

JANUARY, 2021 WORSHIP THEME

New Year — New Day

January 3	<i>A Lamp Unto My Feet</i>	Psalm 119:97-105 and Mark 1: 21-28
January 10	<i>Consider Well What You Have to Do</i>	1 Kings 20: 21-22
January 17	<i>Crossing Over to the Other Side</i>	Mark 4: 35-40
January 24	<i>This Boat Will Rock</i>	Mark 4: 35-40
January 30	<i>The Edge of Greatness</i>	Joshua 1: 1-9

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEEK AT RIVERSIDE

- Sun. 12/27 10:00 AM Worship—Sanctuary
Fellowship after worship services has been discontinued until further notice.
- Fri 12/25 thru Sun 1/3 Office Closed
- Sun 1/03 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Blood Drive
All donors will receive a \$20 eGift card, Long Sleeve T-Shirt, a Free Appetizer Coupon for Carrabba's Italian Grill and a wellness checkup including a COVID-19 antibody test.

The office will be closed Friday, December 25 thru Sunday, January 3.
If you have an emergency, please call or text Bob Howard 321-427-7194 or Kathy Coon 321-480-5573.

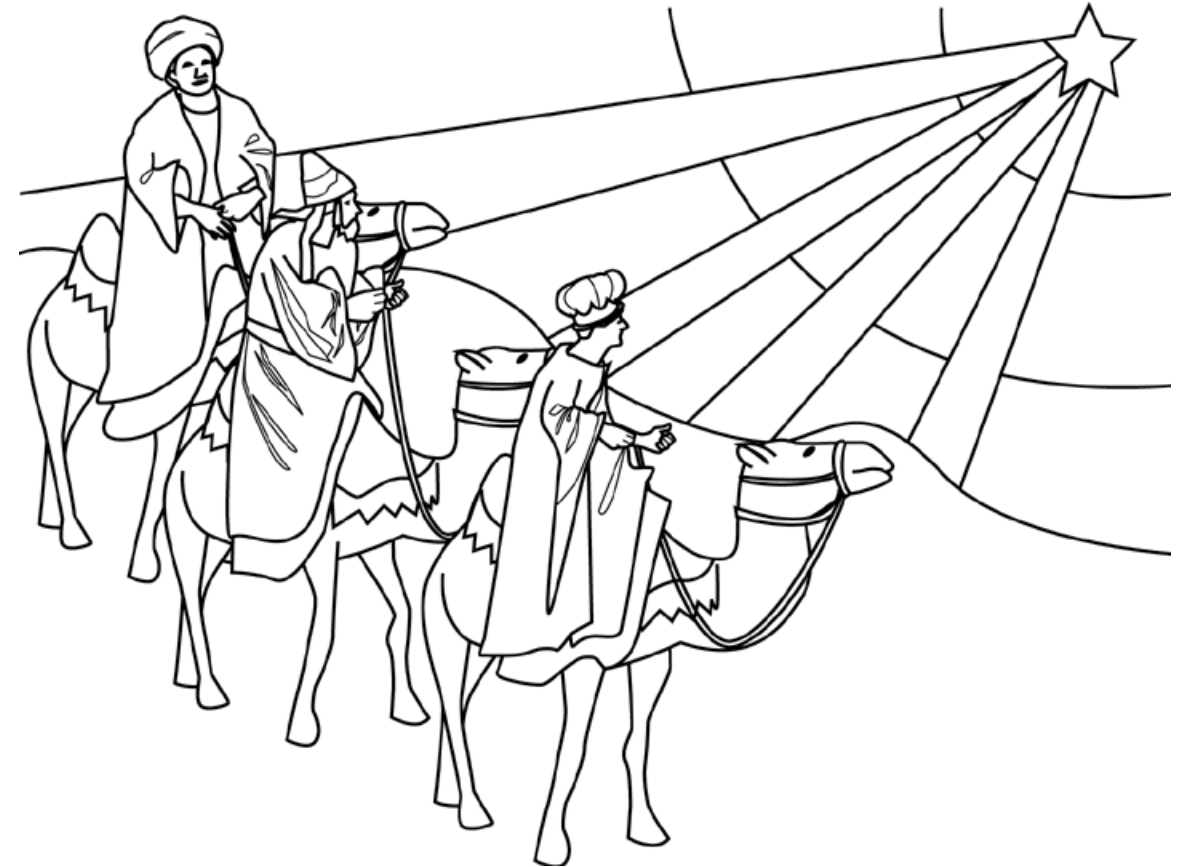
January 10, 2021 Called Congregational Meeting - On Sunday, January 10 there will be a "Called" congregational meeting to hear the report of the Pastor Nominating Committee. They will present the terms of call for the new pastor candidate. The congregation will then vote on acceptance of the terms of call.

Riverside Presbyterian Staff

Interim Pastor: Roy Sharpe
Interim Admin Assistant: Kathy Coon
Sexton: Chuck Torgler
Treasurer: Doug Kasimier
Music Director: Diana Amtower
Audio Visual Leader: Karen Ward
Praise Band (Psalm 66) Music Leader: Travis Smith

All church activities require you to use a face mask and practice safe social distancing when possible. Hand sanitizer and cleaning supplies are available in all areas of the church so you may sanitize after use of the facilities.

Wise Men Still Seek Him



RIVERSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

3400 North Atlantic Avenue
Cocoa Beach, Florida 32931
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December 27, 2020 ~ 10 AM WORSHIP

The Liturgy for Gathering

Prelude

Praise Song Psalm 66 Praise Band

Call to Worship and Passing the Peace

Praise Song Psalm 66 Praise Band

The Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Christmas has come and gone, O Lord.

The greetings have been exchanged.

The gifts have been opened.

Christmas excitement has become holiday weariness.

Life is almost back to normal.

Forgive us Lord;

if our waiting before the manger is finished for another year;

if our worship of the Christ child has been returned to the storage

bins; if our “Great Joy “ has fallen prey to business as usual.

Help us even now

to hurry to Bethlehem to see what has been made known to us;

to ponder with Mary about the meaning of Jesus’ birth;

to seek with the Wise Men, this new born King.

We pray in the name of the Christ Child. Amen.

The Assurance of Forgiveness (Leader)

There is no place and no time when Christ cannot be found.

Always he hears our prayers and forgives our sins.

The song of the Angel can still be heard today.

Unto us is born, a savior who is Christ the Lord.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Hymn #119 *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

The Liturgy of the Word

All God’s Children

(Please come to the front and maintain social distancing)

Pastoral Prayer with Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Worship Through Giving

(The offering will not be taken during the worship hour.

Please continue to give on line or by sending your check by mail)

Special Music Winter Carol Sarah Smith

The Scripture Reading Matthew 2: 1-12

The Sermon *The Wise Men: The Meaning of Christmas* Roy Sharpe

Hymn #151 *We Three Kings of Orient Are*

The Benediction

Sending Song Psalm 66 Praise Band

Postlude