

# CHRISTMAS at Rock Creek

## CHRISTMAS AT THE CREEK FAMILY FESTIVAL + TREE LIGHTING

Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm

## CHRISTMAS COMMUNION

Sunday, December 21<sup>st</sup> at 9 am and 10:45 am

## CANDLELIGHT CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Monday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7 pm

Tuesday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm

Wednesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm

IF THIS IS YOUR  
**FIRST TIME**  
...THANKS FOR JOINING US!

WE WOULD LOVE TO MEET YOU! STOP AND MEET A PASTOR  
TO THE RIGHT OF THE STAGE AFTER THE SERVICE.



**SCAN**  
THE CODE  
FOR A LIST OF  
IMPORTANT  
ROCK CREEK LINKS!



THE PROMISE OF  
*Christmas*  
SERMON BY JASON CURRY

*But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son,  
born of woman, born under the law.*

*Galatians 4:4*

**GOD'S**

*In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be registered. <sup>2</sup> This was the first registration when Quirinius was governor of Syria.*

*<sup>3</sup> And all went to be registered, each to his own town. <sup>4</sup> And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the town of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and lineage of David, <sup>5</sup> to be registered with Mary, his betrothed, who was with child. <sup>6</sup> And while*

*they were there, the time came for her to give birth.*

*Luke 2:1-6*

**GOD**

*And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.*

*Luke 2:7*

*For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD. <sup>9</sup> For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.*

*Isaiah 55:8-9*

*But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; <sup>28</sup> God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are, <sup>29</sup> so that no human being might boast in the presence of God.*

*1 Corinthians 1:27-29*

**GOD**

*And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. <sup>11</sup> For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord."*

*Luke 2:10-11*

*Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.*

*Isaiah 7:14*

*"But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah,  
who are too little to be among the clans of Judah,  
from you shall come forth for me  
one who is to be ruler in Israel,  
whose coming forth is from of old,  
from ancient days."*

*Micah 5:2*

*For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.*

*2 Corinthians 1:20*