

## DECEMBER 2021

*“Rejoice in our confident hope. Be patient in trouble, and keep on praying.” (Rom. 12:12 NLT)*

### General Prayer Requests

**Pastoral Search Team.** This month the group wants to complete work on a church profile which will be given to prospective candidates. It’s the “resume” of KRBC, so to speak. Pray that the team enjoys a time of rest this month as they prepare for a very busy 2022. Beginning in January they will start to evaluate applicants for the position. Pray for the team members by name: Rick Armstrong, Laura Hall, Aaron Joiner, Doug Lambert, Jeff Lashley (Chairperson), Nena McKinney, Joyce Merchant, William Nfor, and Jenn Zigler. Continue to ask for God’s protection, Spirit-filled wisdom, and unity. Pray for our new pastor and their family as well!

**Two Special Offerings.** We have asked our congregation to respond generously to two special offerings in December. *Bless the Nations* is the name of our Thanksgiving/Christmas offering to be designated to worthwhile ministries in several foreign countries of origin represented by current members and friends of KRBC. The Retired Ministers & Missionaries Offering provides a timely gift to retired pastors and missionaries or their widowed spouses at Christmas and also assists in meeting emergency needs of those who have served the Lord faithfully.

**KRBC Christmas Season Events.** We invite your prayers for the “Christmas Forever Amen” event on Sunday, December 12 at 6 pm featuring our adult worship choir as well as a children’s and youth choir. Then, on Christmas Eve we will gather at 6 pm to celebrate the birth of Jesus at our much-loved candlelight worship service. Let’s ask the Lord to make both of these events a great blessing to all who attend and an effective entry door to those who need Jesus and/or need to find a church home. Let’s also ask Him to encourage and assist those who are planning, leading, or helping to present both events.

**KRBC Shut-Ins.** Let’s remember all those in our congregation who would love to worship, study God’s Word, and fellowship with God’s people in person, but who struggle with health, mobility, and aging issues that keep them homebound. Ask God to encourage them and be willing to be that encouragement through a phone call, a card, or even a personal visit.

### Specific Prayer for KRBCers with Health Concerns

Todd Tenaglia (cancer recovery)	Dick Gordon (dialysis)	Bennett Michael (special needs)
Arlene Kinnell (cancer)	Aaron Hursey (cancer)	Del and Mary Ohm (cancer, back)
Eloise Pon (cancer, liver)	John Kirn (Parkinson’s)	Kim Brown (Parkinson’s) Jack Fish (cancer)

### Our Missionaries

Aaron & Valerie Osterbrock	Brian & Jenny Metzger	Emerson & Ivy Wu
Steve & Beth Ervin	Brian & Shelly Fisher	Michelle Prindle Dunn