

Christmas Eve Worship
West Campus 4:30 pm Family Service
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 10:00 pm Candlelight Service

Wait, Watch & Pray

“So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby, who was lying in the manger. When they had seen Him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about the child...” Luke 2:16, 17

Christmas Break
 WORSHIP & ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

DECEMBER 27TH & JANUARY 3RD

10:30 AM WORSHIP AT BOTH EAST & WEST CAMPUSES
 (9:00 am service at East Campus will resume on January 10th.)

Sunday School will not meet December 27th or January 3rd.
 Classes will resume on Sunday, January 10th.

Wednesday Night Activities will not meet December 23rd or 30th.
 Activities will resume on Wednesday, January 6th.

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Sharing the grace and truth in Jesus Christ as He's changing our lives.

Welcome...

We're glad you're here! Please take a moment to fill out the "Welcome to Triumph" Card & place it in the offering plate.

We believe you are here today for a reason. We hope that you will sense God's presence as we declare the glory of the Lord through praise, thanksgiving and thoughtful attention to His Word, and we hope that you will be spiritually and emotionally strengthened.

New to Triumph?

If you are new to Triumph we have a gift for you! Please stop by the Information Center after the service.

Nursery...

A volunteer staffed nursery is available for children up to 2 years of age. Children must be dropped off and picked up by a parent. Please see the Information Center or an usher if you need assistance.

Additional Info...

Hearing aid devices are available at the Information Center (East) or Sound Booth (West).

Thank you for silencing your wireless devices.

This Week at Triumph

Today	Communion Sunday at East Campus Sunday School Kids (1st-5th Grade) Sing at East Campus East Sunday School 9:00 & 10:30 AM East Worship Service 9:00 & 10:30 AM West Sunday School 9:15 AM West Worship Service in new building! 10:30 AM Prayer Time at West Campus 4:00 PM East Campus Sunday School Program (3 yrs.-Kind.) 4:00 PM C3: College Career Connections 6:00 PM
Mon.	Fix-it Crew 9:00 AM
Tues.	Men's Study & Prayer 6:15 AM Youth Guys' Bible Study (Hwy 10 Mhd. Burger King) 7:00 AM Trustee Board Meeting 6:00 PM Children's Ministry Board Meeting 7:00 PM Young Adult Women's Bible Study 7:00 PM
Wed.	Primetimers - Christmas Banquet 12:00 Noon Hungry Hearts Café (Meatballs) 5:00-6:15 PM 6th-8th Grade Confirmation 5:30-6:45 PM King's Kids Choir 5:45-6:15 PM H.I.P. Hearts in Praise 5:45-6:15 PM Club 3:16 Christmas Party 6:15-7:30 PM New Member Class (East Campus) 6:15-7:30 PM 7th & 8th Grade Act 2 6:45-8:15 PM Young Adult "Crazy Love" Life Group 7:00 PM Creation Company 7:00-8:00 PM Impakt: Praise & Worship "Night at the Manger" 7:00-8:30 PM
Thurs.	"Night in Bethlehem" Set-Up & Prep 9:00 AM-Noon Joint Board Meeting 6:00 PM "Night in Bethlehem" Set-Up & Prep 6:00-9:00 PM
Fri.	Men's Study & Prayer - Kitchen 6:30 AM Youth Girls' Bible Study (Mhd. Starbucks) 7:00 AM "Night in Bethlehem" Set-Up & Prep 3:30-6:30 PM
Sat.	Men's Study & Prayer - Conference Room 7:30 AM
Sun.	Sunday School Kids Sing at West Campus "A Night in Bethlehem" Sunday School (East) 9:00 AM East Worship Service 9:00 & 10:30 AM "A Night in Bethlehem" Sunday School (West) 9:15 AM West Worship Service in new building! 10:30 AM Impakt "A Very Cheesy Christmas" Party 6:00-8:00 PM C3 will not meet this week.

For Your Information

Last Week's Attendance was 1,045.
East – 345 at 9:00 am & 441 at 10:30 am, **West** – 259 at 10:30 am
Last Week's Regular Offering was \$23,539. Thank you!
Reach Out Offering: Pledged \$1,891,371 Received \$1,435,502

Today's Prayer Focus

World Missions: (Chad) Praise God for additional teachers for the Christian school that Zamzam Raun is directing. Praise God that even with other school options, many Muslim parents are choosing to send their children to this school instead.

Schools: for the students, staff & faculty at Long-fellow Elementary School in Fargo and for principal, Bob Rohla.

Reach Out: that God will use our new West Campus building to draw many to Himself through faith in Jesus!

Our Sympathies: to Patty Sandeen and family on the passing of her brother and to Daryl Fee and family on the passing of his mother this past week. Also, to Lee Jensen on the passing of her mother, Jean, this past week.

