



# Rejoice!

JESUS CHRIST  
HAS COME  
INTO THE WORLD!

I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall be joyful in my God.

ISAIAH 61:10

# North Hills Community Baptist Church

December 28, 2025  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service

## 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**

Rev. Felicia Zamora

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jim Binz

**SONGS OF PRAISE**

*The First Noel - #136*

*Away In A Manger - #157*

*O Come All Ye Faithful - #145*

**PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER**

Rev. Felicia Zamora

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

*When You Arrived*

**OFFERING INVITATION AND PRAYER**

Jim Binz

**\* Children are dismissed for children’s church**

**OFFERING MUSIC**

*What Can I Give Him/Doxology*

**SCRIPTURE**

*Matthew 2:10-23*

Jim Binz

**MESSAGE**

*Witness*

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Hall

**CLOSING SONG**

*He Shall Reign Forevermore*

**BENEDICTION**

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Hall

**\* Children’s Church**

*Children ages 4 through 2nd grade are invited to children’s church.*

*A snack is provided. Please see an usher with any allergy concerns.*

# **Announcements**

## **Prayer Request Cards**

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

## **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 25th. Proceeds benefit youth mission outreach.

## **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!

## **Catalyst Youth Ice Skating at North Park**

On Sunday, January 4th from 3 pm - 6 pm, Catalyst Youth will meet at the North Park Ice Rink for an afternoon of skating fun. Youth families and anyone from our NHCBC family are encouraged to join us and students are welcome to bring friends. Please RSVP to Christine O'Neil by email at [youth@nhcbc.com](mailto:youth@nhcbc.com), text at 309-339-6008, or for youth families via Band by Friday, January 2nd so tickets can be reserved.

## **Annual Reports Due January 11th**

If you are writing a report for our annual meeting on Feb 1st, please submit your document as a Word file or a Google doc to [secretary@nhcbc.com](mailto:secretary@nhcbc.com) by end of day on January 11th.

## **Church Office Holiday 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](mailto:secretary@nhcbc.com). If you have an urgent need please contact Pastor Jeremy at (850)-982-7530 or our emergency Deacons Lynn Berney (Dec) or Beth Elsesser (Jan).

**Deacons Fund Collection** - The Deacons Fund exists solely to provide people who are experiencing a dire, financial emergency with aid on a temporary basis. Not limited to church members, and entirely confidential, the funds you contribute have helped many people over the years at NHCBC. Make your contribution in one of the envelopes provided in the pews, mark "Deacons Fund" on the envelope and place in the offering plate. The Deacons thank you for this special gift. If you have such a financial need, please see Lynn Berney or Lori Tissue.

# Service Teams

## Sunday, December 28:

Emmanuel Berrido (Keyboard/Voice), Jonathan Jones (Guitar/Voice), Kayden O'Neil (Video Tech), Sarah Hefferin (Livestream), Enrique Davila & Shannon Porterfield (Ushers), Cindy Rudolph-Dugan (Toddler room)

## Serving next week (January 4):

Emmanuel Berrido (Song Leader), Amy Mendicino & Christine O'Neil (Ushers), Wallace (Video Tech), Sarah Hefferin (Livestream), Owen Clark (Toddler room)

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## Coming Up Next Sunday (Jan 4)

9:00 a.m. Praise Band Rehearsal  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Worship  
3:00 p.m. Catalyst Youth Ice Skating At North Park

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## NHCBC Staff

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Emmanuel Berrido, Director of Music	
Greta Zewe, Sanctuary Production Manager	
Cheri Barnes, Custodian	
Libby Benna, Childcare	

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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.