

Words of Institution

Vicky Woolridge

Prayer of Consecration

Krista Rohrscheib

(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 *Angels We Have Heard on High (vs. 1, 2, 4)* No. 155
(After worship, a serving elder will be available at the back of each side aisle for personal prayer)

Postlude

Il Est Né
Dee Dee Gain, organist

French Carol

**All who are able, please stand*

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What Can't Wait

Advent 2022

December 11, 2022

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope.

Prelude *Bell Carol* William Mathias
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Words of Welcome Michael E. Karunas

*Introit

*Opening Hymn *People, Look East (vs. 1, 3, 4)* No. 142

*Responsive Reading

Leader: When the sun rises, what shall we sing?

People: Blessed be 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

Prayer Hymn *Once in Royal David's City* No. 165
(vs. 1, 2, 4)

Pastoral Prayer

(8:00) Prayer Response

(10:30) Special Music, Central Choir Interns

Offertory Invitation Theresa Fulk

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

(8:00) Special Music, Central Choir Interns

(10:30) Anthem *O Come, O Come, Immanuel*
Natalie Sleeth

Scripture Reading Luke 1:67-73 Pg. 58 NT
Matthew 2:13-15a, 19-23 Pg. 2 NT

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *Joyful to be Home*

Invitation to Discipleship

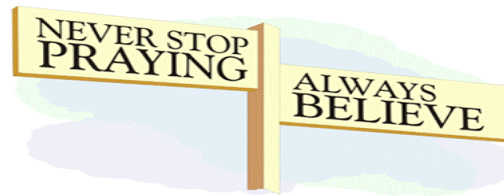
*Communion Hymn No. 151

The First Noel (vs. 1, 2, 3)

*(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 Gretchen Kirby

Prayer List



Last updated 12/09/2022

Members

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)
Barb Tyler (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 Borntreger (son of Kathy Kauzlarich)

Worship Extras
December 11, 2022

Leader: We will wait for a promotion
and for the sequel.

**People: We will wait for space to grow
and for the phone to ring.**

Leader: We will wait for you to ask
and for them to call my name.

**People: We will wait for the water to boil
and for the text to come through.**

Leader: We will wait for the second season
and for the beat to drop.

People: We will wait for Christmas to arrive.

Leader: We will wait for a lot of things,
but we will no longer wait for joy.

**People: In a world where suffering and
violence plague the news, we will
choose to delight in that which is good.**

Leader: So today we light the candle of joy
to remind us that darkness does not
have the last word.

**All: May this light guide and inspire us
as we work to spread God's joy
and delight through this world. Amen.**

Serving Schedules

Today

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

Next Sunday, December 18, 2022

Elders: Jeannie Backes & Charlotte Ballance

Outreach Comm.: J. Backes, C. Ballance, B. Campbell, G. Kirby,
K. Rohrscheib, K. Wilmot

December Prep Deacons: Becky Johnston & Karen Penn

Offering Deacons:

8:00 - Al & Chris Fagin

10:30 - Shelby Baum & Luke Kirby

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 3 - Dennis Downey, Capt., Jim & Pamela Bednar

10:30 - Team 8 - Tom & Diana Ritter, David Sheffer

Greeters:

8:00 - Gene & Sandy Garver

10:30 - Mary Jane & Ron Oliver

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Jim Bednar

10:30 - Mike Kirby

Liturgist: Keith Backes