## MESSAGE NOTES DECEMBER 25



Merry Christmas! Christ is risen, He is risen indeed. Wow! Today we sort of roll Christmas and Easter all into one. We celebrate the greatest gift of all: Jesus!

Christmas is HOPE - A promise kept

Christmas is LOVE - A heart revealed

Christmas is <u>JOY</u> - A presence made known

Christmas is **PEACE** - Reconciliation with God

Christmas is CHRIST - Our resurrected Lord

FOUR ENCOUNTERS

- Peter and John 1.
- Mary Magdalene 2.
- The **Disciples** 3.
- Thomas Δ.
- TAKE IT TO HEART. TAKE IT HOME. TAKE IT TO THE **WORLD**.
  - Receive God's gift. 1.

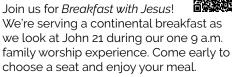
### **FRIDGE** NOTES



# **YEAR-END** GIVING

creative expressions

#### Jan. 1 | 9 am



#### NOW-Dec. 31



All 2022 giving needs to be received at Oakwood by Dec. 31. (Gifts can be postmarked Dec. 31.) The office will be closed Dec. 23-Jan. 3, so please plan accordingly. Online giving is available. as well.

#### Jan. 21 | 1-5 pm

Ladies, unleash your creativity while spending intentional time

connecting with Oakwood women. Paint a canvas, and make or color cards. This is a drop-in event, so bring a friend and join us when you can!

#### Feb. 24-25 | Green Lake



Marriage is a divinely-inspired art form. Pastor Daryl, Elaine and the Marriage Mentor Team is hosting The Art of Marriage retreat. Each couple receives a night in a hotel, three fine-dining meals, and materials for \$275. Register by Jan. 3.



FINANCIAL UPDATE FISCAL YEAR TO DATE IAUGUST - NOVEMBER 2022]		
BUDGET	ACTUAL EXPENSES	GIVING
<sup>\$</sup> 404,541	<sup>\$</sup> 388,382	<sup>\$</sup> 374,583

