

Advent Candle – Week 1

The word “Advent” means “coming or arrival” and the celebration of Advent dates back hundreds of years. We celebrate Advent to remember the significance of the Christmas season as it pertains to the hope we have in Jesus Christ. Each part of the advent wreath has meaning.

The Second Advent candle is called the Bethlehem candle. It is purple reminding us that a King who is the Savior of the world was born in the manger and his name is Jesus.

REACH Update

The drywall is going up! Permits are approved and we are moving on! We will be working Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday at 5:00pm this week. Come and help make a difference!

Goal: \$70,000 · Received To Date: \$62,744.44

Families Moving Forward

Several opportunities still available to donate items or your time! Sign up online. We are having a training meeting TODAY at the St. Boni campus at 5:00pm. Dinner is provided. If you have signed up, we strongly encourage you to attend this training meeting. Please RSVP to Charlie Simon at cjsimonsays2@gmail.com

Free Coffee Drinks

For the month of December, Higher Grounds Coffee House (**Waconia** coffee bar), will be giving our FREE specialty coffee drinks on **SUNDAYS** in appreciation of you! Stop by next month, and try out a specialty drink!

Christmas Eve Services

Waconia:

- December 17th at 7:00 pm
- December 24th at 3:00pm and 4:00pm

St. Boni:

- December 24th at 3:00pm, 4:00pm, and 5:00pm