

## Our Stewardship of Time, Talents and Treasure

"For all things come from you,  
and of your own we have given you."  
1 Chronicles 29:14

### Offerings:

Total Contributions week of Dec 31	\$ 14,025.00
General Contributions	\$ 8,745.00
Building Fund	\$ 5,150.00
Church Holidays	\$ 1,940.00
Tuition Assistance	\$ 120.00
Designated (initial offering)	\$ 10.00

### Attendance:

December 31 = 83 + 38 + 46 (4:30)



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## Numbers 24:15-17a

Balaam took up his oracle and said:

The declaration of Balaam son of Beor,  
the declaration of the man whose eye is open,  
<sup>16</sup>the declaration of the one who hears the words of God,  
who receives knowledge from the Most High,  
who sees the vision of the Almighty,  
who is falling down, but his eyes are wide open:  
<sup>17</sup>I see him, but not now.

I behold him, but not near.

A star will come out of Jacob.

A scepter will rise up out of Israel.

## Romans 11:13-15, 28-32

I am speaking to you Gentiles. For as long as I am an apostle to the Gentiles, I am going to speak highly of my ministry. <sup>14</sup>Perhaps I may make my own people jealous, and so save some of them. <sup>15</sup>For if their rejection meant the reconciliation of the world, what does their acceptance mean other than the dead coming to life?

<sup>28</sup>In regard to the gospel, they are enemies for your sake. But, in regard to election, they are especially dear for the sake of the patriarchs, <sup>29</sup>because God's gracious gifts and call are not regretted. <sup>30</sup>For just as you were once disobedient to God, but now have been shown mercy due to their disobedience, <sup>31</sup>so also now they have become disobedient, so that by the mercy shown to you they may be shown mercy too. <sup>32</sup>For God imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may show mercy to all.