

Service Participants


Assisting Minister: Larry Partesotti Acolyte: Zeah Gastler
Lector: Tate Schappell Tech Volunteer: Oliver Sieja
Lay Communion Asst.: Alex Vandeveire, Collin Caple, Rei Palmer, Piper Roome
Greeters/Ushers: Butch Lloyd & Andrew Wirtz
Coffee Host: Les Billman

Holiday Schedule

December 24: 5:00 pm Full Festival Candlelight Worship
 7:30 pm Full Festival Candlelight Worship
December 25: 10:00 am Coffee/Cinnamon Roll Fellowship
 10:30 am Unity Lessons & Carols Worship
January 1: 10:30a.m. Service of the Word

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Midweek Advent - Our Advent Dinners and Worship continue this Wednesday, December 21, at 5 pm (dinner) and 6:30 pm (Worship).

 **Online Giving** - If you prefer to give online, please use this QR code. There are options to give to General Fund, Christmas Poinsettias, or Advent Offering. *Today is the deadline for poinsettia dedications.*

Church Office Hours - The Church Office will be closed from December 26-30. If you have a Pastoral Emergency, please contact Traci Billman at 256-783-0008.

Chrismons - If your child did not receive a Chrismon, please see Traci.

PRAYER REQUESTS

June Barber	Gwen Dornbos	Karin Offik	Mija Stockman
Annie Bourque	Laura Doss	Frank Ontiveros	Ron Sykstus
Pat Cassity	Ciera Elledge	Stan Reinartz	
Telse Davis	Vicki Eversmeyer	Jennie Schemenaur	
Margo Dodson	Jill Henning	Grace Schultz	

If you would like the St. Mark's Prayer Chain to pray for your concern, please contact our Prayer Chain Coordinator, Brenda Holsopple at holsoppleb@bellsouth.net.



December 18, 2022
10:30a.m. Unity Worship Service
Fourth Sunday of Advent



***Growing together in faith to abundantly
nourish our community.***

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We are glad to have you worship with us this morning! Please let us know you are here by signing in on the Pew Pads. You may also add a prayer request and/or share your Joys and Gratitude.

Welcome and Announcements

GATHERING

Please rise

Gathering Hymn

Confession & Forgiveness

Greeting

Hymn of Praise

Prayer of the Day

Please be seated.

WORD

Children's Message/Advent Wreath Lighting

All children and their parents are invited for a brief message.

Advent Hymn *Choose to Hope (vv.1 & 4)*

First Reading: Isaiah 7:10-16 (Pew Bible p. 554)

Second Reading: Romans 1:1-7 (Pew Bible pp. 913-914)

Please rise

Gospel Introit Hymn

Gospel Reading: Matthew 1:18-25 (Pew Bible p. 783)

Please be seated.

Sermon

Emeritus Bishop Gordy

Silence for reflection on the Word

Please rise

Hymn of the Day

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing of the Peace

Please extend a greeting of welcome and a word of grace to those around you.

Please be seated

MEAL

Offering Hymn

Please rise

Offertory Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Invitation to & Celebration of Holy Communion

Please be seated

Please follow the guidance of the ushers as we commune together. Also, please know you are welcome to receive a blessing instead of partaking in communion as a reminder of God's love, forgiveness, and grace for you. These are the gifts of God for all.

Communion Hymns

Please rise

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Blessing

Sending Hymn

Dismissal

Postlude

Improvisation of Sending Hymn

*The Altar Arrangements are given by Doug & Joan Bloomberg
in celebration of their 7th wedding anniversary.*