



**Christmas 2012**

**Dear MVBF Family and Friends,**

**As the Christmas season rapidly approaches, we wish all of you a blessed time of rest, reflection and joyous celebration of the birth of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.**

**We would like to invite you once again to consider joining us in 'blessing' each of our staff members with a Christmas gift.**

**Here's the plan: if you would like to participate in the staff 'blessing', please make your check out to 'MVBF'....with 'Staff Christmas Gift' written in the 'memo' line. Cash donations should be ear marked with the same notation.**

**You may place your special gift in the offering plate. Please have your gifts in no later than Sunday, December 16. We will include the 'blessings' in personal Christmas/New Years cards signed "From the congregation" and quietly place them in each staff member's mail box. There will be no formal 'presentation' of the gifts.**

**Thank you and we hope you will join us in this seasonal 'blessing' for our staff.**

**Your Lay Elders,**

***Chris, Don, Rock and Steve***