

# WELCOME

December 24, 2023

We're so glad you're here!

At Gateway, we believe in joining God to transform our lives and culture to reflect His heart by:

Loving God ● Loving Each Other ● Loving His World

## GET CONNECTED

GATEWAYMERCED.ORG

### SUNDAY SERVICE - 10AM

Join us in person at: 353 E Donna Dr. Merced, CA. 95340

- Corporate Prayer | 9AM | Conference Rm
- Family Room & Nursing Room available by the restrooms
- 6 wks - 3 yrs | \*In Service Today
- 4 yrs - Kinder | \*In Service Today
- 1st-5th grade | \*In Service Today



Scan for YouTube

Or LIVE on our YouTube Channel

### NEW TO CHURCH?

Go to our Guest Center for next steps or scan QR code to fill out our connection card



Scan for Next Steps

### DOWNLOAD OUR CHURCHCENTER APP



- Watch past sermons or kids at home videos
- Set up payments for tithes or offerings
- Check out the available small groups
- Fill out connection card

### GATEWAY WIFI



Scan to Connect : GCC-CHURCH



Scan for WiFi

### SOCIAL MEDIA



@gatewaymerced

353 E DONNA DR MERCED, CA | (209)723-4283

# EVENTS

### COMMUNION | TODAY

The communion table has been prepared for all who love Jesus and trust Him alone for the forgiveness of their sins. Everyone who is truly sorry for their sins, who sincerely believes in the Lord Jesus as their Savior, and who desires to live in obedience to Him, is invited to come with gladness to the table of the Lord.

### BAPTISM | NEXT SUNDAY

Once Jesus becomes the center of your life, you'll want to outwardly declare how God's been changing your life. If you or someone in your family would like to be baptized contact the Church Office at (209) 723-4283. Baptisms will take place next Sunday during service.

### CHURCH OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

The Church Office will be Closed Mon, Dec 25 & Tue, Dec 26 for the Christmas Holiday. The church office hours for Wed-Fri. (12/27-29) are 9 AM-1 PM. Merry Christmas!

### LADIES BUNCO | SAT, JAN 13 @ 11AM | RM M3

Ladies, of all ages (high school and up), we would love for you to come out and enjoy a game of Bunco. Saturday, January 13 at 11AM. Bring a snack to share and come have some fun after the holidays. Please sign up, for more info & a head count, on your communication card or with Jen Parra at JDGhimenti@aol.com. Don't know how to play? No worries, we will teach you. It's fun and easy!

### PASTORAL SEARCH UPDATE

It is with great enthusiasm & a spirit of hopefulness that we present to you Dylan Harper for consideration as our next Senior Pastor. Dylan, along with his wife Jessica and daughter Brooklyn, will be candidating with us at Gateway January 12-17. Dylan will be delivering the sermon on January 14th. Following the 10AM service, we will have an extended open house and guided Q&A time in the main sanctuary where you will be able to get to know the Harpers on a deeper level. Please join our team, the church Council of Elders and Deacons, the church staff, and the Harpers in seeking the Holy Spirit's guidance in discerning His will for our church. If you would like more information about the Harpers and the journey that has led our Search Team to this point, please scan the QR code!



### GENERATIONS PROJECT

We continue to eagerly await and witness God's goodness through the construction of the Generations building. Scan the Qr code, for more info on the Generations project and to prayerfully consider financially giving to this effort!



### Contact Me About:

- Baptism
- Becoming a Follower of Jesus
- Church Membership
- Elementary/Preteen
- Worship Ministry
- Youth Ministries
- Infant/Kindergarten
- RightNow Media
- Serving at Gateway
- College/ Young Adults
- Discover Serving
- Small Groups

Area of Interest:

### Comments, Prayer Requests:

- Confidential (Staff Only)
- Best way to Contact me:  Text  Call  Email



# SUNDAY SERVICE

## NEW TIMES

Starting Jan 28, 2024

8:30am - 9:45am

10:15am - 11:30am

**Gateway**  
COMMUNITY CHURCH

### Communication/Prayer Request Card

Mr. / Mrs. / Ms

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  Change in Contact Info

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Best Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I'm new to Gateway:  1<sup>st</sup> Visit  I attend here often  I'm a member

I've been here a few times

If you are a 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> time guest, how did you hear about Gateway? \_\_\_\_\_

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# CHRISTMAS

THROUGH THE EYES OF...

GATEWAY COMMUNITY CHURCH  
**DECEMBER 24, 2023**