

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Karen Wade

(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)

Communion Music

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.

All: **The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

*Benediction

*Hymn *Go Tell It on the Mountain (vs. 1, 3)* No. 167

(After worship, a serving elder will be available at the back of each side aisle for personal prayer)

Postlude

Noël de Poitevin Claude Balbastre
Dee Dee Gain, organist

**All who are able, please stand*

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What Can't Wait

Advent 2022

December 4, 2022

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope.

Prelude *Noël de Saintonge*
Jean-François Dandrieu
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Words of Welcome Michael E. Karunas

*Introit

*Opening Hymn *Brightest and Best* No. 174

*Responsive Reading
Leader: When the sun rises, what shall we sing?
People: Blessed by the God of Israel!
Leader: What shall we proclaim when violence echoes
around us?
People: The Lord has raised up a mighty savior for us!
Leader: What words shall we speak when all seems broken
and lost?
People: He will give light to those who sit in darkness!
Leader: Let us sing with joy today
**People: For the mercy of the Lord will come down from
on high!**

*Invocation

*Lord's Prayer
**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from
evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory
forever, Amen.**

*Gloria Patri No. 35

A Time for All God's Children & Lighting of the Advent Candle
Vicky Woolridge

Prayer Hymn *As with Gladness* No. 173

Pastoral Prayer

(8:00) Prayer Response
(10:30) Special Music, Brass Choir

Offertory Invitation

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

(8:00) Special Music, Brass Choir
(10:30) Anthem *Let All Mortal Flesh*
arr. Larry Shackley

Scripture Reading Isaiah 11:1-9 Pg. 640 & 641 OT

One: The Word of God for the People of God.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

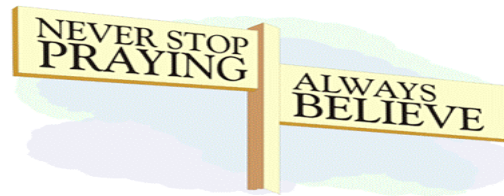
Sermon *Give Peace a Chance*

Invitation to Discipleship

*Communion Hymn No. 149
Angels, from the Realms of Glory (vs. 1, 3, 4)
*(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of
faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing
of this Hymn of Communion.)*

Meditation Diana Ritter

Prayer List



Last updated 12/02/2022

Members

Barbara Tyler
Evelyn Sanders
Gretchen Barron
Larry Pepper
Phyllis Morris
Jill Johnson
Lawrence Thicksten
Maria Jacobs

We Pray for Those in the Military:

Bobby Backes (nephew of Keith & Jeannie Backes)
Trysten Hall (son of Sheila & Charles Hall,
great-grandson of Lawrence & Sally Thicksten)
Katy & Matt Holden (granddaughter &
grandson-in-law of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary
(great-nephew of Marilyn Ward)
Preston Wade (son of Larry & Karen Wade)
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)

Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Doris McArty (Imboden Creek)
Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)
Nancy Turner (Imboden Creek)
Merle Chapman (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)
Glen & Arlone Dalluge (Randall Residence)
Ellen Sheffer (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Joan Smith (Heritage Health)
Bess King (The Glenwood)
Bob & Chloe Hoaglin (Vonderlieth)
Jean Booher (Primrose)
Jean Goretzke (Primrose)
Nancy Taylor (Primrose)
Morris Birkhead (Villas at Hollybrook)

Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)
Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)
Jan Carpenter (mother of Karma Carpenter)
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry &
Marla Winkleblack)
Michelle Yeager (daughter of Gail Prince)
Stacy Dill (friend of Donna Dash)
Jim Nuernberger (friend of Jim & Debbie Hoffert)
Harriette York (mother of David York)
Ron Price (brother of Debbie Hoffert)
Jane Spires (friend of many CCC members)
Debbie Seitz (friend of Julie & Ken Jacoby)
Linda & Wayne Mollohan (friends of
Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Mark Demoulin (son of Jahala Demoulin)
Bob & Jane Campbell (brother & sister-in-law
of Bruce Campbell)
Maya Anthony (friend of Liz Campbell)
Quentin Wilmot (brother of Kevin Wilmot)
Matt Andrews (son-in-law of Jean Maggioncalda)
Karen Roppa (friend of Donna Dash)
Marge Smika (friend of Donna Dash)
Ruth & Randy Helm (friends of Donna Dash)
Sonna Livasy (friend of Donna Dash)
Kent Durbin (friend of Pamela Bednar)
Sharon Phillips (friend of Chris & Al Fagin)
Keith Osborne (brother of Jan Dobbs)
Tom & Betty Smith (friends of Maria Jacobs)
Shannon Bornreger (son of Kathy Kauzlarich)

Worship Extras
December 4, 2022

Leader: We will wait for the sky to clear
and the plot to thicken.

**People: We will wait for vacation to arrive
and snow to fall.**

Leader: We will wait for dinner to be ready
and confidence to grow.

**People: We will wait for our young child to walk
and the leaves to change.**

Leader: We will wait for the dust to settle
and the lab results to come.

People: We will wait for Christmas to arrive.

Leader: We will wait for a lot of things,
but we will not wait for peace.

**People: This world is rampant with division,
walls, grudge-holding, and self-doubt.**

Leader: We do not want to be passive bystanders
in this division.

**People: We do not want to be passive bystanders
in this division.**

Leader: So today we light the candle of peace
as a reminder that we have a role to play.

**All: May the desire to sow peace kindle in us
like a light in the darkness. Amen.**

Serving Schedules

Today

Elders: Diana Ritter & Karen Wade

December Prep Deacons: Becky Johnston & Karen Penn

Offering Deacons:

8:00 - Debbie Hoffert & Gail Prince

10:30 - Dale Ford & Steve Swarthout

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 1 - Donna Dash, Capt., Carolyn Sunderlik,
Dianne Devore

10:30 - Team 6 - Mark Kincaid

Greeters:

8:00 - Debbie & Jim Hoffert

10:30 - Jan Dobbs & Suzie Miller

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Jim Bednar

10:30 - Mike Kirby

Liturgist: Tom Ritter

Next Sunday, December 11, 2022

Elders: Gretchen Kirby & Krista Rohrscheib

December Prep Deacons: Becky Johnston & Karen Penn

Offering Deacons:

8:00 - Jane Davis & Mike Munos

10:30 - Gretchen & Mike Kirby

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 2 - Becky Johnston, Capt., Bruce & Liz Campbell

10:30 - Team 7 - George Virgil, Capt., Linda Virgil, Hugh & Linda
Rowden

Greeters:

8:00 - Carolyn McCall & Gail Prince

10:30 - Dale & Judy Ford

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Donna Dash

10:30 - Keith Backes

Liturgist: Charlotte Ballance