Convalescing/Homebound: Merle Johnson, Sylvia Renfrew, Jo Moritz, Charles Borgen Sr., Eva Dahl, Joyce Bye, Darlene Todd, Beth Thorpe

Our Staff

Ministers	Our Congregation
Senior Pastor	Jeff Seaver
Pastor to Youth & Their Families	Kirk Militzer
Lead Pastor West Campus	Vern Beardson
Interim Care Pastor	Harold Petersen
Director of Children's Ministries	Belinda Christianson
Church Administrator	Kathy Hovey

New East Campus Sunday School Class

Join us on Sundays at 10:30am beginning today for a class on Isaiah. Jim Sanders will facilitate this class.

Simply Giving

If you would like to use the Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) approach to giving, simply fill out the form available at the Information Center or church office and return it with a voided check. This is a safe way to move your stewardship plan into action. No more worrying about forgotten check-books or playing "catch-up" at year end.

Can you hear the music?
Can you smell the bread?

a Night in Bethlehem

Join us for this hands-on Holy Land Experience...
Sunday, December 20th
East Campus, 9:00 AM • West Campus, 9:15 AM
All are welcome to attend!

WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS FOR

"A Night in Bethlehem"



Items to Borrow for "A Night in Bethlehem":

- 2 Mortar and Pestle Stones
- 10 Hammers
- 12 Hand-Woven Baskets
- 3 Weaving Looms
- 12 Woven Blankets or Wall Hangings

Donations needed for "A Night in Bethlehem":

- Hanging Spices
- Bible Era Costumes (Old Robes, Shepherd Cloaks, Wisemen)
- 5-Yard Lengths of Solid or Patterned (no pictures) Thin Cotton Cloth
- 5 Boxes Each of Permanent Markers (colored fine & extra-fine points)
- 3 Packs Paper Plates

Night in Bethlehem Set-Up Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help set up for "A Night in Bethlehem." Join us at the East Campus on

Thursday, December 17th from 9am-Noon & 6-9pm
(Childcare provided from 9-10:30 am)

Friday, December 18th from 3:30-6:30pm

For more information, please contact Sara at 233-4048 or sara@triumphlbc.org.

Join us for Sunday School!

Just a reminder that both children and adults are welcome to join us for Sunday School at any time during the year. Sunday School will meet through December 20th and resume on January 10th.

Third Sunday in Advent

“The Invitation”

Revelation 22:17 (NIV)

Pastor Jeff Seaver

¹⁷The Spirit and the bride say, "Come!" And let him who hears say, "Come!" Whoever is thirsty, let him come; and whoever wishes, let him take the free gift of the water of life.

Notes:

Order of Service...

Worship Gathering
Life in the Church
Lighting of the Shepherds' Candle
“While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks”
Sunday School Kids Sing
Offering: West Opening Video
“Offering”
“O Come All Ye Faithful”
Message
Holy Communion
“Come Just As You Are”
“O Love That Will Not Let Me Go”
“Just As I Am”
Benediction & Doxology

Advent...

Our advent candle lighters:
9:00 am - Brian & Heidi Hunter Family
10:30 am - Ken & Wendy Rosson Family

Deacon Fund...

On Communion Sundays, you are invited to place an offering in the Deacon Fund boxes located by the doors in the back of the sanctuary. The Deacon Ministry helps meet the needs of members of our church during times of financial difficulty.

If you need to step out of the sanctuary during the service, or if your child becomes restless, please be sensitive to worshipers around you.

Goodies To-Go THANK YOU!

A huge thanks to everyone who came out and purchased baked goods and craft items at our Goodies To-Go event last Saturday. Over \$5,000 was raised for Women's Ministries at Triumph.

December Primetimers Schedule

Primetimers will meet this Wednesday, December 16th at Noon for their annual Christmas Banquet. Primetimers will not meet on December 23rd or 30th for Christmas break.

New Life Center Christmas Gifts

There is a box in the foyer at the East Campus for donating Christmas gifts for the men at the New Life Center. Suggested items are clothing, hats, gloves, scarves, long johns, socks, etc. **Please drop off donations by today, December 13th.**

Donation Opportunity

Some employers offer a matching funds program to their employees. Recently we were contacted by someone from Triumph who is able to do this. We were able to work it out so this family will now double their giving without directly affecting their wallet. If your employer has this type of program, please talk with our treasurer, Jim Sanders, to see how we can work with you to make this blessing happen.

West Campus Sunday School Kids Sing

The West Campus Sunday School kids will be singing in worship after “the gathering” next Sunday, December 20th. Children will meet in the entry at the end of “the gathering” to line up.

Weather Cancellations

In the event of inclement weather during the week, Triumph will make cancellation decisions by noon. Triumph will follow the Moorhead Public Schools for cancellations. Sunday cancellations will be made by 7am. All cancellation decisions will be reported on KFNW and posted on our website, www.triumphlbc.org.

C3 Weekly Meetings



CHRISTMAS PARTY!

DINNER @ 6:00 PM
PROGRAM @ 6:30 PM
East Campus Fellowship Hall
RSVP on Facebook for dinner!

For all college-age young adults. For more info, contact Dan & Jolene Kowalski @ 233-6850.

Impakt Christmas Party

A Very Cheesy Christmas

...an Impakt tradition!

**Next Sunday, December 20th,
6:00-8:00 pm at the East Campus
for all students grades 9-12.**

