



**“Peace No Matter What”**  
Isaiah 9:1-7

The world we live in is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Tohu-** disorder, confusion, chaos.

**Shalom**– wholeness, order, health, peace.

Isaiah 8:21-22

Isaiah 9:1-7

Where Jesus is, there is \_\_\_\_\_.

Mark 4:35-5:42

Peace is found in the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.

“Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests.”  
Luke 2:14 (NIV)

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given...And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.  
Isaiah 9:6 (NIV)

**Next steps:**

◇ I accept Peace through Jesus and I am ready to be baptized.

**December 24, 2017**

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## Current Events

- ◇ I will focus on finding peace always, because God is with me.
- ◇ I will seek to be at peace with everyone, because I am at peace.
- ◇ I love this church and I want to know more about membership!

### **1st Time Visit? We are glad you're here!**

Nursery and children's programs are available.

Fresh-brewed coffee and tea is offered in Fellowship Area.

Please complete a Connection Card and drop in collection bag.

Pick up a special gift before you leave.

All Christ followers are invited to share communion.

Don't feel obligated to donate to the offering.

**Christmas Stars** Thank you to everyone who donated to the Christmas Star program. Our NC3 family is very generous. We were able to bless many people and organizations this year.

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship** Join us at 6:00 tonight (child care offered for preschool ages). Normal Sunday schedule next week, December 31.

**Celebrating God's Goodness!!!** This past week we sold our Minooka Rd property and purchased the Gore Rd property (next to Jennifer's Garden). Thanks for praying and for your financial support. We were able to cover the closing fees from general funds surplus. We look forward to how God blesses this new location!

**Holiday Office Hours** Office will be closed Dec 25 & 26 with regular hours Wednesday thru Friday.

#### General Fund

<b>Need for December</b>	<b>\$ 27,635.00</b>
<b>Received for December</b>	<b>21,881.84</b>

<b>YTD Need as of 12/17/17</b>	<b>\$ 281,922.00</b>
<b>YTD Rec'd as of 12/17/17</b>	<b>294,497.46</b>

*5th Week of December*  
**Keith Murphy**

*2nd-4th Weeks of January*  
**Baetzel Family**