

Your story

CHRISTMAS ISN'T HISTORY

Merry Christmas!

Fabric Minneapolis
December 24, 2022



Thank you for spending part of your Christmas Eve with Fabric! It is important to get together to celebrate and remember that this holiday isn't about all of our shopping, baking, and parties. And it isn't only about what happened 2000 years ago. Christmas is also about our lives and how the love that was born in the Christchild way back then is born in us today. Christmas is, after all, not just a bit of history, it's your story. Welcome!

WELCOME!

Life, for adults and kids alike, is most fulfilling when it is woven deeply with others (including the world around us), and that mysterious element we often call the third strand, or "God."

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WHAT TO EXPECT

Find a seat, get comfortable, then...

Christmas Carols, Welcome, & Say "hi!"

Communication Cards and Offering

Carols and Characters, "History or Your Story?"

Joseph, Sages, Shepherds, Mary - see back of this paper

Carols and Sending - Merry Christmas!

Join us for Christmas Cookies afterward!

QR CODES

Communication Card - Send us your prayers, comments, suggestions, jokes



Supporting Fabric - We're grateful for your support as we continue to grow as church together.



STARTING JANUARY 8



We all have times when we need to support and encourage others in tough times, and that's hard enough. But we also have times when the stakes are a lot higher and the needs a lot bigger. What do we do then? Join us Sundays starting Jan 8 as we help us all raise our CareIQ.

PLEASE NOTE: No Sunday gatherings on Dec 25 or Jan 1



CHILI COOK-OFF: Saturday, December 31, 11:30am-12:45pm Who doesn't love chili?!? Who doesn't love a good old competition?!? Who doesn't love to support local non-profits?!? Bring it all together and BAM! WOWEE! MMMMMM! Vote for the best chili in town (or at least at Field School). All proceeds will be donated to local non-profits chosen by the chili makers. Suggested donation of \$10/person. Thank you to Thrivent Financial for sponsoring this event. More at fabricmpls.com/chili

YEAR-END
GIVING

Your Financial Gifts & Fabric As 2022 closes, we know that many of you are making decisions about end-of-year giving. If Fabric is a part of your plans, you can learn about ways to give (including how to give stock) by visiting fabricmpls.com/give. Email katy@fabricmpls.com with questions. Thank you!



Joseph - his story...

"Is choosing generosity worth it?"

My story...

The Sages - their story...

"Is going off the map worth it?"

My story...

The Shepherds - their story...

"Am I worth it?"

My story...

Mary - her story...

"Will my labors of love be worth it?"

My story...

Want to read about their stories so you can listen for your stories? Read chapters 1 & 2 of Matthew and Luke.