

## SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

December 12, 2021 – 11:00am

~3rd Sunday of Advent~

\* Those who are able and comfortable standing, please stand.

**Prelude – Mary Did You Know?**

**Apostolic Greeting**

**Leader: The Lord be with you!**

**People: And also with you!**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prayer of Preparation, Praise and Adoration**

\*Hymn #269 –How Great our Joy

**Sharing of Joys & Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer**

**Lighting of the third candle of Advent - JOY**

\*Hymn #279 - Infant Lowly (vs. 1, 2 & 3 on screen)

**Scripture Reading: Psalm 51:10-12**

**Special Music – Gesu Bambino**

**Scripture Reading: James 1:2-4**

**Message: Living Scripture**

\*Hymn #90 – Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (1, 3 & 4)

**Prayer for Tithes, Talents and Offerings**

\*Hymn #815 – Doxology

**Charge, Blessing and Sending with Peace**

**Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!**

**People: And also with you!**

**Postlude – O Holy Night!**



## ~This Week at 1st Presbyterian Church~

### SUNDAY, Dec 12

9:15 am – Sunday School in FH & on Zoom

10:15 to 10:45 am - Coffee Hour

11:00 am – Worship Service & Christmas Dinner

### THURSDAY, Dec 16

10:00 am – Good Morning Bible Study

### SUNDAY, Dec 19

9:15 am – Sunday School in FH & on Zoom

10:15 to 10:45 am - Coffee Hour

11:00 am – Worship Service

**This Sunday, ~12-12~ Liturgist:** Emily Hare; **Sound Room:** Chris Bowles; **Coffee Hour:** Amy Bishoff

**Next Sunday, ~12-19~ Liturgist:** Keith Hare; **Sound Room:** Sam Lieb; **Coffee Hour:** Kenita Keck

Thank you for your service:

**Elder, Barb Jobs and Accompanist, Thom Ogilvie**

### Congregational Christmas Dinner

after church today, December 12

following the Worship service, we will

share Christmas dinner in the

Fellowship Hall. Donations for the lunch

will go toward supplies for our

Blessings Box.



## Adult Sunday School Class



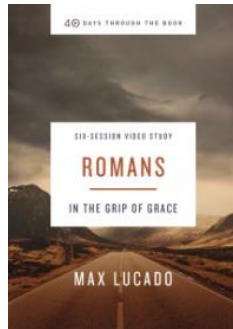
Beginning November 28<sup>th</sup> we will begin the 5-week study "When God Comes Down", and explore the lives of Zechariah & Elizabeth, Joseph, Mary and the Innkeeper who all witnessed the miracle in the Incarnation. We will reflect on their stories and see how Christ's birth impacted them and experience the effect it can have on our lives.

Study guides are available (\$11.00, if able). Please see Peggy for a copy.

## Adult Sunday School starting Jan. 2, 2022

### 6-session DVD Study of the Book of Romans

In this 40-Day study based on his bestselling book, *In the Grip of Grace*, Max Lucado illuminates one of the richest theological works ever penned, the book of Romans. The core idea of Romans is that we are *saved by grace*, through faith.



## Presbytery of Scioto Valley – "PIE" – Partners in Education

January Elder Training:

**Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022 9:00-3:00 at Worthington Presbyterian Church**

\$15.00 per person, (covers lunch)

Online Tuesday, Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> 7pm on Zoom (free)

There will be workshops, a Keynote speaker

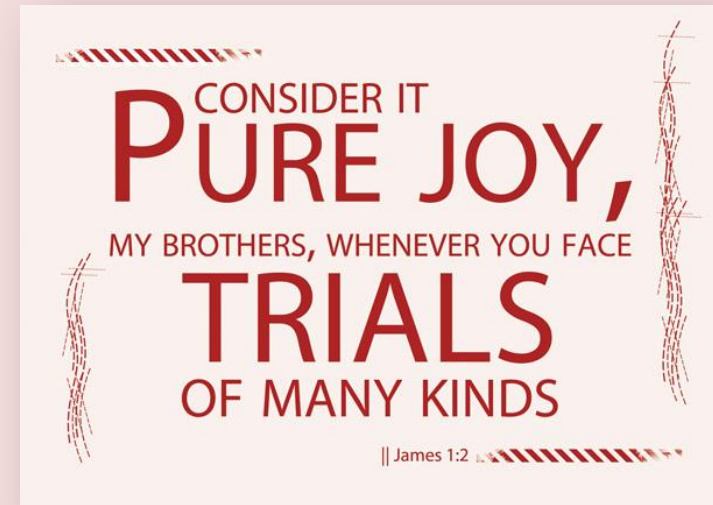


**Christmas Eve Service - Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> – Sanctuary**  
more details to follow

**No Sunday School on Dec 26, 2021**

**January 9<sup>th</sup>** - un-decorating of the Church after services. A light lunch will be provided.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



**Guest speaker:  
Elder, Barb Jobes**

**Sunday, December 12, 2021  
11:00am**

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