

# MINNEHAHA CHURCH OF CHRIST

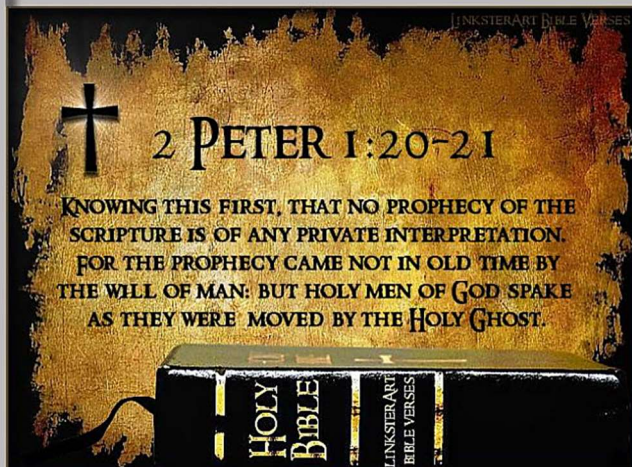
SERVING WITH LOVE

Sermon Today:

**"The Truth about Prophecy"**

**2 Peter 1:12-21**

Mike Kennedy



**LORD'S DAY DECEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> 2025**

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**Date: December 7, 2025**

## 9:30 BIBLE STUDY TEAM



Mark Williams  
Next Week  
James 1



**Dave Kubow**  
TODAY  
**Matthew 28**

## 10:45 MAIN ASSEMBLY SINGING LEADERS



Jimmy Kennedy



Lauren Priest



Stephanie Kennedy

**Lord's Supper Time** – Each week we prioritize the Lord's Supper.



Today – Mike Kennedy

**"The Truth about Prophecy" – 2 Peter 1:12-21**

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**"False Teachers" – 2 Peter 2:1-12**

The mission of the Minnehaha Church of Christ is to worship God, equipping every member to serve and build up one another and to lead people into a saving and enriching relationship with Jesus Christ.

## PRAYER LIST ITEMS:

*"Pray in the Spirit at all times and on every occasion. Stay alert and be persistent in your prayers for all believers everywhere." – Eph. 6:18*

- **Bethany Loucks** – Doing better. Please continue praying for her.
- **Ken Bowcutt** – Please keep Ken in your prayers as he continues to deal with the issues of his heart failure.
- **Roy Stewart** – Continue to be in prayer for Roy and his battle with cancer and vertigo issues.
- **Joyce Ryan, Jim & Marlo Chapman, Ken & Virginia Smithline** – Please be in prayer for these brothers and sisters and their various struggles.

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

TUESDAY – **ROSIE KYLE**

THURSDAY – **JOYCE RYAN**

THURSDAY – **NINA HALL**

## Useful Numbers

(Data as of: 12/6/25 10:29 AM)

<b>Facebook</b> Viewers	Class	90
	Sermon	142
	Hispanic	174
<b>YouTube</b> Viewers	Class	9
	Sermon	16
	Hispanic	18
<b>Rumble</b> Viewers	Class	40
	Sermon	69
	Hispanic	63

Weekly also on our own app.

Last Sunday Attendance:

English	36
Hispanic	5

<b>2025</b> Weekly Budget:	\$2,085
Last week	\$1,020
13-week average:	\$1,388
26-week average:	\$1,446

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## Word of God Speak! – Prophecy in Scripture.

*"Above all, you must realize that no prophecy in Scripture ever came from the prophet's own understanding, or from human initiative. No, those prophets were moved by the Holy Spirit, and they spoke from God." – 2 Peter 1:20-21 [NLT]*

## THIS MONTH AND LATER

- December 13, Saturday, 9:00 am – Women's Bible Study
- December 13, Saturday, 9:30 am – Elders' Meeting
- December 14, Sunday – Last day to contribute to Christmas Baskets
- December 17, Wednesday, 7:00 pm – "Candle Delight" Service
- January 3, Saturday, 10:00 am – Leaders' Meeting – 35<sup>th</sup> Ave Church
- January 4, Sunday, 10:45 am – Elder Ordination Service

# ~ The Christmas Season ~

The Christmas season is a time to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ, which is the Incarnation—God becoming human. It is a celebration of God's love and the "good news" that a Savior was born to bring humanity salvation, joy, peace, and the promise of eternal life. This is a deeply spiritual season of worship, reflection, and renewed hope, symbolized by the expectation of the celebration of the birth, and the continued revelation of Christ's life and mission.

*"For a child is born to us, a son is given to us. The government will rest on his shoulders. And he will be called: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. His government and its peace will never end. He will rule with fairness and justice from the throne of his ancestor David for all eternity. The passionate commitment of the LORD of Heaven's Armies will make this happen!" - Isaiah 9:6-7 [NLT]*

## Spiritual significance

- **Incarnation:** We celebrate the birth of Jesus as the moment God came to Earth in human form to live among people. **Isaiah 7:14**
- **Salvation and redemption:** The birth of Jesus is seen as the beginning of the path to salvation, as his birth enabled him to later die for humanity's sins, which can restore the relationship between God and humankind. **Romans 5:8, 1 Peter 2:24**
- **Hope and peace:** The arrival of Jesus is seen as bringing hope and peace to the world. The angel's message to the shepherds was "*good news*" and "*joyous news*" that a savior had been born. **Luke 2:8-14**
- **Love:** Christmas is a reminder of God's deep and ever unconditional love for humanity, demonstrated through the gift of his son, Jesus. **John 3:16**