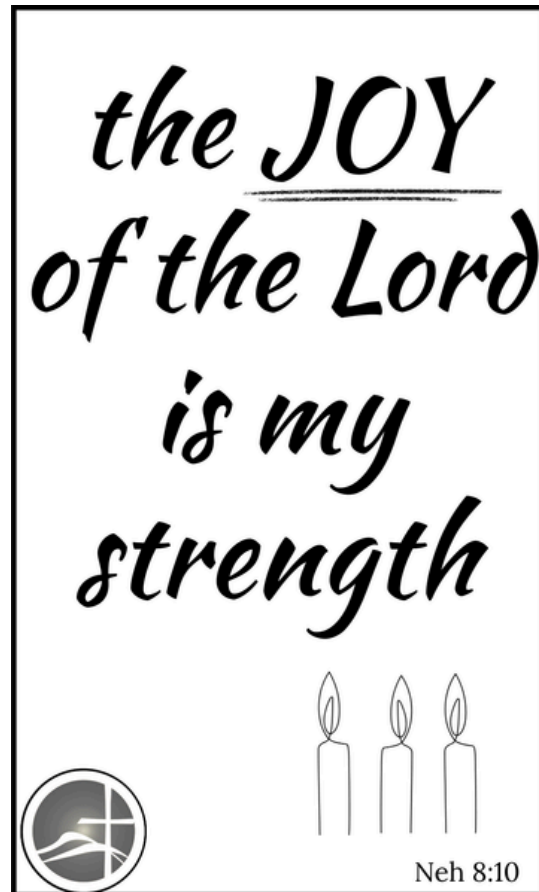


North Hills Community Baptist Church



December 14, 2025
11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Hall, Senior Pastor
Rev. Felicia Zamora,
Associate Pastor of Pastoral Care
Christine O'Neil,
Director of Youth Ministries
Administrative Assistant

Emmanuel Berrido, Director of Music
Greta Zewe, Sanctuary Production Manager
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Welcome Guests!

We are excited to have you worship with us today! If you are a first-time or returning guest, we would like to connect with you. Please take a minute to either scan the QR Code to the right with your phone camera or complete the “We’re Glad You’re Here” card found in the pew racks, and place the card in the offering plate when it comes around.



Order of Service

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jeremy Hall

CALL TO WORSHIP & LIGHTING OF THE PEACE ADVENT CANDLE

Clarke Family

SONGS OF PRAISE

What Child Is This?
This Is Amazing Grace

PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER

Jeremy Hall

ANTHEM

Rejoice! Emmanuel
From “This Is Christmas”

NHCBC Choir

OFFERING INVITATION AND PRAYER

Ginger Clarke

OFFERING MUSIC

What Can I Give Him/Doxology

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Wise

NHCBC Congregation

CLOSING SONG

Joy To The World

BENEDICTION

Felicia Zamora

Announcements

Prayer Request Cards

Prayer request cards are available in the pew racks and in the narthex.

It's July in December!

This summer's VBS program is Rainforest Falls and in order for us to turn the sanctuary into a rainforest oasis we need your wrapping paper tubes (or the paper rolls inside) and any brown paper packaging you get with deliveries over the holidays. A collection bin is in the office hallway. Thank you!

Helping Hands Will Meet December 17th

The Helping Hands group will meet on Wednesday, December 17th from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the NHCBC Cafe. They will be packing gift bags for the homeless and writing Christmas cards for our church shut-ins and those in nursing homes. All are welcome to join this outreach - more hands equal more love and kindness extended to others!

NHCBC Cantata and Candlelight Christmas Eve Service

Our NHCBC Choir and guest singers will share with us "This Is Christmas" by Mary McDonald on Christmas Eve. Our service will begin with special music at 6:30 p.m. and our Candlelight Service at 7 p.m.. Invite friends and family to be with us for this special evening of music and reflection.

