

Sunday, December 17, 2017

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE:

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TODAY'S MESSAGE:

*"FIRST CHRISTMAS STORIES FROM THE BIRTH OF CHRIST—
GOD'S CHOSEN NOBODIES"*

Notes:

Pray for God's People



If you have a pastoral need, please call Pastor Luke Schouten, 920-889-3911, any consistory elder or the church office (754-2783) Remember, we cannot print your name unless you have granted FRC permission to do so. If you have a prayer request you would like included, please contact the office.

- **Pray for those in assisted living:** Jack Hurd, Ethel Jurgens, and Geneva Wissink.
- **Pray for our nursing home residents:** Larry Buysman, Minnie De Jong, Tracy Den Beste, Dutch Kruger, and Marian Zevenbergen.
- **Pray for our Missionaries:** Dr. Bernadeth Kelly and Adrian Bobb, Jeff and Chelsea Lampen, Sayuri Kist-Okazaki, Brian and Donna Renes, J.J. and Tim TenCley, Rowland and Jane Van Es.

Words of Thanks

Thank you to everyone who helped out again this morning with the Lighting of the Advent candle. Whether it was by reading, singing, lighting, or praying you all added to our service.

We would like to say Thank You for all of your prayers, cards and words of encouragement after Jim's surgery in October and extended recovery due to complications. Thanks also to Pastor Luke and consistory members for your faithful visits. We are thankful for increased strength and healing and covet your prayers for the months ahead. Jim is still unable to eat or drink and receives IV nutrition feedings that run over 14 hours daily. He will likely require another surgery to fix things when he is strong enough. We have felt all of your prayers and support and thank you for that. Most of all we are thankful to God for bringing us this far. ~~Jim and Pauline Van Engen

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