

**HOPKINS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH  
ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**Pastor Earl Roach**  
**December 7, 2025**

**Announcements**

**Second Sunday of Advent**      **Brayden Briggs & Pastor Earl**

**Prayer**

**Call to Worship**      **"Blessed Be the God of Israel" #79**  
                                 **"Give Me Jesus"**

**Mission Focus/Intercessory Prayer**      **Mike Bullock**

**Gathering Tithes & Offerings**

**Special Music – Maria Sealey**      **"Once Upon"**

**Message**      **Earl Roach**

**Hymn of Invitation**      **"Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated" #277**

**Benediction**

**At the end of the service today, members of our Deacon Body will be at the front of the platform should you desire prayer & counsel.**

**\*\* In order to enhance your worship service with us today, we ask that all mobile devices be set to quiet or vibrate.**

If you are a first-time guest, we want to offer you a warm **Welcome to Hopkins Chapel Baptist Church**. Thank you for joining us this Lord's Day. We hope you find your worship with us to be spiritually uplifting. Please fill out the "Welcome" card on the back of the pew in front of you. Hand your card to one of our ushers or the pastor. That is your gift to us. Please see one of our ushers for our **"Welcome Packet"** which contains information on the missions and ministries of our church. Again, thank you for gracing our service with your presence today.

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- **Senior Adult Christmas Party** is on Saturday, December 13th at 12:00 noon.
- **Deacon/Spouse Christmas Party** is on Saturday, December 13th at 6:00 p.m.
- **Men's Brotherhood Breakfast** is next Sunday, December 14th at 8:00 a.m.
- **Noah's Park** is next Sunday, December 14th at 11:00 a.m.
- **Quarterly Business Meeting** is Wednesday, December 17th at 6:30 p.m.

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**Christmas Schedule:**

- ✚ Christmas Eve Communion Service – 7:00 p.m.
- ✚ No Mid-Week Service on Wednesday, December 31st

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**DAILY ADVENT READING**

Here's a weekly collection of Advent readings that will help you focus on the arrival of Jesus:

Monday – Micah 5:2	Thursday – Psalm 85:8-13
Tuesday – Matthew 2:1-2, 9-11	Friday – Isaiah 2:1-5
Wednesday – Psalm 85:1-2	Saturday – Matthew 3:1-6

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December is the time for the **Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions**. 100% of your gifts in December go directly to the mission field. Our church goal this year is **\$4,000.00**. Your donation enables others to go to the ends of the earth with the life-changing gospel of Jesus Christ. You will find the **2025 Prayer Guide – Week of Prayer for International Missions** on all the entrance tables.

The **Lottie Moon Christmas Post Office** is up in the Fellowship Hall and open for business! Save the postage, send your church family Christmas greetings, and then put your postage savings in the Christmas Offering for International Missions. You will find a mailbox list on all the entrance tables.

If you are interested in dedicating a bench for the **Prayer Walk Path** in the name of a passed church member, please see J.W. Reel or Pat Dugue. The approximate cost is \$200.

Our **Christmas Cantata** this year will be held on **Sunday, December 21st** at 6:00 p.m. This is a wonderful opportunity to invite your unchurched friends & family to a Christmas presentation certain to touch their hearts. Refreshments will follow.

Every Monday morning at 9:00 a.m., we have a season of prayer to intercede for the church, its leaders, teachers, and outreach activities. Please come and join us as often as your schedule will allow.

December 2025 Ushers: John Lawhorne, Mike Nessell, Nelson Pearce  
Tony Perry and Andy Woodlief

Nursery Schedule Today: Patricia McCraw & Kayelynn Penrod  
December 14, 2025: Mike Nessell & Vicky Nessell

Weekly Need for <b>2025/2026</b> budget	\$6,238.00
Offering November 30, 2025	\$5,222.00
<b>YTD – (Shortage)</b>	<b>(\$8,818.14)</b>
Lottie Moon Christmas Offering	\$55.00

# PEACE

PEACE I LEAVE WITH YOU. MY PEACE I GIVE YOU....  
DON'T BE TROUBLED OR AFRAID.



JOHN 14:27 (CEB)