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December 22, 2013
Senior Pastor

Surprises #3

## Surprised

Mary, Joseph and the shepherds had one thing in common...they were surprised, even shocked by the things they experienced.

➤ SURPRISE, SURPRISE!

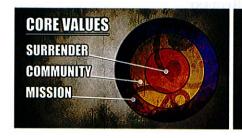
\$\\$ the SHEPHERDS SURPRISED

MARY SURPRISED

**♦** JOSEPH SURPRISED

the WORLD SURPRISED

➤ don't be SURPRISED ETERNALLY!



# GIVING IS A PART OF WORSHIP: We do not pass an offering plate

during the service. Boxes are located in the hallways for those who wish to serve by giving.



## WELCOME TO TBC... HERE'S WHAT'S NEW:

No 8:15am service. Will resume on January 12th.

<u>Christmas Eve services</u>... 5pm (childcare for 0-5 yrs) and 6:30pm (no childcare). Pick up a handout from the currents rack for our full holiday schedule!

### END OF YEAR GIVING

Thanks for your generosity in giving to the extension of God's Kingdom at TBC and around the world. As you consider your end of year giving, please remember that TBC accepts donations of stocks and property such as real estate or vehicles. Call Cynthia Young, our financial secretary, at 778-3233 or cindyy@tbcweb.org for more details on how to make these transactions.

#### THURSDAY MORNING MEN'S STUDY

Men, join us as we study the Life of Moses when this study **resumes**Jan. 9th at 6:30am in Room 303.

#### COATS FOR KIDS AND BLANKETS FOR BELL COUNTY

Bring a gently used or new jacket or blanket and drop in the red and green plastic bins by the doors!

#### STAR OF BETHLEHEM

Dr. Rick Erickson will present the Star of Bethlehem presentation here at the TBC auditorium **TONIGHT** from 6-8pm. This is a great opportunity to bring your family, friends, and co-workers to come here about the birth of our Savior.

#### NEWLY ENGAGED OR CONSIDERING MARRIAGE?

Preparing for Marriage is an 8-week class that will be held every Sunday starting on January 26th in Room 201 at 11am. Contact Martha to register or for more information at marthag@tbcweb.org or 778-3233.

#### **2014 MEN'S CONFERENCE**

January 24th-26th at Camp Tejas in Giddings, TX. Early registration ends January 12th. Pick up a brochure from the Currents rack for more information!

#### PRAYER REQUEST

Pray for Lisa Rosson's son who passed away unexpectedly at age 25.

Pray for Zach Beggs recuperating from surgery.

Congratulations to Israel and Amber Pugh on their new baby boy! Beau Daniel was born December 16th weighing 6 lbs 11 oz and 20" long.

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December 22nd

No 8:15am service Nursery & Preschool Classes Only

December 23rd Church Office Closed

December 24th

Christmas Eve Service at: 5pm...childcare for ages 0-5 6:30pm...no childcare

December 24th & 25th Church Office Closed

December 29th

No 8:15am service
Nursery & Preschool Classes Only

Dec. 31st & Jan. 1st Church Office Closed

January 5th

No 8:15am service All Sunday School classes resume

January 12th

8:15am service resumes



A few TBCers will be taking a vision trip to the UAE in January as they move toward launching there long-term in 2015. They will meet with our current workers and visit the local community as they consider what the greatest needs are and how they can best serve there.

## **Prayer Requests:**

- Pray for wisdom regarding future plans
- Pray that they can be an encouragement to the workers they will visit while there
- Pray for opportunities to share the gospel with others
- Pray for protection as they travel

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