitches Group
<i>Friday</i>	<b>6:00 pm</b>	Christmas Eve Service
<i>Sunday</i>	<b>10:00-11:00 am</b>	Worship-Live and streaming

## Contact Information

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December 19, 2021

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Announcements

Dismiss Children to Sunday School

Prayer for Offering

(Put your offering in the offering box as you leave)

Servant of the Week: Rob & Sandy Shaffer with Entrust

Ministries

Advent Reading

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Video

Worship

We Three Kings

O Come All Ye Faithful

Pastoral Prayer and Sermon

Worship

How Many Kings

Away in A Manger

Benediction



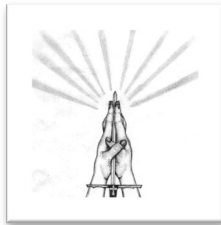
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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Together, as the people of Good News, God has called us to a mission. We want to bring the freedom of the Gospel to Mosinee and beyond. For that to happen we need God's power. Without prayer our mission lacks power. So we're going to try a new strategy.

We are making Wednesdays a day to focus on prayer for our mission. The prayer room is open from 9am-4pm; there are opportunities to pray with others from 9-10, 12-1 and 3-4, or, if you prefer, to pray alone. We are following the ACTS acronym for our prayer: Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving and Supplication.



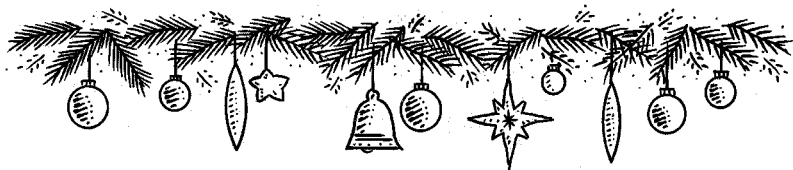
Each week we will focus on a different aspect of the church's mission and vision, highlight a ministry of the church, and target a need in our community. Then, each Sunday in the bulletin, we will note the emphases from the past Wednesday so you can continue in prayer for these items. We are wanting to develop a broader perspective to our prayers, not just praying about personal items and illnesses, but gaining a deeper awareness of how God works in our lives, our church, our community and our world. Come join us each Wednesday as you are able.

Today is the day you need to turn in your **Operation Baby Bottle** for Hope Life Center in Wausau. Please put them on the back table in front of the sound booth. Thank you!

Our **Christmas Eve Service** this year is on Friday, December 24, as usual; however, it will be at 6:00 pm (not 7:00 pm, as in previous years). We have printed invitations available that you can give to family and friends, inviting them to celebrate the reason for the season with us here at Good News. They are included in your bulletin; if you wish more, they are on the back table.

Don't forget to continue in prayer for our youth who are going to **Districts on January 7-9, 2022!**

**Ministry Leaders:** mark your calendars! **Ministry Network** will be meeting on Monday, January 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.



## Families of the Week

Jack & Lynda Overgaard

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Dick & Nancy Peterson



Throughout this week, pray that these individuals will sense God's presence and continued blessing in their lives, and his direction for their future.

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## Servant of the Week

Rob & Sandy Shaffer

Serving with Entrust in Austria

Rob had heart valve surgery in October and has been recovering. In their last letter, Sandy wrote, "How prone we are to judge whether God loves us by how our lives are going. Yet Jesus said to His disciples, "I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world." Jesus didn't promise His followers a life without pain or problems. Yet we've come to expect the good life and we are often surprised when problems come our way. We are thankful that God's Word has been our companion and guide for many years, and we cling to the truths that God is for us, that He knows what is best for us, that we can trust Him even when things don't make much sense."

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Please be in prayer for the individuals in our church family and in the community that are struggling with Covid, especially Betsy Dalbec who is in the hospital. Also remember Dick & Nancy Peterson, John Moss, and Steve Bouton, as they continue to recover. Pray that they would have no lasting affects from Covid.

### **These were the prayer focus items from our 12/15 Wednesday prayer:**

Vision: Treasure God, Love People

Unity in the body; seeking God's heart in decisions

Ministry: Children's Ministry

New kids from community; wisdom and patience for leaders; our kids would be lights in the community

Community: Elementary School

Health for teachers and students; new substitute teachers; that we as Good News would be able to serve the school