
December 14, 2025: ***“Great Joy”***

Text:

Luke 2:8-15

Psalm 16:10-11

Howdy Church Family,

This Sunday, we continue to think about the angels’ words to the shepherds: “I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people” (Luke 2:10).

Joy is more than laughter or happiness—it’s a deep contentedness born out of hope and peace. In a world that often feels joyless, Christ’s coming reminds us that true joy is a gift from God, unshaken by circumstances.

We’ll explore what it means to live a joyful life in a joyless world, drawing insight from the shepherds’ response that incredible night. Their confidence and resolve remind us that joy is not just an emotion, but a way of living.

Come ready to celebrate, reflect, and be encouraged. Let’s get together this Sunday to experience the joy that Christ brings—joy that changes how we wake up, how we work, how we love, and how we shine His light in the world.

I look forward to worshiping, remembering, and learning with you!

See you soon! Bring a friend!

Pastor Ed