

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

December 5, 2021 – 11:00am

~2nd Sunday of Advent~

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

Prelude - O Come, O Come Emmanuel arr. by J. Martin

Apostolic Greeting

Leader: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Preparation, Praise and Adoration

***Hymn #249 – O Come All Ye Faithful**

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

Lighting of the second candle of Advent - Peace

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

Scripture Reading: Malachi 3:1-4

Scripture Reading: Luke 3:1-6

Message: Advent, Time to Take Your Life Back

***Hymn #270 - Joy to the World (vs. 1 & 2)**

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

***Hymn #815 – Doxology**

Prayer for Tithes, Talents and Offerings

***Hymn #270 - Joy to The World (vs. 3 & 4)**

Charge, Blessing and Sending with Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!



Postlude - Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus with Great Is the Lord

~This Week at 1st Presbyterian Church~

SUNDAY, Dec 5

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

10:15 to 10:45 am - Coffee Hour

11:00 am – Worship Service with Communion

TUESDAY, Dec 7

10:00 am – Church Mice Meeting- last mtg in Dec.

THURSDAY, Dec 8

10:00 am – Good Morning Bible Study

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

This Sunday, ~12-5~ Liturgist: Barb Jobes; **Sound Room:** Brian Lieb; **Coffee Hour:** Sandy Noland

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

Thank you to our guests:

Rev. Steve Merold & Accompanist, Tara Lewellen



Adult Sunday School Class



Beginning November 28th 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.

Here's the Zoom link for November - December.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88533277707?pwd=SUhJV29PZEtNa2lpZ1lWWS81bFhJUT09>

Meeting ID: 885 3327 7707

Passcode: 244333

Or join by phone (landline or cell):301-715-8592

SCRIP - In case you weren't ready to buy SCRIP cards for gifts or for shopping a few weeks ago, we are offering an extra opportunity to purchase them TODAY, December 5th. Please see Peggy at the front of the Sanctuary to place an order.

Candlewick Commons- Cookies Needed

Would you be able to help provide homemade cookies for them? Please let Sandy or Kim know. We would like to give each resident a couple different kinds, which means we need at least 90 bags of cookies. We would ask that you put 2-3 cookies in individual zipper bags. You can deliver them to the church between 9:00-2:00, Dec. 7-9.

Contact information: Sandy Noland

at rsjinoland@windstream.net or 740-323-0169 or Kim Dershem

at kdershem@windstream.net or 740-877-0346.

Congregational Christmas Dinner

after church on December 12 following service, we will share Christmas dinner in the Fellowship Hall. Donations for the lunch will go toward supplies for our Blessings Box.



There will be No Sunday School on Dec 26, 2021.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Guest speaker:

Reverend Steve Merold

Sunday, December 5, 2021

11:00am

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