

**Words to Live By from: 1 John 3:4-8 (ESV)**

Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous. Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil.

Date	Members	Present	%
Sun 12/8	62	49	79.0%
Wed 12/4	64	54	84.4%
Sun 11/24	64	47	73.4%

**Looking Ahead** (for all the year's events, see the Choir Calendar)

Date	Day	Time	Event
Dec 14	Sat	9:30am	REQUIRED REHEARSAL with orchestra (9:30am – 12:30pm)
Dec 15	Sun	9:15am	NO CHOIR in AM Service (Concert day)
		3:00pm	Be in the Choir Room, warm-up, briefing, etc. Rehearsal with orch at 3:30
Jan 8	Wed	7:00pm	Rehearsal! **Come at 6pm for the Day of Prayer and Fasting.

**In the Folder**

Rehearsal Order:	Sundays:	Christmas (approx. concert order):
I'll Give Him My Heart Noel, Duren  Hodie Ding Dong, Bradford Festival First Nowell, Forrest Hallelujah Chorus, Handel We Wish You a Merry Christmas  The Best of Rooms, Thompson  Joy to the World / O Come (cong) Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus <b>Unto Us A Child Will Be Born</b> Infant Holy / Silent Night (cong) <b>Gabriel's Message</b> <b>Gloria in Excelsis Deo</b> Angels / Hark (cong)	None Other Lamb, Courtney Now Thank We All Our God, Hayes O for a Thousand Tongues, Goeller Psalm 84, Faure/Hopson The Mind of Christ, Hayes  Return: Let the World, Goeller Praise to the Lord, Anderson Psalm 27, Sorensen We Honor and Bless, Bolin  <i>and anything else not listed above.</i>	Hodie, Edmonds Ding Dong, Bradford Joy to the World / O Come (cong) Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus Unto Us A Child Will Be Born Infant Holy / Silent Night (cong) Gabriel's Message Gloria in Excelsis Deo Angels / Hark (cong) I'll Give Him My Heart The Best of Rooms, Thompson Noel, Duren Festival First Nowell, Forrest Hallelujah Chorus, Handel We Wish You a Merry Christmas

**Dress Code for the Concert**

- Women wear a skirt or dress that reaches below the knee in length or dress pants (no jeans or casual pants). Select conservative and understated jewelry. Hair ornaments (bows, clips, etc.) should be small and unnoticeable, and head coverings of any kind should not be worn.
- Men wear a long-sleeve collared shirt with dress pants (no jeans or casual pants).
- Please wear dress shoes only, not sneakers, running shoes, flip-flops, Uggs®, bulky boots or any other casual shoe.
- Do NOT wear perfume, cologne or any scented products, because these are a hindrance to singing for others around you, especially those with allergic reactions.

If anything unexpected keeps you from coming on Sunday morning, GET A MESSAGE TO JAN!  
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## Choir Member Webpage

You can find important documents, like the annual calendar and guidelines, and recent editions of our Choir Notes on the Choir Member Webpage. You can also submit prayer requests to Jan for future Choir Notes. AND, you can find listening links for music that we are preparing for concerts and services.

Go here: <https://www.moodychurch.org/music-ministry/>

When prompted, enter the top-secret, members-only password: JanHagstrom

## For Prayer

- Pray for **Davis Redman** and family members. Today Hospice visited his stepdad and mom and gave them a 24-48 hour window for his stepdad's passing. Davis is going home tomorrow, and is asking for continued prayer for his stepdad's comfort and for his mom as she prepares for his passing.
- Pray for the **Pastoral Search Committee**, that they will have discernment, wisdom and like-mindedness as they get to know each of the candidates better.
- Continue to pray for former choir member, **Jackie Mallory**. She had outpatient surgery on her tongue last Thursday at Northwestern Hospital. If you would like to send her a get-well card her address is Room 308 – Warren Barr Pavilion, 66 West Oak Street, Chicago, IL 60610.
- **Jun Alinsasaguin** is having a procedure done on December 17<sup>th</sup> and is asking for your prayer.
- Pray for **Joyce Klein** who is dealing with medical issues.

*If you have a request for our prayer/praise list, please send it to [jan.hagstrom@moodychurch.org](mailto:jan.hagstrom@moodychurch.org)*

## December Birthdays

Max Bermudez, 11; Milton Lewis, 18; Zenaida Ugalde, 19; Roberta Davis, 30; Marie Bailey, 31

## Ministry Contributions

The choir fund is used to care for needs of the choir, such as cards and flowers, meals and event expenses, or approved missions projects, etc. If you would like to contribute to the choir fund, designate an additional amount above your regular giving to "choir." You can also make a similar designation to "music ministry."

## Choir in Yo FACE...Book

Be sure to join our FaceBook group for choir members. We share stories, music jokes, choir videos, prayer requests and more. We want to be your friend! We also want to friend you. (Note: these are not the same thing.)