

SECOND'S MATTERS

December 27, 2023



**Second Church
of Fremont**

Knowing Christ, Making Christ Known

Sunday, December 31,

Pastor Adam Sculnick will be leading us in worship. The sermon Sunday is 'Rules to Live By' and based on Matthew 6:19-31. The greeters are Jason and Heidie Snyder

Pre-Service Prayer

Everyone is invited to join with others in the Fireside Room/Library at 9:05 am each Sunday morning for prayer. We share requests, read a portion of scripture, and have a time of silent and verbal prayer. Praying silently or out loud is your choice and no one is made to feel uncomfortable. If this is something you would like to try, please join us. We want you to know how welcome you will be.

Sunday, December 31 – There will not be an evening Community Worship Service at First CRC.

Our Church Family

"Hey family,

The year is wrapping up this week. Can you believe 2023 is over? I hope that your Christmas holiday was full of joy as you celebrated and reflected on the birth of Christ and His work in your life. As we look forward to this new year, I want to invite you to join us this Sunday evening for the Renew and Rejoice prayer experience. It will be open from 5-7pm and you can arrive any time in that window to go through our prayer labyrinth and experience opportunities to pray through your coming year, release the weight of the previous year, and encounter the Lord in a vibrant new way. I look forward to seeing how God works through this event to set 2024 off in the hearts of those who attend, and for our church as a whole as a result of the prayers. God's peace to you whether you attend or not and I look forward to seeing you Sunday morning.

Hidden in Christ, Pastor Adam"

Please keep **Juanita Artlip, Kim Hayward's** mother, in your prayers. She is under hospice care.

Susan Byker's father, Bernard Lemon, passed away on December 26, 2023. Please keep Susan and family in your prayers as they go through this difficult time.

Please continue to keep **John Van Hekken** in your prayers as he goes through chemo treatment and other procedures to determine the next course of treatments.

Tithing of your time, talents, treasures...called by God to use them for His glory! We heard these challenging words from Malachi last week. You are invited to join the praise team and offer your gift of praise! If this interests you and you would like more information, please contact Gladys in person or through email (gladys@secondcrcfremont.org).

Community Announcements

There will not be Sunday School (grades 5-12) Children's Choir (grades k-4) on December 31.

There is not a **MCF service** on Sunday, December 31.

There will be no Prayer Guide or Prayer Corner the week between Christmas and New Years.

Church Key Codes

On January 2, the code for unlocking upper doors will be changed. Please call the church if you need the new code. The church is open from 9-12, Monday thru Friday and usually into the afternoons of those days.

Offering Information

Our Deacons encourage our support to our congregation's financial obligations through our offerings. Donations can be mailed to the church at 600 Apache Drive or submitted online via bank account or card at this link: [Online Giving](#). If you wish to give to Christian Education or Faith Promise online, then download the "GivePlus" app.

Special envelope offerings for: December 31 - Wellspring

Stock the Pantry

For December, the requested food items are soup and crackers. Items can be dropped off at church or directly at TrueNorth.

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