



# First Baptist Church of Waterford

Service Starts at 10am | Dec 1, 2024

Welcome ! We are so grateful to have you with us today. Whether you are visiting for the first time or have been a part of our church family for years, we believe you are here for a purpose and we're excited to share this time with you. Our prayer is that you feel welcomed, encouraged, and inspired as we worship and grow together. If you're new here, please take a moment to introduce yourself to our team or fill out a connection card so we can reach out to you. May today's service bring you peace, joy, and a renewed sense of God's love.



**Pastor Michael will share the first message from his Advent series.**



“Comfort, comfort my people,”  
says your God. Isaiah 40:1

## OUR MISSION

“TO BECOME AND MAKE DISCIPLES WHO  
LOVE AND SERVE JESUS.”

## Here's What's Happening

Today	9:30am	<b>Café Open</b> <b>Communion   Benevolence Offering</b> <b>Church Day of Prayer</b>
	11:15am	<b>Casket Empty Class</b> Gym
	2:45pm	<b>Community Caroling</b> Info below
Mon. Dec. 2	7:30pm	<b>Prayer Meeting</b> Online
Thu. Dec. 5	10:30am	<b>WOW Women's Bible Study</b> JMH
	3:00pm	<b>Couples Group Fellowship</b>
Sun. Dec. 15	11:15am	<b>Sweet Treats &amp; Savory Bites</b> Cafe
Sat. Dec. 21	8:30am	<b>Men's Breakfast</b> Café
Sun. Dec. 22	4-6pm	<b>Live Nativity &amp; Christmas Caroling</b>
Tue. Dec. 24	5:00pm	<b>Christmas Eve Service</b>

### Children's Church

Children ages 4 - 5th grade are invited join Children's Church, which begins right after the music. We also have a fully staffed nursery available throughout the service for infants and toddlers up to age 3. A fully staffed nursery for infants and toddlers up to age 3.

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**Community Caroling:** Today the choir/worship team will be visiting New London Rehab & Care (88 Clark Land in Waterford) to sing Christmas carols and share a Christmas message, presented by Mike Brusca. The congregation is invited to join them. They will meet at NL Rehab on **at 2:45 PM.**

**Sweet Treats & Savory Bites:** Bring your favorite Christmas cookies, baked or bought, or light finger foods like sandwiches, dips, or snacks to share. The more food, the merrier! Everyone is invited, even if you don't bring anything. Sign up at the Information Center to let us know what you're bringing!  
Don't miss this fun and delicious time of fellowship!

**Live Nativity & Christmas Caroling:** Join us for a Live Nativity, Christmas Caroling, and light refreshments in our café.

**Help decorate of sanctuary . Order a Poinsettia in memory or honor of loved one. Form located at the information center.**

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