

November 28, 2021

First Sunday of Advent - Hope

10:30 AM

Join us for worship in person this Sunday (see new update in Chatter) or join us virtually on Zoom.

JOIN US ONLINE www.zoom.us and click "join meeting" Meeting ID 822 1642 9872 and Passcode: 690099

JOIN US BY PHONE CALL 1-312-626-6799, enter Meeting ID 822 1642 9872 # then press # again

Details for connecting are at the top of Central Chatter.

MUSIC BEGINNING AT 10:25 AM

As the music begins let us quietly prepare our hearts and minds for worship

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS and CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Lew

PRELUDE

WORD OF THE LORD

Jeremiah 33:14-16

Liane Chisholm

ADVENT READING AND WREATH LIGHTING

Melissa Dunn

***INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER**

Pastor Lew

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

LORD'S SUPPER

Communion Hymn

"Come, O Long-expected Jesus"

#125

Meditation and Words of Institution

Linda Peoples

Prayer

GIFTS OF WORSHIP

Lucille Sickafuse

*Praise God from whom all Blessings Flow

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below, praise him above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PASTORAL PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

Pastor Lew

SCRIPTURE

Luke 21:25-36

Linda Peoples

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God. Response: Thanks be to God

MESSAGE

Pastor Lew

***HYMN**

"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" (V 1,4)

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***BENEDICTION** (1 Thessalonians 3:11-13)

Pastor Lew

POSTLUDE

***Those who are able please stand.**

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Jeremiah 33:14-16

Psalms 25:1-10

1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

Luke 21:25-36

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Isaiah 40:1-11

Malachi 3:1-4

Luke 1:68-79

Philippians 1:3-11 & Luke 3:1-6

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK: Luke 21:33

"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away."

CENTRAL CHATTER

IN PERSON SERVICES

The Elder's strongly recommend, until further notice, that all in person attendees wear a mask while entering and exiting the church and maintain physical distancing. ***Once seated***, and at your individual discretion, you may remove or maintain your mask wearing. Please watch for updates as the situation in the county changes. Online and on the phone service will continue to be an integral part of our worship.

SUNDAY SERVICE ON ZOOM

Please have a piece of bread and a cup of juice with you as we celebrate the Lord's Supper together every Sunday. **Online/smartphone**, www.zoom.us, click "Join a meeting" at the top of the page, then use Meeting ID: 822 1642 9872 and Passcode: 690099. You can also download the "Zoom Cloud Meetings" app at your app store.

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"Welcome to Zoom, enter your Meeting ID followed by #". You will enter Meeting ID: 822 1642 9872 #

Then you will hear, *"If you are the meeting host please enter the host key followed by #, if you are the participant please press #"* Since you are a participant, just press the # key again. When the meeting starts you'll be connected. (If you are prompted for an additional number enter 690099#)

ATTENDANCE

November 21st Sunday Worship =42, The Word Corner=12 YTD=2505

Offering: Unified Budget November 21st = \$1,425.00

YTD Emergency Food Assistance=152 households, 213 adults, 51 children

THE WORD CORNER-ON ZOOM

Fridays at 11AM - a time of fellowship and sharing God's word. Connect on Zoom, see details above. Join us on our new day and time, everyone is welcome!

SALVATION ARMY TREASURER'S FOR CHILDREN

Please bring your gifts for the Salvation Army Treasures for Children to the church **no later than December 5th** for pick up on Monday morning, your cooperation is appreciated.

DECORATING

Trustees, Deacons and everyone available, are asked to come to the church on Saturday, **December 4th at 10AM** to help decorate for Christmas. Come out and enjoy this time of fellowship as we prepare for Christmas.

POINSETTIA

This year the church will purchase poinsettia for the sanctuary in lieu of personal donations. Instead, your donation of \$10 In Memory, In Appreciation or, In Honor of a loved one, will go to Camp Laurelview. In order to be included in the Christmas Sunday and Christmas Eve bulletins, your donation and form must reach us by December 12th.

PRAYER LIST

If there is someone you'd like placed on the new Prayer List please contact the office either by phone or email.

Please remember to keep them in your prayers daily.

Our thoughts and prayers are with our country, our leaders, our military, first responders, teachers and students, the homeless, those affected by human trafficking, gun violence, the hostages in Haiti, and an end to COVID 19, Rebeca Adams and daughters, Beverly Applegate, "Arlene", Dave Bajnok, Beverley Barnes, Lee Blundon, Joyce Bradshaw, brothers Rylan and Jackson and their family, Rev. Jim Burns and family, Jonathan Burns, Melody Cerbus, Bunny Chapman, "Cheryl", "Christine", Mimi Crawford, "missionary Daku", "Diane", Larry Dillingham, The family of Geraldine DiNardo, "Donna", Melissa Dunn, Joe Eckard, Karley & Kenzy Emery, Joe Evans, Wilma Ferrara, "Jim G.", Diane Gaffney, "Gina & Tonja", The family of Ed Glaser, The family of Sue Shamblin-Guthrie, "Dan H.", Joan Hawk, Beverly & Doug Helgeson, David Herriott, "Joyce & Wendy", Bob Heiges, "Jackie", The family of Dorothy Jackson, "Jacob", Donna Jacques, Peg Jaillet, "Jaime and her boys" "James", the family of Maddie Johnson, Rhonda Jones, Gail Karwacki, "Kim & Kirby", Marc Knezevich, Amy & Jason Knuckles, Esta Mae Laughner, "Lee", "Mia", the family of Lillian Millsop, "Mimi", Dr. George Mihalik, Gregg Morgenstern, Cindy Murphy, Rick Murphy, Frank Napolitano, Irene Owen, "Peg L.", "Peggy", David & Linda Peoples, Holly Petrush, Cathy Reed, Louise Rowland, Mr. & Mrs. Shepherd, Ralph Shingledecker, The family of Kenneth Stitt, "Terry", Harriett Thompson, Jonathan Toliver, Dave Tota, Estelle Tyson, Vince & Rhonda Vogel, "Wanda", Bert Weston, Sarah Worthington

OUR SERVICE PERSONEL: Daniel Leard, Lyle Voisey, Adam Gogley, Sam Resinger