Christmas Outreach Opportunities

Looking for a way to reach out to others this Christmas season? Our Missions Board is providing the following opportunities:

- **North Hills Community Outreach Food Pantry** - Boxed mashed potatoes, boxed stuffing, Hamburger Helper, granola bars/snacks, condiments, cooking oil and toilet paper are December needs.
- **Pleasant Valley Shelter** - Cold weather needs include warm hats, gloves, long underwear, boxer underwear, socks, undershirts, boots, or blankets. Items will be accepted until December 17th.

Catalyst Youth Super Bowl Zroni Roll Sale

Now through January 7th, Catalyst Youth will be selling Zroni Pepperoni Rolls to help you with your Super Bowl food offerings or easy dinner needs. Rolls are \$17 each, feed 3-4 people, and arrive frozen. Rolls will be available for pick up Sunday, January 25. The order form is available at the Welcome Desk. Proceeds benefit youth mission outreach.

Retired Ministers and Missionaries Offering

The Retired Ministers and Missionaries Offering (RMMO) celebrates, thanks, and lifts up our ABC servant leaders. Please check your mailbox for more information about this important gift. Our church will collect RMMO on December 21st and during the Christmas Eve service.

Church Office Hours

The Church office will be closed December 24th through January 5th for the Christmas holidays. If you have any non-urgent needs please email the church secretary at secretary@nhcbc.com. If you have an urgent need please contact Pastor Jeremy at (850)-982-7530 or our emergency Deacons Lynn Berney (December) or Beth Elsesser (January).

Service Teams

Sunday, December 14:

Emmanuel Berrido (Keyboard/Voice), Jonathan Jones (Guitar), Jeremy Hall (Bass), Mark Mendicino (Drums), Ella Clarke & Kayden O'Neil (Song Leaders), Aurora Clark (Video Tech), Jami Jones (Livestream), Suzi Hines & Amy Mendicino (Ushers)

Serving next week (December 21):

Jonathan Jones & Tori Kurtz (Song Leaders), Amy Mendicino & Shannon Porterfield (Ushers), Wallace (Video Tech), Sarah Hefferin (Livestream), Devin Porterfield (Toddler room)

Coming Up This Week

This Sunday:	2:00 p.m.	Cantata Rehearsal
Tuesday:	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	HS Bible Study
Wednesday:	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Group (virtual)
Thursday:	6:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
Saturday:	3:00 p.m.	Cantata Rehearsal (instrumentalists only)
Next Sunday:	9:00 a.m.	Praise Band Rehearsal
(December 21)	9:30 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	2:00 p.m.	Cantata Rehearsal

North Hills Community Baptist Church affirms that God's grace is present in all people. We intentionally seek openly and fully to include all persons regardless of age, background, nationality, immigration status, language, gender, socioeconomic status, race or ethnicity, political affiliation, sexual orientation, education, or disability. We commit ourselves to be in ministry for and with all people, choosing to see them with the eyes of Christ, rather than through the eyes of the world. God blesses us all so that together we can be God's instrument of blessing in the world.



NHCBC Christmas Program 2025

“Wise”

Written by Jim Binz



Participants:

Narrator

Stars & Planets

Animal Translator

Animals

Persians

Eastern Indians

Arabians

Jeremy Hall

Adam Claus

Gary Claus

Mark Mendicino

Caitlin O’Neil

Devin Porterfield

Libby Claus

Olivia Fatone

Wilder Hall

Eliza Hall

Wade Porterfield

Ella Clarke

Sarah Hefferin

Nathan Katich

Alex Kurtz

Kayden O’Neil

Oliver Brooks

Maggie Clarke

Daniel Claus

Sue Clark

Connor Hollis

Christine O’Neil

Mary Schneider

It is with sincere appreciation that we thank all the participants in our program with a special thank you to the amazing Sunday School Teachers, Ginger Clarke (Sunday School Superintendent) and Shannon Porterfield (CE Chair) for all of their preparation and direction of this year’s program.